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OPPOSED to expansion of tax/fee schedule at this time. An audit, and reprioritization of budget needs to address specifically maintenance of existing roadways only at this time.

Expansion of taxes / and fees referencing ODOT, in the name of ODOT, but it has been reported that ONLY 40% OF THESE MONIES ARE SLATED FOR ODOT budget.

This is absolutely unacceptable abuse, and worst of all, Oregon's most needy will suffer THE MOST from these proposed taxes and fees, the working poor, who already struggle to maintain transportation for their families. It is absolutely shameful to consider these increases while our economy is struggling, and working Oregonians are already struggling, with unaffordable housing and costs of living, ESPECIALLY considering OUR legislature has done NOTHING to ensure that our money is being used wisely and CAREFULLY.

THANK YOU FOR YOU ATTENTION TO THIS MATTER.