

There should be changes to the original bill. I agree with the proposals of Tax Fairness Oregon. At least 40% of the money should go to counties to use as they see fit. The bill should address the cost and issues of wildfire fighting, give a break to those taking EXCELLENT care of their land and harvesting on long cycles and recognize small forestland owners do not have the economy of scale of big industrial owners. Small forestland owners who take excellent care of their land should be taxed at a lower level than industrial forestry owners.