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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Special Committee On Referendum Petition
2026-302

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1599

SB1599 should not exist and the bill sponsor has admitted it's purely political. Democrats forced a tax on Oregonians who strongly opposed it. The Governor then played politics delaying the bill signing hoping petitioners would fail. Well 250,000 Oregonians quickly signed petitions for a November elections. What did Democrats do, introduced a bill to move it to May. Everything about this is wrong which is why Oregonians dislike the legislature and the Oregon Governor is about the worst in the nation. If Democrats ignore voters and continue partisan politics and move the election I believe you will see a court injunction. The petition said November, and the Secretary of State certified it. Kill this bill.