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This new bill cannot be allowed. It is easy for you to keep passing legislation thinking that it only has a small affect, but adding these items up is absolutely killing the people of this state. You have okayed consecutive increases in our utility bills. Our homeowners insurance includes eases tremendously every year and you do nothing about it, so we are just held hostage. You increase business taxes saying it is taxing those with means. No, it just trickles down and we pay for it through increased prices. You refuse to allow toll roads only because the most populated ones are in the heavily populated areas where you get your votes to remain in office from. We are not stupid. You are there to represent Oregonians. Well, you're representing us right into poverty! When is enough enough?? We already have a ridiculously high cost of living here. You keep placing straws upon the camel's back, not knowing nor caring that the camel will soon be crippled. This has been turned down before. Why is it coming back up? Will you keep asking over and over like spoiled toddlers attempting to wear down their parents? Enough already! The people can't take anymore! Show a tiny semblance of mercy on we whom you are supposed to be looking out for. So far, you having our backs is like asking a known terrorist to have our backs. I don't mean to sound so hostile. It's just that we the people are at our breaking points, and just can't haul the load any longer.