

Attention: Transportation Committee

Please do not even think of border tolls in Connecticut. Numerous studies point to tolls as creating more traffic jams, pollution, and ill will. As a resident of the greater Danbury area, I work, shop, dine, etc., and would not want the problems that border tolls would create on our roads. The traffic jams that would spill onto local roads would adversely affect the businesses as well as residences in the whole area.

Governor Malloy purports to use the tolls to maintain and improve the state roads such as the widening of I-84 through Danbury. However, the tolls will not be exclusively for the roads which probably means that any such project would take decades. Malloy got David Scribner, who has been key in opposition to tolls, out of the House by giving him a “plum” job as Liquor Commissioner.

In addition, once the tolls go in at the borders, what would stop them from being put up all along the major corridors.

Vote NO to border tolls, please.

Thank you,
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