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On Behalf Of: Attack on
Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation Reinvestment
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2025

As a many generational farming family in the valley, this village needs to be opposed, destroyed, fought-down, terminated and unless this happens, we, the farmers and a great livelihood financial provider to the Oregon economy, will NO LONGER BE FINANCIALLY ABLE TO CONTINUE OUR HERITAGE. As a grass seed farmer (which Oregon's Willamette Valley is known as the "Grass Seed Capitol of the World") our profit margins continue to be grossly affected by each and every additional tax that Oregon legislature adds. Cat tax and now additional gas taxes. Where will it end except in a bankruptcy of the smaller Oregon business = NO~NO-NO to any additional taxes. Our profit margins are decreasing so much because of low costs for commodities vs all the additional escalating expenses that we have been strapped with in the last few years, that farming in Oregon could become extinct except for large corporate farms. SAVE THE TRUE BACKBONE OF OREGON FARMERS - vote NO on HB2025??