

Comment from douglas harrison

Thank you for hearing my concerns on this matter...

While advancement in technology is generally a positive for society, I believe that it needs to occur naturally in a free-market system. As such as the C-V2X or similar technology moves forward, including supporting infrastructure, the costs should be the responsibility of product developers rather than general consumers and taxpayers. This includes, but is not limited to, requiring auto manufacturers to subsidize the technology, which ultimately raises the prices of their vehicles whether they are outfitted with technology or not.

American consumers should be able to choose whether or not to participate in such technology, whether indirectly via taxes and higher prices, or directly in the form of an "option" on the vehicle purchased.

Vehicles built with this technology should be required to have an "OFF" switch that is easy to access. The technology should also be employed in a manner that does not offer an additional distraction to drivers that already have a multitude of distractions that draw their focus away from the task of actually driving.

Thank you again for your consideration!