

**REVENUE: No revenue impact**

**FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued**

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**Action:** Do Pass  
**Vote:** 6 - 0 - 0  
**Yeas:** Atkinson, Burdick, Edwards, Girod, Starr, Beyer  
**Nays:** 0  
**Exc.:** 0  
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**Meeting Dates:** 5/2

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Provides the Oregon Department of Transportation with rule-making authority to electronically accept fuel taxes.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Volume of paper used in current collection system
- Ability of individuals to chose not to submit electronically
- Request from industry for the system to modernize

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** The Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) currently receives fuel tax payments from licensed motor vehicle fuel distributors. Currently the tax collection system relies on paper tax reports issued to ODOT. House Bill 2136 allows the tax reports to be filed electronically to ensure distributor compliance.

The Attorney General advised that the statutory language would need to be amended for electronic filing to be implemented.