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ASSESSMENT OF ROAD PRICING EFFECTS

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ASSESSMENT OF ROAD PRICING EFFECTS DISCUSSION

What we have learnt from the different case studies ;

Assessments of road pricing effects and benefits are not perceived by the users. Better information / communication needed – What can be done to improve the situation ?

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Environmental impacts are difficult to assess *a posteriori* because they take place in the long term. However, studies should be encouraged. How do you think that can be done. What proposals could be made ?



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The effects on safety are not clear. What actions can be taken to improve that ?

Acceptability is a critical determinant for a successful implementation of the urban scheme : revenue neutrality or its use to improve alternative public transport may mitigate the social repulse. Do you think it is enough or more will be needed ?

Financing still an issues in most countries ? Urgent need to start thinking on innovating financing schemes . Any ideas ?

