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Democrats in the legislature once again are missing opportunities to look seriously at spending and seriously look to reduce spending for programs that do not directly improve the lives and support of all Oregonians. We have become one of the most expensive and difficult states in the union because of too many years of tax and fee increases. We have relied too long on Federal subsidies that are now decreasing and will put additional burden on Oregonians. Now you want to add to our burden with HB 2025. Where is your fiscal responsibility to look at spending cuts that make sense? As a native Oregonian, I have seen the result of 25 years of Democratic leadership that has failed to increase our ability to attract new business growth resulting in lost revenue to the state and will once again put the burden of supporting government initiatives on the back of Oregonians. Stop this nonsense and come to your senses on how to better fund ODOT!