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LC 2

I am opposed to LC 2, the proposed "road tax."

Oregonians are already carrying the load with payroll taxes, gas taxes, and in my case, higher electric vehicle registration fees. Now we're being asked to pay more without any guarantee that those dollars will actually fix the roads, highways, and freight routes we depend on.

I do not have extra money to keep throwing at broken systems. Like many Oregonians, I work hard, juggle responsibilities, and already do my part triple time. Adding new taxes doesn't just hit my wallet—it makes it harder to hold things together for my family and community.

If the state truly needs more revenue, there should be accountability first: show us where the current money is going, fix the mismanagement, and make sure funds are directed to road maintenance before raising taxes again.

I urge legislators to oppose LC 2 and to focus instead on transparency, accountability, and fair solutions that don't punish working Oregonians.

Respectfully, Tim Evans – Beaverton