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Transportation taxes

Why tax Oregonians out of Oregon or out of their homes? You can justify it any way you want with needs, but the elderly are on fixed incomes and you are going to force them to lose their home with taxes. Many disabled veterans are also on fixed incomes and cannot afford to be taxed this much. Oregon has been so quick to tax, but where is all the money going that you already have from all of the other tax increases that were necessary at that time? It is unfortunate to have to live in this state under these conditions. Yes, roads need work and bridges need work. Tighten the purse strings like everyone has to and use the money you have more wisely. It feels as though you are all out of touch with regular folks....we want you to do better. No more taxes! Budget appropriately with what you have already taken from us. Stop taxing us out of our homes! Give disabled veterans tax exemption on property taxes so they can keep their homes. Let seniors keep their homes without fear of losing it because taxes are too high as well as cost of living in Oregon. Fuel prices are so much lower in many other states, but instead of ours lowering, you will raise it more? Please do better for your fellow Oregonians. We must all live here and should not have our money be taken and used frivolously by out of touch politicians. Please no more taxes. Kill this Bill!!!!