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I strongly object to a sales tax. We do not need more taxes; we just need to make better choices on how the money is spent. Also, this state has lots of money from taxes and probably takes in more than what is needed. If there really is a budget short fall here are some different ways to make up for it: one the state could sell the Governor's Mansion and use the money from that sale along with the money it would save the taxpayers from paying any upkeep that is if we do pay for the upkeep. Two the members of the state legislature and senate could pay a 200% plus state tax out of their paychecks instead of taking more money from the people. Three you could stop giving money to public transit and let the private sector run it and stand on its own.