Submitter: Paulette Wittwer

On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Interim Committee On Transportation

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Dear Joint, Interim Committee on Transportation Funding,

I support the proposed adjusted Transportation Package. Our state gas tax revenue has declined and our state transportation budget is not covering even the essential cost of road and bridge maintenance; we must consider alternative ways to cover costs. The original 2025 package has been negotiated and reduced in scope and cost. I'm disappointed that there's not more in the package to address carbon reduction, but there are times when we must give a little. It's time to step up, resolve and fund Oregon's basic transportation costs.

Sincerely, Paulette Wittwer