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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Special Committee On Referendum Petition
2026-302

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1599

I am writing to OPPOSE SB 1599

It is clear that use of a selective emergency aims to disenfranchise voters as the May Primaries draw half the voters of a November general election. Article IV Section 28 of the Oregon Constitution requires the bill to adequately state the facts and reasons supporting a constitutional emergency, which cannot be done.

The petition for which a quarter million signatories participated asks that the measure be placed on the November general election.

Stop playing politics with this ODOT taxing mess and let the Oregon citizens speak in November!

Respectfully,

Bill Conklin