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Many Oregon congresspersons ran on the ticket of reducing costs for Oregon citizens and/or making life more affordable for the citizens of Oregon. HB 2034 is a slap in the face to affordability for Oregon citizens. By raising vehicle license fees and gas taxes, many low to medium income Oregon citizens will find themselves struggling between putting food on the table and putting gas in their car to get to work. Raising the cost of living is not a sustainable path forward. Also, giving unchecked power and authority to ODOT through the use of money in a general fund is an egregious oversight on many levels that has the ability to breed corruption.