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Once again we the people of Oregon find ourselves having to plead with our government to listen to reason. All we ask is for laws that prevent crime and protect us from criminals. But once again your focus is on items that do nothing to protect us but rather make us less able to be protected and makes us victims.

There is no factual basis or statistics that show anything in this bill will do anything to reduce crime or violence. Any logic person knows that criminals don't follow laws, placing additional restrictions on those that do follow laws does nothing. Please show the citizens of this state that logic can prevail and you as our elected representatives are willing to use common sense and give us protection rather than using a narrative of fear to create ineffective laws.

Hope many more hundreds of thousands dare I say millions of our tax dollars are you going to waste when you know this will be tied up in court for years and as history has proven as of late be struck down. Stop wasting time and money, do what's right and focus on criminals not your good citizens.