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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure: SB774

I am writing to voice my opposition to SB 774. The bill is misguided and hostile to the most vulnerable of Oregon residents. Oregon families and BIPOC residents are suffering having just faced a global pandemic and facing record inflation, rising crime, housing shortages, and a tough economy. At a time when state leaders should be looking to ease the burden on families and residents, they choose to attempt to take away a sliver of economic breathing room. For too long working class people have been forced to make due with a tighter budget rather than see their situation see any significant improvement. Any surplus of taxpayer money should rightfully be returned to the taxpayer rather than be used by the state with little to no say from the taxpayer. I urge our state leaders to oppose this bill.