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Population reports still are not showing an increase that would support another mode of transportation in the northern valley. In 2022 TriMet struggled with driver shortage. This seems to be more about infrastructure in preparation for 15-minute cities and banning fuel vehicles. What is a new train going to be fueled with? The only thing that will make another train viable is to take away the freedom of driving.