Hello,

I just found out that Salem is considering this bill on Monday April 1st. I hope this is an April fool's joke! If not, it should be!! Here is what a blogger posted:

" four people elected to a Special Bridge District, plus an ODOT representative, would get to increase the taxes of everybody in Marion, Polk, Linn, and Yamhill counties -- without the people in those counties getting to vote on whether they wanted to pay for whatever new bridge those five people dreamed up. Or, whether they'd ever use the bridge."

I do use both existing bridges, but I also pay property taxes through my five rentals. How can you live with yourselves by not having a vote on this???!!!! My taxes are already high enough in Marion County due to the police bond and the school bond. My renters are low income and they would be severely impacted.

Please for goodness sake, at least put this thing before the VOTERS!!!

Thank you,

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