

STATE OF OREGON

INTEROFFICE MEMO

то:	Governor
FROM:	Gerry Thompson

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SUBJECT:

Legislator's Calls/Unitary Tax

Robin Lindquist supports repealing the use tax, but she cannot say she supports the Governor's specific proposal, nor does she know that she has any problem with it. She has just returned from a trip late last evening. She and I reviewed the plan. She thinks it is OK, but has to review and read the material. More than that, if there is a special session, she is insistent the sales tax be considered also. The tax she wants is the one passed last legislative session and ruled illegal by the Supreme Court. She believes that in short order the legislature can put this out to the ballot in November. Says this is a non-position commitment and I don't believe we can get any more than what we got.

Liz Van Leeuwen has looked at the material and doesn't understand it.

Barbara Roberts very supportive.

George Trahern concerned that Kerans doesn't have the count he says he has, and that legislators who have indicated support really don't understand and may not be solid.