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I just need to say, that this legislature seems to be going around the people of Oregon's will to have a vote in all new taxes, by making so many bills an emergency, so we don't get a say. Oregon is already in the top 10 for taxes and top 5 for sending and new laws for spending are being imposed, with more new taxes and fees imposed to pay for that spending. I can tell you I won't vote for any legislator that votes to impose any of these new bills without giving the people of Oregon their right to a voice! Please be a part of the solution rather than adding to the problem. I see mass exits with all these Oregon taxes, like what is happening in New York, Oregon is heading for severe financial problems. Please do not take our kicker!