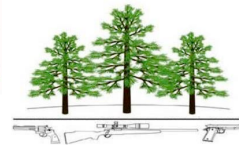


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"These laws will not help protect me, my deputies or the public" adding "These laws, and any law restricting any type of arms, will only make us weaker, making 'good people' law breakers and 'bad people' stronger." - Jefferson County Sheriff Jim Adkins, on his facebook post.

When talking about the threat posed by IP 43 Douglas County Sheriff Hanlin said, *"We have nothing to gain by sitting back and waiting, we need to be proactive."* – Interview with the Roseburg Beacon

I can't put everything from Oregon Firearms Federation (OFF) and the State in the newsletter but here is what I think is pertinent.

FROM OFF – 24 April 2018

Ballot Title For Measure 43 Released.

Yes, they really are coming for your guns.

The Attorney General has released her proposed ballot title and summary for IP 43, the state-wide firearms confiscation measure.

The short version is this:

DRAFT BALLOT TITLE Criminalizes possession or transfer of "assault weapons" (defined) or "large capacity magazines" (defined), with exceptions.

The ballot title falls far short of covering all the dangerous and onerous provisions of this measure. Oregon voters can send comments about this ballot title to the Oregon Secretary of State for the next ten days. Keep in mind, your comments must be on the "ballot title" not on the absurd language of the ballot itself.

Comments Due: May 8, 2018

Where to Submit: Scan and Email: irrlistnotifier.sos@state.or.us

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One thing the Secretary of State does not make clear, and this is important, is that they want all comments submitted to be "signed." So while you can print out your comments, sign them and scan them and send the *scanned* documents to the Secretary of State via email, a simple email with your comments will not work. If you plan on submitting comments or suggested ballot title language, (and you should) please carefully read the measure and then submit your comments based on the obvious shortcomings of the ballot title. You will want to concentrate on why the ballot title language is insufficient, misleading, incorrect or inflammatory. Clearly the simple use of the meaningless term "assault weapon" is misleading and inflammatory. The title also makes no mention of the fact that *magazines* will have to be "registered" something that is essentially not possible.

Suggested ballot titles may not exceed 15 words.

As you know, this measure is intended to do nothing less than make felons out of many thousands of Oregonians while making no one safer. We strongly encourage you to be involved and send your comments to the Secretary of State.

FROM -

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INITIATIVE PETITION

The Elections Division received a draft ballot title from the Attorney General on April 24, 2018, for Initiative Petition **2018-043**, proposed for the November 6, 2018, General Election.

Caption : Criminalizes possession or transfer of "assault weapons" (defined) or "large capacity magazines" (defined), with exceptions

Result of "Yes" Vote: "Yes" vote criminalizes possession/ transfer of "assault weapons" (defined)/ "large capacity magazines" (defined), with exceptions for military/ police/ registered owner approved by State Police.

Result of "No" Vote: "No" vote retains current laws, which bar possession of firearms by certain individuals, including convicted felons, some civilly committed persons, domestic abusers, other disqualified persons.

Summary: Measure criminalizes possession or transfer of "assault weapons" (defined)/ "large capacity magazines" (defined) except for military/ law enforcement purposes, or persons authorized by State Police after criminal background check. Otherwise possession or transfer is a Class B felony. Within 120 days, persons lawfully owning such weapons or magazines must remove from Oregon, lawfully sell, surrender to law enforcement, render inoperable, or register items with State Police. Applies to inherited items. Bars moving covered items into Oregon. Assault weapons include certain semiautomatic rifles or pistols with a detachable magazine; pistol or rifles with a fixed magazine holding more than 10 rounds of ammunition; certain semiautomatic shotguns. Large capacity magazine is ammunition feeding device with capacity of more than ten rounds. Effective January 1, 2019. Other provisions.

To see the complete language go to: <http://oregonvotes.org/irr/2018/043text.pdf>

If you don't think IP43 & 44 have traction check out: <https://www.ceasefireoregon.org>, and I would also recommend you at least monitor if not join Oregon Firearms Federation: <http://www.oregonfirearms.org>, OFF is best thing we have going in the State when it comes to defending our 2nd Amendment rights. - Mike

RANGE ROAD – I need to **apologize** and give a rightful **Thanks to Bill Henderson**, who really did the work on the road spreading gravel, but more **IMPORTANTLY** we give a **BTRPC THANK-YOU** to Bills **WIFE** who...as I understand it, let him borrow **HER tractor!** to do the job. Thank you both for making that range road drive a lot more comfortable.

JUNE ELECTIONS – The June meeting is Board member elections. You can submit nominations to any Board member and at the May and June meeting. You must be present at the June meeting to vote.

IT'S BACON SHOOT MONTH! – Don't forget the **BTRPC ANNUAL BACON SHOOT** is **May 20**. The Public is welcome. Bring the Family and Friends, have a bunch of Fun and bring home the **PORK**. \$6 per gun, **9:00 am start**.

SUMMERFEST Raffle - This years gun is a pre-owned, never fired, Savage Model 111 in .300 WIN MAG. It has a synthetic, camo stock and comes with a Bushnell 3x9 scope, bipod, sling and case. Wes (Wesley's Trading Post) picked it up on a good deal and passed it along to us at his cost. **THANKS, Wes**

GOOD NEWS – The club got it's FNRA Grant money this week so the planning and scheduling for the rifle range roof is under way. Stay tuned for work scheduling and volunteer requests.

WAYNE - is still in Portland. He's changed rehab facility's. Last report is he is getting better but there might be another surgery ahead. Keep him in your thoughts and prayers.

RANGE AND EVENT SCHEDULE

- May 3 Lincoln County Parole & Probation
Pistol range closed until 4:00pm.
Contact: John Way or Mike Carey
- 5 Work Party All ranges closed until 3pm.
Contact: John Way or Mike Carey
- 11 Lincoln County Parole & Probation
Pistol range closed until 1:00pm.
Contact: John Way or Mike Carey
- 12 Rimfire Challenge - Public welcome,
9am start. FREE .22 LR Ammo for
Kids! Pistol range closed all day.
Contact: John Way or Mike Carey
- 18 Lincoln County Sheriff's Office
Pistol range closed all day.
Contact: John Way or Mike Carey
- 19 Military Rifle Match Public welcome.
Rifle range closed all day.
Contact: Dave Boyce
- 20 Annual Bacon Shoot! 9am start.
\$6 per gun. Rifle range closed all day.
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