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Comments:

I am against this program. It is forcing the people of Delaware to buy cars they may not want. It is government overreach. And it is wrong. EV may eventually be good. But it should evolve naturally. Not forced by our government because they want to scare us into believing climate is ours to control. EV technology is not helping anyone who has to mine the raw materials. Corruption, labor rights abuse, and health hazards, are quite concerning. Then there is our planet. The volume of tailings and their storage is more concerning for the planet. 100's of acres covered in these heavy metal filled pits. The supply for battery materials sustaining this venture is questionable. Then there is the CO2 emitted from the entire production of the battery and car parts. And I highly doubt you can provide electricity for all these EVs without fossil fuels. And in the end, it leaves us dependent on China for tech, parts, materials, cars, all while they keep producing new coal plants and care. It for the planet. We should all do what we can for our planet. But when the government is making us do something they feel is right, when there are so many negatives surrounding their choices. You have to wonder the real motive.