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**Senator Knopp Responds to Quarterly Revenue Forecast,
Introduces Bill Returning Kicker as a Check**

SALEM, Ore. – Today, Oregon’s economists projected that Oregon budgets will have record-breaking surpluses, much of which will be returned to taxpayers based on how much they paid in taxes.

Senate Republican Leader Tim Knopp (R-Bend) made the following statement:

“While Oregonians *still* face high costs of food, fuel, child care, and rent – all of which are necessary to live, work, and raise a family – the state continues to bring in record revenue. Thanks to the Personal Kicker, Oregon taxpayers will get some of their taxes back and with it, a well-deserved break from the persisting burden of inflation and high costs.

Yesterday I introduced [Senate Bill 990](#), a bill that would return the next Kicker in the form of a check instead of a credit. I urge members of all parties in both chambers to support this critical bill to expedite relief to working Oregonians.”

[SB 990](#) is part of the Senate Republican Caucus’s [Equitable Oregon](#) agenda. It can be found under ‘Saving Oregonians from Rising Inflation & Increased Cost of Living’.

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