

The individuals who will be hurt by tolls the most are middle class and low-income people who must commute to work.

Other problems with putting tolls on Connecticut highways are that Connecticut drivers will be disproportionately impacted. compound this with drivers trying to avoid tolls by circumventing toll areas on highways will increase congestion and wear-and-tear on local roads As with all other taxes, tolls don't guarantee a reduction or elimination of the gas tax and will only increase the cost of food and other merchandise delivered on toll roads - another impact on middle class families. Western CT , a high commuter area will be hit the hardest. Danbury Fair Mall and other border community merchants could lose business, thereby paying less taxes. This is not a solution that is fair to CT workers.

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