

**Subject:** EV Mandate

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I strongly oppose the EV Mandate. Governor Carney and DNREC have, on a number of issues, over reached it's authority. This is a mega over reach of self imposed power. Has anyone thought of the problems associated with the bi-products of making and disposing of batteries? What about the cost to consumers? EV"s are expensive and are limited to mileage between charges. Temperature effects battery life, as well as load. It will add a lot of time to destinations far from home as well as added expense.

Wouldn't a Hybrid be a better choice for consumers instead of mandating full EV's?

Sincerely  
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