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On Behalf Of:

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As an Oregon citizen who has been paying into the state tax system for nearly two decades, I have benefited multiple times from receiving the kicker check I was owed. Each kicker check resulted in me contributing back into the local economy and was a morale boost amidst ongoing frustration with high income tax rates and the ever increasing cost of living in our beautiful state due to mishandling of funds already taken from the working class.

Citizens deserve every bit of the money they receive in the form of kicker checks, not only as incentive to continue working and paying taxes but also because it is in no way their fault that PERS funding has run dry.

Thank you respectfully for your consideration on this matter.