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

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Seriously against mandate to move quickly to low emission vehicles. We do not have infrastructure for supporting recharging the number of vehicles required, a power grid to handle the load requirements, or the materials to manufacture the batteries without relying on China. Furthermore, you will increase costs to each vehicle purchased due to the demand for batteries. Also, the used vehicle market will fall apart as batteries in them will be at or near the end of their life cycle. The cost to replace batteries will impact the middle and especially low income population the hardest Delaware does not need to lead the nation. Let the market develop and encourage the change. Our constitution was written to have mandates come from the people to their elected representatives, not the other way around.