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To whom it may concern,

Raising taxes on this issue is not the answer to an inflated and unaccountable agency. Groceries and fuel prices are already through the roof and we are lucky to see 2/3rds of our little paychecks as it is. A 2/3rds that doesn't go near as far as it use to. I strongly oppose any tax increase or transferring any tax decision making to a government that can't control their own spending. Hold ODOT accountable for the costly mistakes that have put them in this position. I am held accountable for all my spending why shouldn't the government be? No more taxes, PERIOD! Respectfully,

**Lonnie Dickens**