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NO NEW TAXES! Oregonians are struggling with loss of jobs due to companies leaving the state, homeless sucking up resources meant for others and illegals getting benefits meant for Oregonians. ODOT has enough money and reports they need to manage it better. 25 million sitting there for DEI. Please tell me why 25 million dollars is needed for an illegal practice? The idea that ODOT would have the ability to raise a gas tax without accountability is beyond belief and relieves the current majority of accountability. How would Oregonians know what and where that money is going? As with all agencies in the state, there is no audits, no accountability and no idea where and how our tax dollars are being spent. Oregonians cannot afford another tax. Drop this, do your jobs and use the money that is already budgeted effectively. It did not go unnoticed that 2 150,000 dollar a year management positions wer posted while the Gov was threatening to fire current workers. This is nothing but a money grab scam. Do your jobs. Try and spend what you have effectively instead of taking the lazy way out and grab more out of the pockets of struggling Oregonians. Vote NO on this tax