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I OPPOSE SJR 201.

This is Kicker theft. The need to allocate more school funds could be resolved by just complying with federal education requirements - eliminate DEI programs. This can be done without stealing Oregonian's kicker. The open rebellion to the Federal government is costing Oregon taxpayers as legislators try to make up that loss. We are sinking more and more into socialism and the costs of being a sanctuary state is breaking every business and taxpayer in this State..

Taxpayers are objecting to Oregon's DEI, Illegal Alien, transgender and sanctuary policies. This nation is changing and Oregon is lagging behind because of legislators continuing to bring forth such losing policies, this is clearly evident by people and businesses leaving the state. Have you not noticed that?

Besides that, Oregon is the sixth biggest spending state in the nation per-capita. In reality, Oregon has more than enough money to solve it's problems than over 40 other states. Yet, here we are. Legislators in Oregon continue to raise taxes and fees while claiming the state is broke. In 2020 voters passed Measure 86 with 62% approval to put the Kicker into the State Constitution.

It is your place to honor voters wishes. You are supposed to be representing the people of this state. With over 250,000 people signing the referendum, you are obviously NOT listening. It's time to vote out anyone who desires to continue to steal from taxpayers!