

Submitter: Roger Payne

On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3362

Dear Legislators:

I strongly oppose HB 3362, the tire tax bill. This proposal will impose an unfair tax on every tire purchased, but the funds will not go toward repair of Oregon's roads or bridges. Instead, they will be diverted to fund mass transit and environmental programs, which do nothing to address our immediate infrastructure needs. Many Oregon roads are in need of repair, and we cannot afford to divert funds away from maintaining and improving our highways. I urge you to reject HB 3362 and focus instead on both short and long-term solutions to fix our roads.

Thank you for your time!

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