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I've served my country in the United States Air Force for almost 22 years and love serving my local community in Oregon. As I near retirement, I have to take into consideration the best financial decision for my family especially when it comes to taxes in retirement. If my retirement pay is taxed that will lead to me and my family to finding a home other than Oregon to make sure i can support them. But, I don't want to have to pick up and move my family because of taxes. I want to be able to continue to give back to my community in Oregon and having a reprieve in taxes in retirement will make sure i can continue to be an integral part of my community. Please consider this bill as an overall net positive to your community as this will incentivize veterans to not only stay in Oregon in retirement but also attract veterans to want to move to Oregon because it's tax benefits.