

Keep NYC Congestion Tax Free

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Statement by Walter McCaffrey, spokesman for Keep NYC Congestion Tax Free

"Today's rejection of congestion pricing by Albany should not diminish Mayor Bloomberg's visionary plan for New York's future. He continues to lead the way on a more sustainable city. The State Assembly should be applauded for hearing their constituents concerns about the burden of a new tax with no guarantees loud and clear and putting the brakes on once and for all. It is now time to consider real traffic mitigation alternatives that all New Yorkers can agree with!"

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ABOUT [KEEP NYC CONGESTION TAX FREE](http://www.keepnycfree.com)
[Keep NYC Congestion Tax Free](http://www.keepnycfree.com) represents a diverse coalition of civic, business and labor organizations and businesses throughout New York City. We share a simple vision: to keep our city congestion tax free. Our members oppose the \$8 fee (\$21 for trucks) the Mayor proposes to impose on drivers entering Manhattan below 86th Street. Our members urge New Yorkers to deliver a simple message to our legislators: "Say no to the fee the Mayor wants to charge us to enter Manhattan." Many supporters and coalition members propose alternatives to the congestion tax that better address traffic issues in our entire city and provide new sources to support mass transit. For more information, visit [keepnycfree.com](http://www.keepnycfree.com).