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We need ODOT to be accountable for their budgets & spending. So many people are on fixed incomes & CANNOT afford these proposed tax increases. We are a small business with less than 30 employees & some of them live paycheck to paycheck & here you want them to spend more on taxes that in some way do not even apply to them. As a small business, payroll taxes, increase unemployment taxes, increased transit taxes (which we do not use in our area), increased property taxes each year, increased spending for licensing fees & truck insurance, plus company business insurance. I could keep going, but think you get my complaint. We are so tired of paying taxes left & right, due to the increase tax expenditures of our Democrat party. You need to think of our fixed income people, rural area people. We have to work on budgets, our government should work on budgets also & trim your work force to be more accountable.