

Submitter:

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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

House Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

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I oppose this measure. There is no specific description or projects for this new revenue. It just directs this revenue to ODOT for general fund use. It raises the gas tax, vehicle registration, and vehicle title fees to give to ODOT with no accountability for usage of the collected money. Our taxes are already high enough. It also gives the governor authority to appoint a director over ODOT (with Senate confirmation). I do not think this is a good idea. Instead of raising taxes, we should be slimming down government and reducing non-vital government spending. Thank you.