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House Bill 580 is lawmakers' third attempt in as many years to raise the state's gas tax and boost other fees.

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A lot of safety vests at a rally for HB 580, which would generate nearly \$500 million annually for road repairs in Kentucky by raising the gas tax by 10 cents.



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But HB 580 does have the backing of a broad coalition of local government and business groups called [@KickStartKY](#), who would like to see Kentucky's roads in better shape.








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Lewis Co. Judge Executive @ToddRuckel "@GovAndyBeshear, and legislators, we are here respectfully urging you to lead us into the next decade of economic growth and improved quality of life by making this investment this session. We've got your back." #CountiesLead



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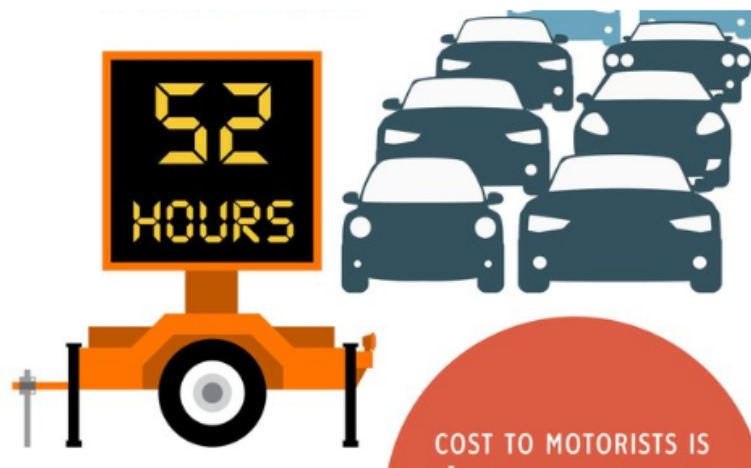
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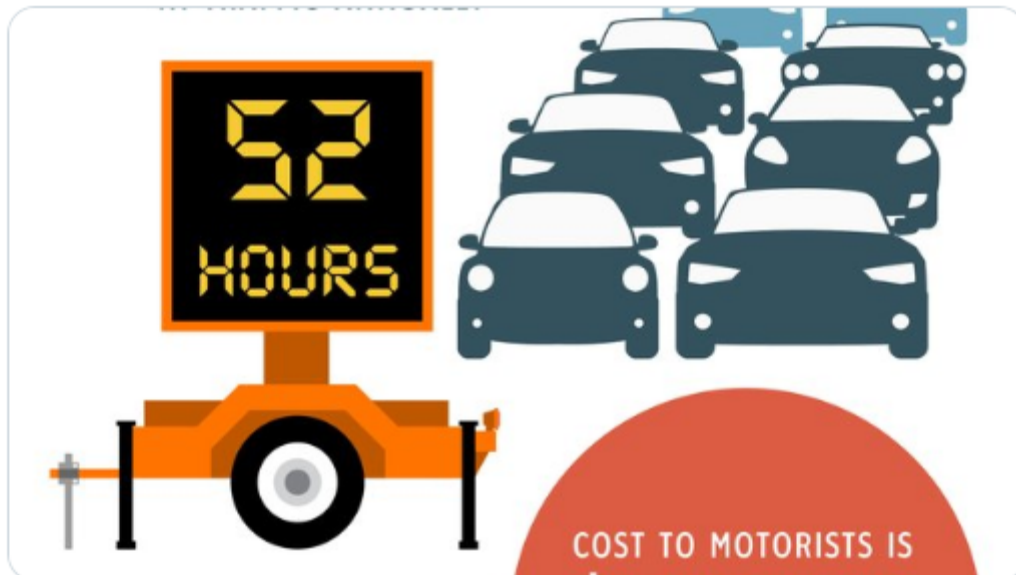
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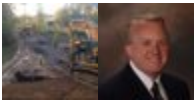
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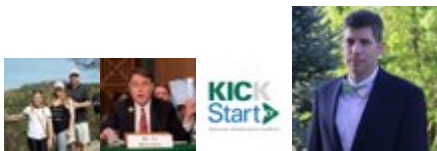
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