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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation Reinvestment

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2025

Subject: Opposition to Proposed Transportation Tax and Fee Increases

Dear Members of the Oregon Legislature,

I am writing to express my strong opposition to the proposed increases in gas tax, title fees, registration, and car sales tax currently being fast-tracked through the legislature. These steep hikes—including a 30% increase in the gas tax, a 305% increase in title fees, a 74% increase in registration, and a 350% increase in the car sales tax—will hit working families the hardest at a time when many Oregonians are already struggling to pay their bills.

Raising these taxes and fees will not only make it more difficult for residents to afford basic transportation, but it will also drive up the cost of goods produced in Oregon, making them less competitive and harder to sell. This will further strain our local economies and small businesses, compounding the financial pressure on families and communities across the state. I urge you to reconsider these increases and seek more equitable solutions that do not disproportionately burden those who can least afford it.

Sincerely,
Tamera Campbell