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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SJR201

To the Committee:

Oregon doesn't have a revenue problem; it has a spending problem. The State is swimming in revenues. Oregonians, however, are not. Every legislative session, the ruling party trots out another proposal to steal our Kicker. If you really want to free up some funds, stop paying for addicts' free needles and other paraphernalia, and stop paying for healthcare for illegal aliens. My wife is forced to pay over \$1,000/month for her health insurance, after all, but citizens come last, don't they. (Oregon is projected to spend about \$1.5 billion on health care for immigrants—regardless of legal status—during the 2025-2027 budget period. This amount exceeds the budget for the Oregon State Police by over \$500 million.)

Please do not support SJR 201!

Sincerely,

William Burt