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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Special Committee On Referendum Petition  
2026-302

Measure, Appointment or  
Topic: SB1599

A quarter million+ of us signed the referendum to be on the November election 2026 ballot. Had we 90 days to collect signatures, likely, it would have gone down in Oregon history as 3 Million+. This is not political party issue. No one at the tables I manned brought up political party. I'm a former Democrat. This compulsion to tax Oregon to Death must stop. When I made an in-person visit to the Capitol regarding the first big vote that came down on the \$4.3 billion tax bill, I asked staff at the Democrat leadership office how many comments/emails the Democrats received on that bill. They didn't know. It wasn't an issue that they even tallied to see how many of their constituents were opposed to or in support of the \$4.3 billion tax bill. That was pretty shocking to hear. The Democrat leadership, themselves, not even caring what their Democrat constituents wanted.

And now we hear Democrat leadership intends to stop every federal tax relief Oregon citizens were recently given, including the hard working wait and service staff in Oregon. They aren't billionaires. Let this bill die in committee.