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In this day and age with taxes and fees that Oregon keeps implementing for homeless, social services, etc. you are again asking for more money from the Oregon taxpayer! This is outrageous! We are taxed out and you continue to keep asking for more money every chance you get! Paint tax, new car/used car sales tax....a tax or fee for everything these days. We are done giving you money. Use what we already give in gas taxes and registration fees to fix roads, run ODOT and lay people off that are not needed. The admin side of things is obviously top heavy and you can run leaner if you're forced to. We have been forced to go without because our money only goes so far each month and the state of Oregon needs to learn to do the same! I like so many Oregonians are telling our elected officials to oppose this latest ask for money from the Governor! We need a governor who was born and raised in Oregon not a transplant from somewhere else. Get back to managing the money you are given by the taxpayers for things like Roads, law enforcement, etc. we are tired of it being given to social programs and homeless services that eat up the money in admin costs that never really reach the homeless, mentally ill, etc! I oppose this latest transportation package presented by Tina Kotek! Vote No and save Oregon's pocketbook!