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I most definitely OPPOSE HB 3362!! I OPPOSE taxing our tires!! It cost us \$800 for new tires for our Chrysler Town and Country van, and now you want to add more cost to buying tires? You are already taxing, adding "fees", raising prices. We are 70 years old. We are not made of money, nor do we own an orchard of money trees! And what about farmers who have to run their agricultural equipment? You are already charging them and regulating them out of business. And what about all of the businesses here in Oregon that have fleets of trucks and other equipment that need tires of all sizes? Have you noticed how they need to raise their fees, i.e., utilities like PGE??

And what about the small business owners who need to provide delivery services in town and outside of town to the rural areas?? And speaking of rural areas...there are lots of people who need to drive long distances to get to medical facilities for themselves and many times for their animals, too. And how about ODOT?? The last time I looked, they use tires too. As do all of the emergency services - police, EMT's, search and rescue, Oregon's National Guard, BLM, Forest Service. And I believe you do too???

Quit taxing Oregonians into oblivion!! Quit pushing this attack of taxes(and all the other taxes) on the hard working people and businesses of this state!! We are tired of the Democrats/Liberals of the Oregon Legislature "trying to squeeze blood out of a turnip" as my folks used to say.

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