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I totally OPPOSE this Transportation funding bill. Oregon residents are currently under economic stress due to the constantly increasing cost of living. Oregon is already one of the most expensive States to live in. Retired Oregonians on a fixed income cannot compensate for Tina Kotek's mad spending spree. Increases in registration and title fees and MORE gas taxes are not expenses that can be afforded. Increased payroll taxes will be an additional burden on employed Oregonians. The department of transportation needs to focus on safe efficient roads and highways. The department of transportation should not be spending taxpayer money on pet projects of our liberal Governor like bike trails and rapid transit.