

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 6:58:23 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011



I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Judy Staubs  
Herring Way  
Selbyville , DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Battery replacements are too expensive and so are the vehicles. No one wants them.

Sincerely,  
Joy Greenly  
23508 Elmwood Ave West  
Lewes, DE 19958

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

My first reason I oppose is we did not vote for DENREC members how dare they try to govern over us like this. Secondly, stop treating us like children if electric cars in the future is best for the consumer (not there yet) we will make that choice ourselves we do NOT need big brother to force it upon us.

Sincerely,  
Laura Hickman  
115 Pinewater Drive  
Harbeson, DE 19951

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

The precious metals needed to make batteries are in the hands of our enemies. Are we to believe they will just give them to us? I don't think so. It will make us more energy dependent on our enemies.

Sincerely,  
Charles A Casey  
37424 Underwood Way  
DAGSBORO, DE 19939

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Major reason for not supporting zero-emission vehicle is COST. Electric vehicles are way too expensive and there is not sufficient charging stations throughout the state. Also, the electric grid cannot handle the increase. The lithium and products used for batteries need to be produced in the USA, not China. Possible explosions of batteries in flooded conditions is scary. Another negative when traveling long distance, you'll have to stop & recharge every so many miles and delaying trip searching for charge station which country is not sufficiently set up for.

Sincerely,  
Patty Young  
32611 Estuary Blvd  
Frankford, DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Until the price of EV vehicles is the same as gasoline vehicles this is not an option for buyers.  
You will kill the new car dealers in our state.

Sincerely,  
Kathleen Casey  
37424 Underwood Way  
Dagsboro , DE 19939

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Charlie Herbert  
37292 Paradise Cove  
Selbyville, DE 19975

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This is horrible for the hard working lower income families. Shame on all the high dollar in power who want to force this on the AMERICAN PEOPLE us

Sincerely,  
Eve Slocum  
37626 Pine rd  
Selbyville , DE 19975

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This is an economic mandate, not a climate change mandate. Mining and manufacturing those batteries is far more damaging to the climate, human rights, and the economy. Do not share my name, address, e-mail address or phone number with any agency, person, client, or government employee or representative.

Sincerely,  
Preston Lytle  
6 Turtle Dove Drive  
Rehoboth, DE 19971

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I am tired of government 'shoving down our throats' all these ideologies. In theory it is a good idea but the expense for Delaware and infrastructure is too much! The cost of an EV is not in reach for most of us. People will just go out of state to buy a new car/truck etc. Lost \$\$ to DE. Let the free market decide who wants an EV. NO to this mandate!!!

Sincerely,  
William Farrell  
30033 Overbrook Dr  
Milton, DE 19968

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This will be absolutely devastating to Delaware residents.

Sincerely,  
Lisa Tess  
39972 E Sun Dr  
Fenwick , DE 19944

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Simca Chiappetta  
34728 West Sherwood Dr  
Frankford , DE 19946

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Electric vehicles are a nice option but please not mandatory. Thanks

Sincerely,  
Toni Mullett  
12995 Beach Hwy  
Greenwood , DE 19950

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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5/22/2023 12:40:12 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I am against any, and all regulations / laws mandating impacting my purchase of a motor vehicle

Sincerely,  
Charles Kortlang  
18708 Golden Sunrise Place  
Lewes, DE 19958

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Garnette Walker  
24827 Rivers Edge Road  
Millsboro , DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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5/22/2023 12:21:12 PM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I will not be able to afford it. Too costly.

Sincerely,  
Margaret Reitzel  
32992 Scenic Cove  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 12:12:25 PM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

No mandate

Sincerely,  
Steve Hudson  
28688 Cypress Rd  
Selbyville , DE 19975

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 12:06:27 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Emily Dorey  
32947 Daisey road  
Frankford , DE 19945

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Will support if state of DE purchases me a new vehicle and battery.

Sincerely,  
Stacy M. Kuczenski  
14067 Line Rd  
Delmar, DE 19940

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 11:51:22 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

DNREC's Mandate is unconstitutional. I have no issue with EV's, I have issue with the State trying to force me to purchase one. I have a camper that I tow to take my family on weekend trips. EV's are incapable to tow larger campers. DNREC needs to stop with the power grab and stop trying to control people's freedom of choice.

Sincerely,  
Rhys Bradshaw  
24773 Blueberry Lane  
Frankford, DE 19945

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

The EV batteries are not eco friendly and when they catch fire are extremely dangerous. Where do all the used batteries end up?????

