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I oppose Bill 2025, we have so many things going on in Oregon. That already is taking money from the people pocket and putting it into politicians, new whim, when are the citizens gonna stop getting taxed for politicians crazy ideas? When are we gonna have programs for the people that really need it like the homeless that need drug treatment? Why don't we have the two state hospitals open with the money we received with that house people for inpatient treatment drug treatment? Instead of these frivolous taxes because our government doesn't know how to actually budget and spends money as like we have it to spend! Look at the \$300,000 that the governor's wife spent without the taxpayers knowing to build an extra office just for her on the capital? Why are we taxing the people if we have that much money to do that? Why don't we try not making the state in the top five of these categories listed below first, because that would really help the people in the state of Oregon not the politicians!

We are #1 per capita for sex offenders in the United States, also #1 in Illegal drug usage with highest Overdose Rate in the country.

We are the #4 on the highest income tax revenue in the United States, we are # 4 homeless per capita in the United States, we are #5 for welfare dependency per capita in the United States. So if you get all homeless, poor and illegal immigrants, to outnumber the workers then you would have a socialist state, where everybody that works, would pay for everybody else's life and guess what Oregon is very close to that! Please do not approve HB 2025 until we take Oregon out of these top 5 down falls! Oregon was the most beautiful state when I moved here 40 years ago, now it's just California.