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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Special Committee On Referendum Petition  
2026-302

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1599

Re changing the date for voting on gas tax. It is sneaky and unethical to move the date of the vote. Many more than needed number of citizens signed a petition asking for the gas tax to go to a vote, with the knowledge of WHEN that would happen. Changing the date is not only unethical; it is downright nasty, sneaky, and shows your disregard for the needs of your constituents. STOP now with the SNEAKY methods of attempting to get what YOU want rather than what the voters want! You were elected to represent us, not to control and make choices based on what you want.

We canNOT afford any more taxes. The Oregon government must find a way to limit expenses and work within a realistic budget, just as most of us citizens must do. Perhaps it's time to find a way to attract TO Oregon businesses that pay large taxes.