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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation Reinvestment

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2025

I, Sherri Parker, a 50+ 4th generation grass seed farmer in the Willamette Valley (known as the grass seed capitol of the world) do hereby oppose HB2025. We as farmers are continually being assessed new expenses (cat tax, this newly proposed taxes on fuels and registrations) and almost every cost increase that a business has to incur to continue doing business. However, many of those like myself are about to the point of loss instead of profit as smaller companies that continue to have to absorb all these additional costs. I see the future of one of the backbones of Oregon, the FARMER, going bankrupt ~ please vote NO on another tax that has not been processed with enough scrutiny to make a solid argument that these funds are necessary and will be productively spent with a positive outcome that outways the consequences of losing our farmers.