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NO TAX INCREASE!

ODOT is a bloated wasteful department that has lost sight of its primary mission which is ROADS FOR CARS AND TRUCKS.

Instead they waste money on totally useless things saving the climate while china builds TWO coal plants per week! And Oregon's former chief climatologist testified that Oregon's CO2 programs will HAVE NO EFFECT ON WORLD TEMPERATURE unless other countries follow our lead:

In this video clip from his Oregon Legislature testimony Phil Mote, former state Climatologist, admits that Oregon's climate plan will have an undetectable change in climate unless other countries follow us.

The video is a clip from the Joint Interim committee On Carbon Reduction 2018-05-22 at 47:34 into the video.

[Youtube.com/watch?v=dHfez5B\\_mU8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dHfez5B_mU8)

ODOT wastes money planning high speed rail which will never compete with air travel for cost or time. ALL it does is waste vast amounts of money as California is currently proving.

ODOT needs to dramatically cut its waste and get back to providing roads for most people.

Thank You  
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