

**Subject:** No Mandated Electric Vehicles in Delaware

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Please note my VERY strong objection to mandating state residents will only be able to buy electric vehicles after 2035.

These vehicles are not safe! The safety of every resident should be the concern for our elected representatives. The cars are very expensive to buy and the replacement are about half of the cost of the car. Also very expensive! There is no infrastructure to support charging these cars batteries and it is ridiculous to spend billions to build the infrastructure. You would never be able to take the family on a long trip. Think about the millions in income Delaware would lose if residents of other states at a distance of more than 300 to 400 miles could not come to our seashore.

Finally, the State Government, should never dictate to any citizen what they must buy. This is state not Communist Russia or China or Nazi Germany yet and we should all hope that Delaware does not become so.

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Sent from my iPad