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HB4125

I support HB 4125. Representative Gamba's effort to take control of the calculation of revenue for the kicker forecasting, preserving revenue desperately needed in the near future. As we have seen with the disastrous One Big Beautiful [sic] Bill, Federal tax law changes can wreck our predictions and rob working families of desperately needed relief. The kicker is a regressive approach to that relief - scarce funds are best managed centrally for the most judicious and efficacious impact. The list of needs is enormous and growing.

I think Representative Gamba's plan is brilliant, and a lifeline for working families across Oregon. Working families need services and relief that adjusts reasonably to the moment, not blue-sky guesses out of control. The guidelines on how the money is spent assures the net benefit to working families.

Thank you,
Kell Fox