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To The People Who Work for Oregon Citizens -

I find it extremely irresponsible for you to push the funding of ODOT onto the people of this State through increased DMV fees, higher gas prices and higher income taxes. The State of Oregon has an abundance of money/funds that can be used to fund ODOT. Why are executives and higher ups not taking a pay cut? I am a single mother of two kids, already living in one of the most expensive areas in the State. I do not receive child support, SNAP or OHP. I am doing this all on my own working two jobs. I scrap together what is needed every month for us to survive and now you are considering taxing my paychecks more? ODOT needs to have checks and balances and needs to answer for the funds they have already wasted. If I have to spend each month trying to figure out where the money is going to come from to pay next months bills, then ODOT definitely can too!

Stop taking from the people! Figure out how to make what you have work, just like we do!

Thank you for your time,  
Jennie Steward