

Hello Representative Bailey,

As a transportation planner and daily user of the current I-5 bridge, I have plenty of reasons to desire improvements. However, I find the current proposal very concerning.

I am very skeptical of the toll revenue projections relied upon to assemble the funding package for this project. I believe that more of the project funding should come from tolling, and that tolling should be continued for the life of the bridge in order to deliver environmental benefits.

My paramount concern is that this project will exacerbate climate change by encouraging auto travel and sprawling development in Clark County, where I work.

I would be pleased to discuss this with you further. In the meantime, please avoid rushing this decision. I urge you not to commit funding to this misguided project.

Regards,
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