Submitter:	Sharon Cacka
On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	House Committee On Revenue
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB3940

Please help me understand what the bottle bill has to do with the wildfire defense. When we purchase the drinks we pay a deposit until we return the bottles. Actually this money is not earned. So how can the department of revenue want to tax it. We have already paid a tax for the money used to pay the deposit for the bottles. Oregon is a sanctuary state so why are the people who live in this state not treated as such. The people who live in this state support the state. The people who run the state are always looking for that extra dollar to make ends meet any why they can. What would the cost to hire a work force to clean up the bottles in the landscape. As it was before the bottle bill. The bottle bill is working. Leave it alone.

Oregon politicians needs to learn that working within it's means is our new way of life. Tax payers need to live within these means as we are learning all too well. There is only so much money. This is nothing more than robbing Peter to pay Paul. Just leave the bottle bill alone. The state is sending money to change things. Try putting the money you spent for the change to the wildfire defense. It would of been far more profitable.