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As a resident of Newberg, I'm writing to express my deep frustration with the ongoing push for higher taxes in Oregon. I understand that many in leadership may not be inclined to listen to voices like mine, but I believe it's important to speak up regardless.

Oregon does not have a revenue problem—it has a spending problem. I strongly oppose any new taxes, including the proposed gas tax hike and increased fees. These measures punish working families while the state continues to fund programs that do not reflect the priorities of many Oregonians.

It's time to cut spending, stop allocating resources to programs like DEI and services for undocumented immigrants, and start investing in the core functions of government—public safety, infrastructure, and fiscal responsibility. The inability to balance the budget should not be used as an excuse to raise taxes yet again.

I urge you to stand firm against these proposals and fight for responsible governance.