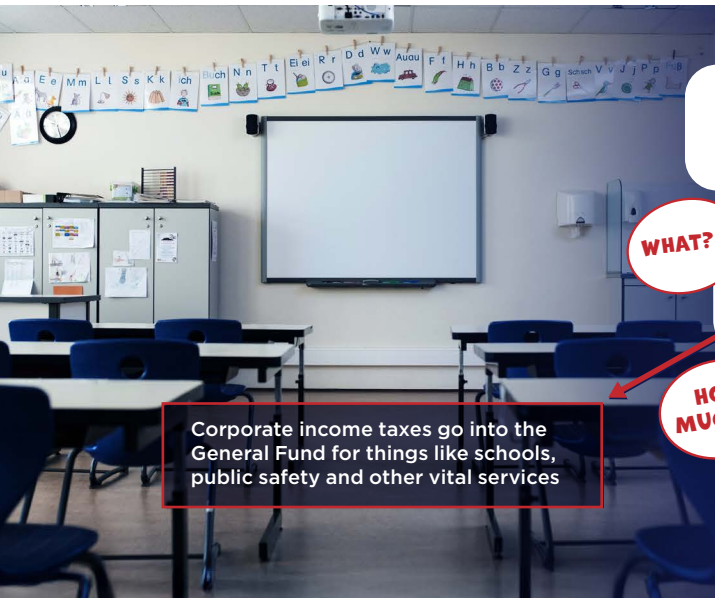


Measure 118 Puts Critical Services at Risk

PROPOSED TAX ON SALES WOULD CAUSE MASSIVE HOLE IN STATE BUDGET



Measure 118 is so badly written that it would raise nearly \$7 Billion per year through a new tax on sales in Oregon - while also **reducing the state's General Fund**, endangering critical services.

WHAT?!?

Seriously. Measure 118 would fundamentally shift corporate taxes away from **corporate income taxes** and into this new redistribution program funded by a massive tax on sales.

HOW MUCH?!?

After full implementation, Measure 118 would create a hole in the General Fund of **more than \$1 Billion dollars per year!**

Corporate income taxes go into the General Fund for things like schools, public safety and other vital services

Sources: Oregon Legislative Revenue Office Report on Measure 118, July 2024; House Interim Committee on Revenue presentation on Measure 118, Sept. 2024

Leading Oregon groups and officials urge **NO** on Measure 118:

"[Measure 118] may look good on paper, but **its flawed approach would punch a huge hole in the state budget** and put essential services for low-wage and working families at risk."

- Governor Tina Kotek in statement to *Willamette Week*, July 30, 2024

"Measure 118 will **hurt firefighters and other frontline workers** by reducing available public safety funds in state, county and municipal budgets."

- Oregon State Fire Fighters Council

"We oppose Measure 118 because despite increasing taxes by almost \$7 Billion, not a single dime is allocated to support teachers, classrooms or students. Worse, the Legislative Revenue Office says **it will lead to over \$1 Billion in cuts in state general fund revenue in the first biennium alone** - undercutting Oregon's safety net and hurting our most vulnerable Oregonians."

- Oregon Education Association

"Measure 118 will divert critical resources away from public safety, health care, and education to create a new handout that would even go to the wealthiest Oregonians. **Reducing the state budget by \$1 Billion to fund this risky social experiment is a terrible deal for Oregon** and will endanger critical state services that support our most vulnerable communities and help keep our state moving forward."

- NW Oregon Labor Council

The hole Measure 118 would punch in Oregon's General Fund is just one more reason to vote **NO on the Costly Tax on Sales.**

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