Sincerely,  
Debora Rowe  
36394 Bayard Road  
Frاندford, DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

You must stop this lunacy! The sane part of Delaware (sussex and kent) are working class people, they can not afford electric vehicles. They can not afford to replace batteries in electric vehicles after 10 years. they can't afford to have their house rewired for electric vehicles. What about the people with pickup trucks? They use them for hauling materials and pulling landscape and boat trailers, they can't afford an electric truck that will pull the weight their gas ones do. They can't afford the rise in their insurance because of the fire hazzards that EV's pose. The evidence is quite clear that EV's pose more problems than solutions. EV's don't last nearly as long as gas vehicles and are already filling up scrap yards.

Sincerely,  
Donald Kuczenski  
14067 Line Rd  
Delmar, DE 19940

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 10:57:54 AM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Delaware is nothing like CALIFORNIA. Stop trying to shove all these mandates down our throats. If the American people want to buy EV's it should be of their own FREE WILL! If you want to control climate change/global warming, then start with restricting developers from clear cutting land to build all of these planned communities. There are advertisements showing how trees are beneficial to our environment and what they do, yet on the other hand you are allowing trees to be destroyed for builders making millions for homes to be crammed in for financial gain. You're promoting rebates/tax credits if you purchase an EV, but how many Americans can afford them, and for others those rebates don't help Americans because they don't qualify to get those tax breaks! Keep the HANDS out of the pockets of those who will receive kickbacks from this on the backs of hard working taxpayers and those on limited income. Not to mention the infrastructure hasn't been thought out yet to make this plan work. Please consider the whole picture before you start forcing Americans into a Socialist state.

Sincerely,  
Stephanie Talino  
36422 Tall Grass Ct  
Lewes, DE 0

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Carol Dodge-Leighton  
29522 Glenwood Dr  
Millsboro, DE, DE 0

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I am all for helping the environment and I personally have a hybrid vehicle. I don't support the mandate though because I don't feel that the infrastructure can support it and I don't think everyone can afford the increase in their electric bill. How the electricity is created needs to be considered too... it isn't as clean as people think.

Sincerely,  
Carolyn Diefenderfer  
113 New CastleSt  
Rehoboth Beach , DE 19971

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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5/22/2023 10:37:02 AM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Batteries cost too much to replace. Burst into flames for no reason. Couldn't afford the electric bill to charge, sure home owners insurance will be raised. All together, too costly!!  
Government causing the people to suffer enough with all the high prices of everything!

Sincerely,  
Jackie Greenley  
202 Beaufort Ln  
Milford , DE 19963

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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5/22/2023 10:17:51 AM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This would be a Serious Mistake!

Sincerely,  
Colin Diggs  
32414 Gaston Drive  
Millsboro , DE 19966

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Put ev infrastructure in place before mandating

Sincerely,  
Gerald Lacher  
37466 Oliver drive  
Selbyville , DE 19975

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This is an over reach by the government. You pass this and people will leave the State just like California.

Sincerely,  
Kathy Malliton  
29061 Ellis Point Ct  
Dagsboro, DE 19939

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Electric vehicles are not ready for mass use. The infrastructure: charging, taxes, recycling of batteries, rare earth metals availability, what it would do to the current electrical grid which is mostly provided by coal, etc. are all areas that need further research and discussion. Let the market forces work while this technology is in its infancy. There may be other technologies that could surpass EV - why make it a mandate and destroy a whole, high-functioning industry segment?

Sincerely,  
Michael Moroze  
9 Lake Village Circle  
Ocean View, DE 0

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 9:25:44 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Electric cars are not affordable! They have more of a impact that a 20 year old gas job !!! Stop telling the general public electric cars save the world! Mean time they cut ships up on beaches over seas !

Sincerely,  
Ed Pretko  
26509 Jersey Road  
Millsboro , DE 19966

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This would cause a greater strain on the areas current power grid and cause greater negative environmental impact.

Sincerely,  
John Worrall  
239 E Evens Rd  
Viola , DE 19979

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I think a move towards electric is amazing. I also feel it will limit peoples options from the higher cost of owning electric vehicles. Not everyone can afford the electric.

Sincerely,  
Brittanie Riley  
36195 Parker Rd  
Frankford, DE 19945

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Mary Ann Flanagan  
30633 Nautical Court  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 8:53:00 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Not enough copper mines to support ev. Lithium batteries are dangerous if they catch fire. The lithium feeds itself in a fire. Insurance rates will go up.

Sincerely,  
Eddie Sternberg  
29788 plantation lakes blvd  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 8:50:17 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

We must keep gas vehicles we cannot tell people what they can, or cannot do or this is not America anymore

Sincerely,  
Maria Sutz  
29672 Cobblestone Way  
Millsboro , DE 19966

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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5/22/2023 8:39:32 AM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

The regulation is wrong-headed. The manner in which it is potentially being instituted is improper - the legislature should consider such a sweeping change and have to act on it after the facts are known. The whole thing is a virtue-signaling exercise, and gives no consideration to the impact on the lives of the citizens to whom the bureaucrats in DNREC are supposed to be serving.

