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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation Reinvestment

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2025

Dear members of the Joint Committee On Transportation Reinvestment:

I would like you to please consider the extreme financial burden you are placing on hard-working Oregonians and retirees with the extreme raises in gas taxes, vehicle registration fees, new and used car sales, license plate fees etc. etc. These are UNTENABLE! Oregon is already near the top with our gas prices, and this increase will just add more misery at the gas pump! Many people do not have the option to take mass transit to their places of employment, and are dependent on their automobiles to get to/from work. These huge price increases will make it even harder on low wage earners to even get to their minimum wage jobs. The same goes for seniors with fixed incomes. With the high cost of living, this will be the final straw for many who will be forced to give up their vehicles that they can no longer afford to drive to the grocery store, doctor's office, post office etc. As a recently retired senior, I strongly OPPOSE this bill!

Respectfully, Nadine Kincaid