NO ON HB 2025

OREGONIANS CANNOT AFFORD IT!!

I do not have the time to list all the reasons why HB 2025 is bad for Oregonians.

Mostly it is because how Democrats have been running Oregon for years and years.

Dems lay awake nights thinking of ways to give money away and also to increase revenue. Just one example is that for years Dems thought of every financial incentive possible to get Oregonians to purchase Electric and Hybrid Autos. Those methods catered to the affluent because normal Oregonians can't afford them. Well, the Dems got their wish and now Gas tax revenue hasn't kept pace with highway costs. Highway 211 thru Molalla has been a disaster for years just to name an example. So now you've come up with over a dozen more ways to generate more revenue. In 2024 I purchased my first new pickup in 25 years to help on my little farm here in Beavercreek. I was shocked when I went to close on the deal, only to find out I had grossly underestimated the costs of the taxes, registration and licensing fees compared to previous purchases.

Oregonians cannot afford new taxes and shouldn't be expected to bale out government. The public can't create a ballot initiative that pertains to more than one issue at a time, but you folks can lump 15 or 20 new taxes/issues into a bill and think nothing of it, especially how it will affect Oregon tax payers.

I urge you to vote no on HB 2025!

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