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Petition ID

2026-051

November 3, 2026
General Election

Nullifies estate tax, which applies to estates of \$1 million plus; prohibits similar local taxes

Result of “Yes” Vote: “Yes” vote nullifies existing estate tax on estates of \$1 million or more. Prohibits local government taxes on death-related property transfers. Reduces state revenue.

Result of “No” Vote: “No” vote retains existing estate tax on estates of \$1 million or more. Local governments retain existing authority to tax death-related property transfers.

Summary: Current state law imposes a one-time estate tax on the estate of a person if the value of the gross estate—as determined by federal law as of December 31, 2010—is \$1 million or more. Gross estate includes all property—real or personal, tangible or intangible—with exceptions. Local governments have authority to impose some taxes. Measure nullifies existing estate tax on the estate of a person dying on or after January 1, 2027. Measure prohibits local governments from imposing taxes on death-related property transfers. Measure permits reasonable fees on probate, other transactions that occur following a person’s death. State may continue to collect income tax payable by an estate when the estate is administered. Measure reduces state revenue; provides no replacement.

A full and correct copy of the text of the initiative must be provided with this e-sheet.

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Instructions Only sign this petition if you are an active registered voter in Oregon and you personally printed this sheet or requested someone else print it for you.

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- 2 Fill in the date, print your name and residence address. Only you may complete this optional information.
- 3 Signing below certifies that you have personally printed a copy of this sheet or requested a separate person print a copy so you may sign and that you request for this petition to be placed on the ballot.

Certification I certify that I personally printed a copy of this sheet or requested a separate person print a copy so that I may sign it. I request this petition be placed on the ballot for approval or rejection by the voters.

Signature

Date Signed mm/dd/yy

Print Name

Residence Address street, city, zip code

Sheet Number

Completed by Chief Petitioner

End the Death Tax

The People enact the following statute:

Section 1. This Act shall be known as the End the Death Tax Act.

Section 2. Neither the State of Oregon nor any other unit of government in Oregon shall impose a Death Tax.

Section 3. A Death Tax is:

- a. Any tax imposed on the estate of any person who has died, or
- b. Any inheritance tax, or
- c. Any tax imposed on the transfer of property, or any interest therein, to any person, where the transfer is a result of the death of a person.

Section 4. For purposes of this Act, “property” includes, but is not limited to, real property, personal property, and intangible property.

Section 5. This Act does not prohibit the state from collecting income taxes payable by an estate while the estate is administered.

Section 6. This Act does not prohibit the imposition of fees as to transactions which may occur following the death of a person, such as fees for processing death certificates or for probate proceedings, provided that the fees do not exceed the reasonable cost of goods or services provided.

Section 7. This Act supersedes any Oregon law which imposes any form of Death Tax. Any Death Tax due, under any Oregon law in existence prior to the effective date of this Act, as to a person who died before January 1, 2027, remains collectible under the terms of such preexisting law.

Section 8. This Act applies to the death of any person who dies on or after January 1, 2027.