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Mr. Lieutenant Governor,

Regarding the following excerpt from your comments about the proposed gas tax increase to pay for infrastructure improvements:

"We have to remove politics from infrastructure spending, and that means eliminating the politically appointed, and therefore politically motivated, Transportation Commission in favor of a Cabinet agency headed by a gubernatorial appointee.

One person, elected statewide, would be accountable for our roads and bridges. Taxpayers could decide every four years if that person is doing the job and make a change if they so choose."

Are you suggesting an appointee by the governor OR an elected official?

Thank you for clarifying these statements.

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