

# Foremost Progressive labels Congestion Tax “Regressive”

## Mayor De Blasio denounces congestion tax at mayoral forum

As reported by by [Will Bredderman](#) in Crain's, September 6, 2017

“De Blasio issued his fiercest denunciation of such a congestion pricing plan yet on Wednesday, and excoriated the governor for failing to present a detailed plan. He echoed arguments that a surcharge on vehicle trips would impose an unfair burden on outer-borough drivers, even though such car owners are on average wealthier than the average New Yorker.

"I've never supported congestion pricing. I think it's a regressive tax," huffed de Blasio.....”

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