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This is something that should go to the voters! An increase now, when so many are still trying to recover, would be devastating. Oregon is one of the worst for economic stability and stands to get worse because of the fight with the Trump Administration.

Our public schools are some of the worst in regard to cost and quality of education provided. Our DMV is bad because of policy not budget. Our socialized medical services have seen cost increase while quality of service erodes. Our public lands are being gated off because of the failure to prosecute the people who dump trash. Crime and homelessness is escalating because of a failure to deal with mental health while being soft on crime/criminals.

Throwing more money at the problem will do nothing to improve anything, Before punishing Oregon taxpayers it would be best to look at restructuring the agencies and ridding them of wasteful practices. It is the feedback of everyone in my circle, who hears about this gross abuse of power, that any representative voting for this needs to be replaced - regardless of party.