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INQUIRY INTO ROAD TOLLING REGIMES

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I find it absolutely absurd that I have to pay \$52.66 a day in tolls travelling from home to work and back.

-M5 South West Motorway \$4.88

-M5 East \$7.23

-Eastern Distributor \$8.29

-Cross city tunnel \$5.93

I have been living in Wattle Grove since 1995 and have seen the price rise dramatically by using the Motorway.

The M5 is a funnel and can take up to 2hrs to get home from the city due to traffic on its worst days.

I've mostly travelled by train in the past, though with covid, I now choose to drive in the days I need to work in the office. Paying that amount of money is absurd and as a single parent, hurts the pocket a lot.

There should be greater concessions made to those that use more than 4 tolls in a day.