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NO on HB 4143

Raising these taxes will hurt tourism and small business owners. In the past “wildlife funds” have been taken advantage of by borrowing from them. Looks like a way to divert the money stream to pay for things that we did not vote on or approve of.

These charges are intended to increase funding for wildlife conservation and related activities in Oregon, which aren't related to the source of funding. There is no accountability as to how they are actually spent.