Subject: EV mandate

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The idea of a mandate blocking gas vehicles is bad on many levels

- 1 The nations electrical infrastructure including DE can not hold up to an entire state of only electric cars.
- 2 The number of people added to unemployment rolls would drain the state funds. Gas stations out of business, Repair shops out of business, Car dealers Out of business. And money going to Md, Pa, and NJ to buy cars. The entire idea is a joke.
- 3 The safety of EV's is very unreliable and cars are burning houses and peoplen Insurance companies are raising rated through the roof because they need to replace cars and not repair them due to fear of fires after an accident.
- 4 Car fires of electric cars ties up fire companies for 4-6 hours. A standard car fire in 1 hour or less today. EV's reignite for hours. The avg. water needed to put out a car today 500 gallons. EV's use 30,000 to 40,000 GALLONS or more.

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