

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to voice my strong **opposition to any form of tolls** in the state of Connecticut.

I feel that we are taxed enough in this state and adding tolls, especially on the borders will only discourage people from coming into the state to buy product sold here, as well as encourage people who frequently cross our borders to get off the roadway and take local roads to avoid the toll.

It is difficult living in this state due to the high taxes, and adding tolls will only make it worse. I feel a better solution would be to cut the fat from programs already funded, and eliminate those programs that do nothing to help the people who are legally here. Use the monies saved to fund the transportation projects.

Regards,

Francis James Valente

Shelton, CT 06484-5718