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All levels of government over the past 30 years have failed to address the transportation problem. They simply, for their current bottom line, have allowed the entire system to deteriorate. Studies done 30 years ago pointed to the rail system and public transit as solutions. But NO! Governments at all levels continued the dependence on the car. Now we are paying the price.

The only solution is to get vehicles off the road. This means spending these billions of dollars on public transit and the rail system for movement of goods and people, not simply building more roads and bridges to accommodate more cars and trucks.

We need a new breed of politician. Not the same old, same old, status quo that we have now.

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