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I am a Senior, a Disabled Veteran and a Retired Registered Nurse. These exorbitant tax increases will decimate my families budget and at this time in our lives we do not have the ability to create more income to offset these increases. The mismanagement of funds by this administration is causing many Oregonians to consider leaving this beautiful State. The fact that so much of this attempt to increase our taxes was done without the input or desires of your constituents is shameful. We should have an open and transparent government that serves its constituents and instead it seems we have a few people who run the government and make decisions that will negatively impact the majority of Oregonians. I am a City Councilor and our little city finds ways to work within our budget and when tough decisions need to be made we engage our citizens for their input and listen to them. Sad that a small City understands who we work for when Salem does not seem to understand nor care. Shame Shame