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Every time I put gas in my car I am continually astounded that we are paying 40¢ more per gallon via the sticker posted on the gas pump for Oregon taxes, and now I hear that the state is in session to increase it yet again?

My father in law has worked for odot for many years and what he has seen happen is a layoff of the actual workers that go out and maintain the roads, while the top, executives, that work in their offices that are being paid the most are fine. From our perspective, the layoff of the bottom of the workforce was intentional so that us hard working Oregonians will be more likely to accept yet another unnecessary tax hike.

I DO NOT support this increase, please find another way within the current system to allocate existing funds more appropriately.