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HB 4079 is creating an unnecessary tax for hard working Oregonians.

Once again, it's a "give away" / "feel good" proposal for people who do not want to work. Why does the Oregon Legislature feel it is necessary to give something to people who are not willing to be gainfully employed? Nearly every business in Oregon has "Help Wanted" signs or "Now Hiring" banners posted in their businesses. If these unemployed people want additional benefits/monies, then they should go to work like the majority of people in Oregon who are trying to get ahead financially.

This proposal is nothing more than a "give away" program at the expense of the taxpaying citizens of Oregon!! Oregon and the USA already provide enough benefits for people who choose not to work.

Do not pass this proposed legislation behind closed doors in a short session. Put it on the ballot and let Oregonians decided if they want to pay for another "give away" program.

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