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

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I am against mandating EV purchases by the state and banning gasoline engines. Let the natural flow of the market make the change over time. That will allow time for the infrastructure to be built out without undue taxation by the state to cover the additional costs of mandating EV purchases. It also continues the availability of free markets to the consumer. Americans don't appreciate governmental mandates. It reminds us of other countries around the world that don't have the freedoms we enjoy in America. We talk about the beauty of nature that we are trying to preserve for future generations but have you driven thru PA mountains and seen all the windmills marring the landscape ? Or Oklahoma windmills for miles and miles. There is nothing pretty about that. Another thing that needs to be considered is the increased electrical demand and where is that going to come from? And how is that going to be produced? Thank you for public service for the good of the state of Delaware, John J Schoff