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Comments on 2022-R-A-0011: Low Emission Vehicle Program

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Comments:

I am writing AGAINST the proposed EV standard being pushed by DNREC. I have five vehicles doing service daily that need to carry heavy equipment and tools. The EV market is not a viable place for me to purchase the equipment needed and the technology has not be proven under the harsh conditions of construction. I love my battery screw gun and always have a battery charging because it can not make it through the day under constant use. These vehicles and the power source required are not ready for the construction industry. Lastly, the fact that DPandL is the only distributor of power in my location makes this requirement unfair to me because I would be required to power my vehicles under a monopoly power service provider. P.S. where do all of the dead batteries go? I understand "E waste" is highly toxic.