

Testimony submitted for SB 1599.

I vehemently oppose the proposed legislation. The people of Oregon have spoken on the Transportation Measure, and that must be honored. SB 1599 is nothing but an attempt to disregard the will of the people, and tell them that their opinions don't matter.

Balancing the ODOT budget on the backs of the people is just wrong. There is sufficient funding in the current ODOT budget to fix the problems, without additional taxes.

Cut some of the stupid pet projects that only support a few of the people in the Portland area and take care of the entire state.

Thank you,

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