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The FED is about to raise interest rates again to try and slow inflation. Housing supply is constrained, the Governor is asking for 36,000 new homes each year to be built, and inflation remains out of control. This FED rate hike will further price out Oregonians from housing, cause investment in multi-family housing to be more expensive, and now SB 803 wants to further restrict our economy by impacting all of our trucking, logging, and agriculture that relies on Diesel?

Regardless of your beliefs around climate and carbon, now is not the time to further increase the cost of transporting goods and services. Now is not the time to increase the costs to loggers. Now is not the time to increase the cost of farming, food production, and delivery.

This bill will increase the cost of energy without doing anything measurable to improve the environment.