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Submission: I wish to express my concern at the proposal to raise fares for those only holding Seniors' cards to a maximum \$9.00 per day. People who are self-funded retirees save both federal and state governments significant amounts of money. They are people who have made personal sacrifices during their working lives in order to provide for their own retirement without reliance on the public purse. Moreover, this proposal seems to adopt the fallacious position that all self-funded retirees are wealthy. I am a retired public servant who paid superannuation for over 40 years in order to receive a modest pension that, over time, with inflation, will reduce significantly in value. Increasing the maximum fare per day by over 300% is simply going to discourage the many self-funded retirees who use public transport from doing so. Proposing that people who are working will pay less overall, while people who fund their own retirement pay significantly more, is both unjust and unfair and discriminates against those who have worked to support themselves. A restriction of the use of the Opal card to off-peak times would not be an unreasonable suggestion, provided the fare is capped at, say, \$3 per day, but \$9 is untenable.