Subject: Oppose EV Mandate

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To: HearingComments, DNREC (MailBox Resources)

Dear Governor Carney/Secretary Garvin,

I write to you because I am opposed to the mandate regarding electric vehicles.

The EV mandate is unfair to people with limited financial resources.

1) Higher purchase price of EVs

2) Highly inconvenient for those who don't have personal garages and must park on the street and long extensions cords are not an option.

3) Higher cost of replacing EV battery after 8 years or 100 thousand miles (optimum projection)

4) Incentives such as rebates are taxed.

I urge you to reconsider the electric vehicle mandate.

It is morally reprehensible to add more financial and time burdens on people of limited financial resources.

Allow those of comfortable financial means to purchase EVs if they wish as is now the case. However, don't unfairly burden those of limited financial resources with an EV mandate.

Sincerely,

Kathy Enedy Lewes, DE