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I very strongly feel that in large cities there is a great risk of accidents and additional speeding tickets due to the design of the 2006 Toyota Corolla instrument panel.

The 2001 Toyota Corolla's instrument panel was designed with white pointers so the gages and indicators could be read anytime with a quick glance.

My current 2006 Corolla instrument panel has dark red pointers and a black background which makes it very difficult to read on bright days. On such days I am frequently required to take my eyes off the road and traffic for a few seconds when I want to read the instruments and gages. The temperature and fuel gages are worse than the speedometer and tachometer instruments.

Those few seconds can make a big difference between getting a ticket or having an accident.

Anything that can be done to improve this situation on current and future productions will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,



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