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HB 3362 goes against what the voters of Oregon have continued to say each and every time someone tries to add a tax to a sale of goods and services. We have voted NO taxes for years, yet you all keep trying to pass it one one item at a time. This is typical narcissist actions and abuse. We the people are trying to survive, live, and love this state; please stop trying to milk us dry.

By adding a 4% tax or any amount, to the sales of tires will add insult to injury for all of Oregon, many who are barely making ends meet with the increased prices of items. Farmers, shipping companies, construction companies, all their employees and many more are already struggling to pay high tire prices. Adding a tax will definitely add to people keeping old tires on, hoping they last one more month, ignoring safety because they cannot afford the even higher prices that this tax will add.

Most of Oregon will not even benefit from the money taken. Oregon has failed to maintain roads all through the state, other than the big cities and now this bill is again wanting the whole state to pay for something we don't need, use, nor want. Mass transit as listed is of no use for most of Oregon. Let those who live in those areas pay for those items.

Please, if you care about ALL of Oregon, do NOT pass HB 3362.