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I am writing to oppose HB 2025, there needs to be accountability within the States budget. Constantly taxing hard working people is not the answer. I love this State, it's beautiful but I am feeling choked by constant taxing and rising prices. I also work in the trucking industry, we have been overtaxed for years with no changes to the infrastructure as promised. I noticed in the bill there will be a large increase in vehicle tax as well as increased price in a CDL. There already is a driving shortage in this state, lets not make it even more impossible to get drivers. The trucking industry is the backbone and timber is a huge commodity in Oregon, stop making it nearly impossible to maintain a company that employs multiple families. We have to budget our income and expenses and if we don't we fail, the state just keeps taking and taking with no accountability and eventually it will fail!