

Hello, I'm writing to ask you to please dispose of this atrocious bill. It will increase costs most for those who are already just barely getting by. It asks the rural areas to once again pay a tax that doesn't benefit them in any way. Just like the transit tax we pay and get nothing out of. In reality this tax benefits no one. There was an alternate plan submitted that has the same minimal effect on our already better than most environment, and doesn't raise taxes. My family can't afford more money to go to our utilities and fuel. We certainly can't wait until the next year's tax return for a rebate that in all honesty you won't give anyway. County commissioners all over Oregon have written in opposition so there is no way you can pass this with a clear conscience. You will end up killing people if this passes, perhaps that's the real goal, only you can say. Families who have lived in Oregon for generations will be forced out in poverty. Please for the sake of my children don't make us leave our home. Since this directly correlates to if we get to stay in Oregon my children have all been informed on what is happening and why. They don't understand why our own government so openly hates us and doesn't have to follow their own laws, since the emergency clause can't be used to raise taxes. They asked that I pass along there thoughts, my 12 year old says, "don't they know we need farms to grow food?" My 6 year old says, "maybe if we show them we're good people, they'll be good people too!" Please be good people, vote no on HB4167. Thank you.

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