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Over several months much information has been discussed by the legislature about Oregon's failing transportation department.

Unaccounted for dollars, unfinished funded projects, controversy everywhere. Very few direct accountability from real non partisan auditing. We really have no idea who got the money.

Transportation is just one of many giant failures and demonstration of extremely poor management.

My solution is to adopt the Republican plan. Maintain infrastructure and not raise taxes.

There is NO WORTHY DEPARTMENT financially stable to enlarge spending without more failures.

I suggest a revision of the department dividing it into regions with regional work plans. Citizens and legislature involvement in those regions. No unqualified persons on any committees. Business and community leaders.

Incompetence cannot be rewarded. And financial statistics of Oregon right now is very poor. Citizens cannot afford more taxes..many more are about to lose jobs Democrats management drove out of Oregon. We need decreased costs and a new Governor with management skills.

Thank you  
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