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I am about to turn 79 next week. I've worked most of my life. First, as a kid to buy school clothes, then to raise a family, and then to retire at the Oregon coast. My wife and I are not rich, we just want to live comfortably on our savings and social security. Yet our government is making that more and more difficult.

Oregon keeps coming up with more and more ways to tax us and cutting into our savings. And, now I understand that they want to add a state property tax. Oregon already has some of the highest property taxes in the country.

Add the high Oregon taxes, the federal government's plans to cut social security and the high costs food and fuel, it is making it very to live here.