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

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Comments:

1. I live in a City of Wilmington row home with street parking. Parking locations are not guaranteed. I may not have access to my home electric to conveniently charge an electric vehicle when needed and I would have to run a cord across a sidewalk to do so. 2. When traveling, having to find charging stations in remote areas may be difficult. Also, the time required to charge will pose an inconvenience during routine and extended travel. 3. It will make more sense for someone in my situation to operate a hybrid vehicle that does not require the car be plugged in to charge. Why are hybrid vehicles not included in the plan? 4. The cost of electric vehicles exceeds the cost of non-electric models. This may pose a financial burden when making purchasing decisions. Rebate programs will need to be included in the plan, but then that will most likely result in higher taxes for all taxpayers to fund that program.