

Submitter: Meloney Robles  
On Behalf Of:  
Committee: Joint Special Committee On Referendum Petition  
2026-302  
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1599

I oppose moving the no tax referendum from November To May 2026. I volunteered along with many others to stop this major tax against Oregonians by working to gather signatures with very little time given to us due to our corrupt Governor Kotek and the greedy politicians who would not listen to their constituents when we told them not to pass the tax in the first place. Kotek waited to sign the bill til the last minute hoping to stop us from being successful on this petition. Yet we made history and even democrats and independents came together with republicans to sign the no tax petition set to be on the ballot for November. Now the corrupt Governor and greedy corrupt politicians want to once again go against the will of voters in Oregon. By putting the bill on the May ballot instead of November they know less Oregonians get out and vote then. They are purposely going against the will of the voters! It is unconstitutional and just plain wrong to stop the voters from having a fair referendum be voted on when they expected it to be in November! I hope the politicians will listen this time for that is what they were elected to do. Represent the voters not their own interests but that of what voters want! Do not move the vote to May! Do not go against the voters once again!!! Do not be another Cyrus Javadi or Tina Kotek ignoring the people of Oregon!