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On Behalf Of:
Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SJR201

I write today in strong opposition to SJR 201 and any proposal that would allow the State of Oregon to retain tax revenues that, under our Constitution, belong to the people. The Oregon “kicker” is a constitutional protection approved by voters that requires surplus revenue to be returned to taxpayers.

This is not government money. This is taxpayer money. In a state that has some of the highest taxes in the nation I would ask you to live within your means without stealing from Oregon taxpayers.