Please consider:

The State has a surplus of \$1.5 Billion and it is scheduled to be returned as a Kicker. Suspending these payments will provide resources to help every Oregonian. The Houseless and the soon to be houseless due to job loss need our help. Mt wife has been unemployed for 10 months and her benefits ran out months ago., She does not have a job to lose, so we continue to struggle. I had to retire due to health issues and out current income is 1/5th of last year. Plus we have a 300% increase in healthcare costs that eat up 50% of four current income.

We need your leadership. We need everyone to put aside past differences and join together for the people of Oregon. Don't play politics. We are scared and need clear messages and support coming out of Salem. I assume you all ran for office to help, so now is the time to step up and take care of business. Thank you

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