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Dear Legislators,

It would be great if you could look seriously at non oil revenue. I realize that is an unpopular opinion but sometimes being a leader requires doing unpopular things. We all agree the state finances are incredibly stressed right now but, in the future, once this is all beyond us, a state which doesn't decimate the current infrastructure is one that doesn't end up looking like Louisiana.

Related, please minimize cuts to the school system and the University. There is no reason to penalize the youth for the mistakes of others. thank you

—Bob Busey