

I implore you, our elected officials, to be an example to the entire United States of America. Work together. Solve problems without more taxes. No more excuses or stories to justify additional spending by the State of Oregon. When someone is in debt, spending habits must be changed. Spending more money without paying off

major debt, such as the unfunded liabilities of the state's retirement plan, only leads to more and more problems. At some point, the spending must be STOPPED! There have been creative solutions proposed by the minority party, only to be dismissed in favor of hurting your constituents. Stop the games, work together, cut spending, and fix the problems perpetuated year after year by the legislature, both present and past.

Respectfully,
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