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On Behalf Of:  
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Committee members,

ODOT does not need more funding, they need to use the funding they were supposed to use already provided in prior years for the original purposes it was assigned to them. They need to be help accountable for poorly managing our roads and transportation infrastructure for the past decade, not enabled to continue being poorly managed by passing yet another burdensome tax on the citizens of Oregon.

Additionally, the stated purpose of this tax is entirely too vague - the language utilized to allow Oregon / ODOT to spend these funds could be for anything even THOUGHT to be related to tires / rubber or the manufacture of. This is NOT how I as a tax payer want to have the money I entrust to the State used. I want MUCH better and tighter accountability on how monies are spent.

Please account for the money for which ODOT failed their audits regarding before asking the Oregon taxpayer to foot yet another bill for an agency that cannot be trusted to do right by us.

Thank you for your consideration