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You have GOT to be kidding me.

You already bleed the working residents of the state via a payroll tax that almost exclusively benefits Portland, now you propose to TRIPLE that tax? And you expect us to believe this is what Oregon needs?

Just this morning I've spent hours online attempting a routine transaction on the Oregon DMV website, nothing is working and I'm at a complete standstill until the website finally gets around to sending me a verification code to log in. Full disclosure, I did receive one verification code, over a half-hour after my session on the website had timed out. During the same time I was able to respond to a jury summons (obviously another Oregon government website) without any hitch.

We already spend way too much on "transportation" in Oregon and get too little in return. What Oregon needs instead of more of our money is something akin to DOGE in the state. The amount of "waste, fraud and abuse" in the Oregon government "system" would no doubt be staggering.

Oregon government received more money from taxpayers this year than EVER before, when is enough going to be enough?

Ram this through and "we the people" will move heaven and earth to put it on the ballot so we can shut it down. Trust me when I say we'll also make a note of those who voted to ram this boondoggle through, and we'll be waiting for an opportunity to express our displeasure the next time we vote.