Sincerely,  
Ron Axsom  
33357 Lakeview Ct. Unit 19001  
Bethany Beach, DE 19930

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Marcus Dodge  
37031 Blue Teal Rd  
Selbyville, DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 7:39:55 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Do you have the authority to take away our freedom of choice?

Sincerely,  
Kenneth Ambrose  
162 Petherton Dr  
S. Bethany, DE 19930

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

DNREC: I disagree with your plan to have 100% EVs. EVs are not the only solution to redcuing emissions. For Example I have solar panels. The EV technology is noth there yet to go 100% nor is the infrastruture. The US will not be able to mine enough material for all of these batteries because china is cornering the market on Batteries. I 100% disagree with 100% EVs in Delaware

Sincerely,  
David Diefenderfer  
113 New Castle Street  
Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Timothy Hannan  
36962 Trout Terrace North  
Selbyville, DE 19975

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 7:23:13 AM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
William Human  
114 Steven Lane  
Wilmington, DE 19808

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 6:46:31 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

how can they be so stupid.

Sincerely,  
ROBERT R SEELIG  
24 Parker Dr  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 6:33:49 AM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Many people, including myself, cannot afford an EV. Perhaps when the price comes down!

Sincerely,  
Barbara Prindle  
101 Stacey Drive  
Millsboro, DE 19966

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 6:23:29 AM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I think if people want to purchase an electric vehicle that is fine, but I don't believe we should be made to purchase it. Let the transition happen naturally , not forced

Sincerely,  
Elizabeth Baxter  
123 N Porter St  
Seaford, DE 19973

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/22/2023 6:12:52 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Don't force an electric vehicle on all of the people who don't want those!!!

Sincerely,  
linda hurka  
32869 Watchtower Dr  
Selbyville, DE 0

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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5/22/2023 5:59:21 AM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

People makin these decisions have no idea of the amount of mining required for 1 battery. In most case the electric grid infrastructure cannot handle the additional load on the system. Consequently, larger or more power plants will need to be built. So where did the zero emissions go???

Sincerely,  
Daniel Nardone  
29037 Channel Dr  
Selbyville, DE 19975

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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5/22/2023 12:13:39 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This policy is going to fast! We do not have enough charging stations nor the cash

Sincerely,  
Joanne Bull  
32879 Watchtower Drive  
Selbyville, DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 10:51:22 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Support the proposed regulation referenced above.

I'm supportive about the zero emissions vehicles however I do not agree with a mandate that would require all gas vehicles to be off the roads by any certain date. I can not afford to buy an electric vehicle or any new or used gas vehicle currently. My truck is 20 years old and I keep it well maintained. Also I feel as though many mechanics would loose their shops and work. What I'm supportive of is the phasing out the manufacturing and sales of gas vehicles. But it needs to be done in phased time periods over many many years. And to that end, electric vehicles should have a line of basic vehicles without all the loaded extras that would also have a cheaper price tag then most current electric vehicles. If the goal is to switch all vehicles over to electric then lower and middle class incomes should have affordable baseline electric vehicles they will be able to purchase new or used. Another last thing I've been thinking about is what happens to classic or antique vehicles that run on gas? Car shows are an American past time. Will the classic cars no longer be allowed to drive on motorways and will there be gasoline for those cars when we get to a time period where the electric vehicle has taken over?

Sincerely,  
Eric Bunting  
805 Holly Street  
Milford, DE 19963

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 11:08:39 PM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Judi coyle  
34307 Indian River Dr  
Dagsboro, DE 19939

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 10:58:20 PM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Joanne Ferguson  
2703 Landsdowne Drive  
Wilmington , DE 19810

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 10:52:19 PM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This is a ridiculous notion to think that not selling gas powered cars in DE is going to cut down on the number of gas powered cars on the road! Not to mention that we don't have the infrastructure in place to support a mass of electric cars. People will go out of state to purchase their car. You just hurt the dealers! Please use common sense and rethink this!

Sincerely,  
Patricia Minnigh  
25345 Shelby Court  
Millsboro , DE 19966

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

It makes sense to move towards building infrastructure to make this an option. But technology is not mature enough to replace internal combustion engine vehicles in many roles that normal consumers need or want and there is no guarantee that we get to that point by the date of the mandate. Moreover, the push to replace vehicles with more expensive alternatives will cause havoc in the used-car market, particularly for those who will least be able to afford the change.

Sincerely,  
Jeffrey Jenkins  
4616 Talley Hill Lane  
Wilmington, DE 19803

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 10:23:45 PM

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I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Charles W. Hastings  
31405 Bishopville Rd.  
Selbyville, DE 19975

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Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

We are NOT ready to go to electric vehicles only. I do NOT support this stupid idea.

