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I just had a couple other thoughts or questions.

- I like the addition of travel times on the freight question, but I'm wondering if it seems glaring that we don't have tunnel travel times.
- Is the four-year closure number for a complete closure? Ron and I have been saying 4-7 years--we probably just made that up, but I thought there was a difference between partial and complete closure time.
- I'd like to rephrase the question regarding other projects. People with project that have been pushed-out argue that the Viaduct is held harmless while their projects are not. So, they can argue that agreeing to the bored tunnel does mean that their projects go unfunded. Instead, could we say does agreeing from to the tunnel require the legislature to shift funding from other projects?

I think this is going to be extremely helpful as we meet with members. We have a couple of meetings tomorrow, but start a bunch on Monday, so if there is any way to start using it by Monday that would be great. Thank you.

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