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On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Rules
Measure: HJR201

I just recently found out about HJR 201. I am urging you to vote no on this terrible idea

The leadership of this state is failing the citizens who have been paying higher property taxes than most of the rest of the country. This bill will place a financial burden on everyone in Oregon, including senior citizens, schools, local services, the disability community, low income housing not to mention the local homeless community. Taking property taxes away from local government will paralyze the already fragile economy that rural towns are facing. By taking property taxes from counties and giving it to the state to determine where the money is most needed (limitless) will ultimately require more tax locally on the people.

You were elected by the people of your district because they trusted you to represent our best interests. If this bill passes I believe that we will see a large number of businesses and faithful Oregonians make the heartbreaking choice to relocate to a state who actually care about more things than legalizing drugs (measure 110) and being a sanctuary state for everything under the sun.

This should go before the registered voters in Oregon not decided by a rubber stamp.

A lifelong Oregonian,

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