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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Special Session Committee On Transportation  
Funding

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3991

I am submitting testimony in opposition of HB 3991, which in reality is resubmission of testimony of the special session for the Governor's transportation bill. This bill lacks transparency and accountability for the administration/monitoring of previously funded budgets for ODOT and promises to Oregonians for safe roads/transportation in our beautiful state. This bill accomplishes nothing for employees of ODOT nor maintenance of Oregon's roads for longevity. More money and taxes is not the answer. Alternatives that will address and unveil core issues in the State's stewardship and administration of Oregonian's tax revenue have been presented. I adamantly request these alternatives be the direction Oregon lawmakers move or I, a 4th generation Oregonian, will be forced to move out of this state; taking my retirement savings and income with me. Vote no on HB 3991!