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Please stop taxing us. Oregon is already one of the highest taxed states, and despite that, Portland, the largest city in Oregon, is dangerous and filthy. The money being yielded from current taxes is not being used wisely, and now you want to tax us more? That is insane and greedy. And property taxes should not exist in the first place. It makes a mockery of "the American dream," that people can own their own homes, if the government can just take away people's homes for non-payment of property taxes.

More to the point, if this passes, it will decrease tax revenue, because people will not put up with it and will move away. Here in Portland, I've already seen the exodus of people moving north to Clark County to avoid Portland's high taxes. That exodus will only increase if you continue to impose additional oppressive taxes on the people you represent. Stop it. Leave us alone.