

Regarding the reestablishment of tolls at the Greenwich/NY border, I have the following comments:

As a lifelong Greenwich resident, I've seen the tolls come, and seen them disappear. However, to institute tolls at the border will create a heavy local traffic burden in Byram around the exit 2 area. There is much local traffic shopping in Port Chester that goes to the I-95/I-287 intersection exiting in Port Chester to go to Home Depot, Whole Foods, and the other stores in the shopping plazas in the area and in Rye.

To avoid the tolls, traffic will then divert at exit 2 (Delavan Ave) causing local congestion down to Water Street and into Port Chester on Mill St.

Placing the tolls in their old location between Exit 2 & 3 will cause similar or worse congestion at exit 3 onto Railroad Ave and into Hamilton Ave.

Overall, a bad idea. Those without electronic 'EZPass' type devices (and there will be many locals who otherwise have no need for it), will clog the system with 'mail in' payments. No revenue will be gained trying to maintain that system.

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