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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Interim Committee On Transportation  
Funding

Measure, Appointment or  
Topic: LC 2

Testimony on LC 2 – Opposition

Co-Chairs and Members of the Committee,

My name is Quinn Davis, and I am a member of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce through Beaverton Chamber. I am writing to express my opposition to LC 2.

While I support the need for reliable funding of Oregon's transportation system, I am concerned that LC 2 relies on increasing Oregon's already high personal income tax rate. At 9.45%, Oregon workers are already among the most heavily taxed in the nation, and adding another one-tenth of a percent places an even greater burden on working families and small businesses.

I respectfully urge the committee to consider alternative funding mechanisms that do not continue to raise personal income taxes. Sustainable transportation funding is important, but it should not come at the expense of further reducing Oregonians' take-home pay.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Quinn Davis

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