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

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I am strongly opposed to the vehicle mandate under 2022-R-A-0011. I am in favor of clean air. Trying to achieve this thru a government mandate that all future vehicles must be electric will not achieve this goal. The electricity needed to charge these vehicles is generated from sources that contribute to air pollution. We should move towards more electric generation from natural gas and nuclear. Nuclear would be the cleanest and most efficient. I am on a fixed income and cannot and will not be able to afford these very costly vehicles. If electric vehicles are the best option for a consumer then that consumer should be able to have that choice. It must be choice, not a mandate. Government should not be subsidizing a specific product and industry just to appease some desire to achieve a questionable goal. Tax dollars should be used to support taxpayers, not a specific industry. I am strongly opposed to this dictatorial mandate. Let consumer choice decide the path forward.