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I strongly support this bill and what a difference it could make for the Veterans in our state. I am a retired Army Veteran with 30 years of service to our state and nation. I feel that once a veteran has served a full 20+ years and has retired from the military that they have given more than their fair dues to our state. We owe it to them to make this happen. Oregon needs to join the other 35 states in our country that do not tax military retirement pay. I personally know several retired veterans that could really benefit from having the little extra money each month to go toward their living expenses. In closing, please allow HB 2050 to pass and show every veteran in our state how much their service means to the State of Oregon.