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To: [Tollroads](#)
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Committee Secretary,
Transport & Public Works Committee.

Dear Sir,

Toll roads form a critical component of our transport infrastructure.

Important for the movement of freight; personal transport; public transport.

They have allowed the development of infrastructure years ahead of when it could be funded by the State or Council.

Tolls are set at levels that will repay the debt for construction and operation but are kept as low as possible to maximise traffic usage.

I doubt there is any option for tolls to be reduced apart from having off peak concessions for certain classes of vehicles such as freight.

The handling of toll irregularities can be improved. However so can the preparedness of drivers to pay the toll due and not endeavour to avoid tolls.

If you don't wish to pay a toll, don't use the toll road.

We have urgent need for new toll roads such as in the NW of Brisbane linking to Legacy Way or Western freeway.

Sincerely,

John Gralton

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