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Joint Committee On Transportation Reinvestment

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2025

Dear Legislature,

I am a Beaverton, OR homeowner and I am writing to express my opposition to bill HB 2025. We already have higher than the national average gas taxes here in Oregon. Please do not place anymore financial stress and hardship on tax-paying Oregon citizens. Also, increasing registration fees and taxes on car purchases would also be an unnecessary burden on us all. We are at a turning point which will benefit the overall economy once the current bill passes in the Senate. Certainly give that a chance to increase revenue all across the board. We need to have a non-political economic expert audit state spending to make it more efficient. Let's not continue to drive middle class and lower class earners out of our beautiful state due to exorbitant cost-of-living. Let us use our critical thinking skills and be open to all solutions. Thank you.