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I am writing in opposition to HB 4079 introducing a 3% sales tax to the Oregon people. Oregon is the Number five in the high taxation of state residents. A more compassionate thing to do would be to allow Oregonians to keep more of their money. This could be accomplished by reducing small business tax to allow more small businesses to thrive thus reduce the number of low income families by increasing the labor market and making it more competitive. This also would create a lower cost of entry into the market place. You could also reduce the amount of income taxes across all the brackets allowing people to have both more money and possible more time. Often time what people need is more than money, they need time and community to thrive. 4079 doesn't not provide any helping hands, or loving community support. In fact it spreads it thinning now because those who may have helped before can't afford to anymore due to this new tax.

Taxation is Theft