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I am writing to express my extreme displeasure regarding the new proposed tax and fee increases being proposed by the Governor. Oregon is rapidly becoming the laughingstock of the nation by raising fees and taxes unnecessarily for a temporary shortfall that can be covered by emergency funds. These increases will hurt our family financially and there needs to be a lot more transparency and responsible budgeting before raising our taxes and fees indiscriminately. ODOT should refocus its spending and prioritize keeping Oregonians safe on the road. Please consider alternatives that don't financially punish Oregonians.

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