



Pro-TSPLOST column came off as petulant

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**DEAR EDITOR:**

After reading the guest commentary by F.T. Davis in Sunday's MDJ, I was struck at how petulant his argument favoring the TSPLOST would appear to Cobb voters. Most obviously, he says "our region" or "regional" 13 times. Additionally, he says, "Here are some facts that often get lost in the rancor and shouting ..." yet he fails to produce facts, only a few opinions and wants us to take a look "at the chart nearby from a conservative think tank, the Cato Institute." However, the chart is from the Washington State Department of Transportation. Having us look at it is a fallacious argument in itself (an appeal to authority). Is he simply frantic in his effort to protect and further his association with the Atlanta Regional Commission? Hmmm?

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