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I'm against an additional tax that is a direct result of a loss of revenue due to Oregon's short sightedness on its policies. We're at a deficit due to the increased popularity of electric vehicles, which we have already paid for via tax incentives at the state and federal level which the legislature was in a rush to get. You didn't think through the consequences, and here we are with another outstretched hand. I strongly suggest you learn how to start managing a budget and delivering on promised services before claiming poverty. If the problem is electric vehicles, you can charge them an increased fee for registering. We are already paying top of the country taxes on gas, partially to continue to support gas attendants that we don't need. Please understand that it's not that we are adverse to paying our fair share, but we are close to the most taxed population in the country and the only thing we have to show for it is being at the bottom of the country for education and most other basic services. We are sick of new taxes as a population and will continue to vote them down.