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Please do not continue to "shove/force" this issue down your constituents throats. The systems needed to have this project up and running are not set up in this state or nationwide. I am retired, cannot afford a \$60,000 plus car, nor the \$2500-\$5000 needed to install the proper "plugs" into my garage. The questions about what to do with the batteries, how much a new battery costs and how long they last are never discussed. Why ?? We all need ALL the facts to make any decision. I lived with no electricity in NJ during Hurricane Sandy for 7 full days, I have lived without electricity for several days in Hawaii after other hurricanes. I am not opposed to the cars, may, hopefully, buy a HYBRID myself in the near future, if I can afford one. But this bill is way too much, way too soon without the backing it needs. I recently drove across this country as I moved here to Lewes. There were no services for electric vehicles in New Mexico, Oklahoma, much of northern Texas, Arkansas and all the other states that I just crossed through on my way here. Why do you think it will be so different in 24 months? Please use your common sense.......thank you.......