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The proposed. Funding seems almost ludicrous. Not only does it put a burden on every taxpayer in multiple ways. Increasing the cost of going to work increasing the tax paid at work. But then it allows the Department of Transportation to raise their own taxes without any legislature oversight. Is this not taxation without representation. This is exactly what our founding fathers don't the Constitution to keep from happening. That is why we have a legislative body. The governor's proposal not only seems unconstitutional. It also puts a hardship on every working person in Oregon. It seems like you're giving the Department of Transportation such a free right to do whatever they want. I think would be much better to audit them tighten up their purse strings a little and see exactly where improvements can be made I would be much more inclined to see about new taxes with greater oversight on where the money is going.