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## Keep NYC Responds to Daily News Editorial: They need to see the lights

The Daily News editorial board, not five courageous state senators, “need to see the light.” (Editorial: “We've got their numbers: Five state senators betray a half-million straphangers,” March 11, 2009).

The Daily News evidently cares not one iota about the deleterious impact of packing even more riders to the over-capacity subway cars that surely will result if the toll-taxers get their way and impose tolls on the extensions of our city streets known as our free bridges across the East River and Harlem River.

Rather than an inefficient, unfair and inequitable tax that will pack in straphangers like Sardines, the Daily News better serves its readers and the public by advocating the sound alternatives advocates by the coalition of civic, business and labor organizations, Keep NYC Free.

Please visit [www.KeepNYCFree.com](http://www.KeepNYCFree.com) to read our proposals and urge our electeds officials to embrace these alternatives, which unlike the Ravitch scheme, avoids any reliance on a fare hike.

If a few more electeds join Senators Kruger, Diaz, Espada, Parker and Hassell-Thompson, the path to a no-fare-hike, stable revenue for transit plan becomes more likely every day.

Sincerely,

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Read the entire editorial:

[http://www.nydailynews.com/opinions/2009/03/11/2009-03-11\\_weve\\_got\\_their\\_numbers\\_five\\_state\\_senato.html](http://www.nydailynews.com/opinions/2009/03/11/2009-03-11_weve_got_their_numbers_five_state_senato.html)