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No New Road Tax-We already have some of the highest gas prices in the United States. Oregon doesn't manage the tax revenue apportioned to roads as it is. The gas tax doesn't tax fairly everyone who uses the roads. The electric cars use the roads just as much and they would be exempt from this tax. Along with the homeless population who doesn't contribute to anything but yet we continue to make them bike lanes. Congestion is getting worse and worse and Oregon's solution is less lane and more bike lanes. Why should I pay more in taxes for "roads" when Oregon doesn't manage what they have now and has no plans on improving our roads and traveling congestion. The gas tax will it lower to middle class families the most. NO NEW ROAD TAX. And NO MORE PAYROLL TAX. As a small business owner the amount of "extra" taxes we have to pay as either an employee or employer or both is outrageous.