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We live in South Lane County. The roads are mostly in terrible shape despite more and more taxes until people can barely pay them. Raising taxes is not the answer to the problem of misguided priorities. We do not benefit from fancy mass transit. Out here we will need to get there in our own car, but we feel we already pay enough to get the ditches mowed and the potholes fixed, but they don't even do that.

Perhaps an alternative fee could be levied on tourists traveling through from other states, using our roads toll-free. Or ODOT could plan a budget and make what they have work for basic needs.