Sincerely,  
Claudia McPaul  
30678 Oak Ct  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I believe this mandate is premature considering the condition of our present infrastructure. I see no advantage of creating a situation of failure where our electric grid is concerned. I also believe to mandate the purchase of such an expensive automobile is unconstitutional, not to mention the inhumane production of EV in the Congo and China. I think this idea is a sham and I strongly disagree with the entirety of it. The citizens of this country have been mandated to death! We have had so many things banned over the past 2 years it's difficult to see what we are still allowed to have or do. Stop this nonsense!

Sincerely,  
Sandy Mayhew  
451 Commodore Dr.  
Middletown, DE 19709

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I drive a fusion. That's the kind car you want to support

Sincerely,  
Janet Pallas Dudley  
29234 Mayesville Way  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

MANY OF US (INCLUDING ME) HAVE GAS-OPERATED VEHICLES, PLENTY OF THEM THAT ARE NEW. SUGGEST SOME RESEARCH BE CONDUCTED TO TECHNOLOGICALLY ALLOW CURRENT GAS VEHICLES BE SOMEHOW RETROFITTED TO ALLOW CONTINUED OPERATION.

Sincerely,  
Stephen Sroka  
36822 Jahnigen Drive  
Frankford , DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Living in a home with no garage, is there any security device on a charging point that would be located in my driveway? What's to stop someone from plugging in there when I'm not home and stealing electricity?

Sincerely,  
Timothy Cura  
2211 Fairfax Blvd  
Wilmington, DE 19803

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:39:44 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Kathryn Richards  
Iron Pointe Dr.  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

There are many real world problems with Electric Vehicles that no one seems to directly address. What is the primary source of Lithium and other Rare Earth metals used in the production of EV vehicles? Answer is China. <https://www.worldatlas.com/articles/the-top-lithium-producing-countries-in-the-world.html> <https://investingnews.com/daily/resource-investing/critical-metals-investing/rare-earth-investing/rare-earth-metal-production/> <https://www.visualcapitalist.com/chinas-dominance-in-battery-manufacturing/> Where do you plan on getting all the extra "copper" you will need for EVs? <https://hackaday.com/2022/08/31/we-cant-switch-to-electric-cars-until-we-get-more-copper/> The US has 1 rare earth metals mine in operation today located California's Mojave Desert and accounting for only 16% of the world market. It is highly doubtful that any new sources within the US will be operating in any sort of serious capacity by 2035. Thus the dependency on China would continue. Furthermore EPA regulations and licensing costs will make such endeavors too costly. How do you plan to solve this issue in the next year? You are aware that mining operations for metals and lithium is far worse to the environment than pumping hydrocarbons out of the ground? <https://hir.harvard.edu/not-so-green-technology-the-complicated-legacy-of-rare-earth-mining/> Next up what is the plan for recycling all of these metals once the EVs are no longer working? Lithium today is not recyclable. They are working on it but will it be "cost effective/neutral" and how much of a threat to the environment will such a process be? <https://undark.org/2021/01/21/electric-car-looming-recyclability-problem/> <https://apnews.com/article/fires-vehicle-fires-69421270f049c9875c07b011e8d4a51e> How do you plan on increasing the amount of power that will be needed for this new fleet of electric transportation? California has less than 10% of their transportation fleet electric and they have had put into place power rationing as late as last summer. The only viable solution today, minus natural gas, oil or coal, is Thorium Salt Nuclear Fission reactors. How many of them do you plan to have online serving the citizens of Delaware in the next 2 years? How many permits have been applied for in the state of Delaware? <https://www.cbsnews.com/news/california-heat-blackout-risk-power-rationing/> How do you plan on upgrading electrical service to all properties to support the charging of 1 or 2 vehicles? Its one thing for a single service upgrade its quite another to have the capacity for multiple upgrades in a neighborhood. How do plan to properly equip fire departments to handle electric vehicle fires? <https://nypost.com/2022/10/06/electric-vehicles-catching-fire-in-florida-after-hurricane-ian/> How are you going to explain to owners of these EVs that they may only get 7 years of life out of them before the batteries will need to be replaced which can be between 25% and 50% of

the original price. What is the resale value of a 10 year old EV with original batteries? The internal combustion engine has its faults but it is far more reliable and less costly to maintain the EVs. There have been really interesting new designs with Rotary engines that show promise of more power, compact size and yes reduction in pollution. There is the Liquid Piston engine and the Omega 1 as but two examples. How will you explain charging time to citizens on a trip from Delaware to say Orlando Florida takes about 18 hours by internal combustion engine, how long will it take with an electric car? (It takes about 15min start to finish to fill and pay for gas, how long will it take to fully charge and electric vehicle every 200 miles at best, remember basic physics the faster you charge something via large current the higher the resistance which creates heat and increases the risk of fire.) Furthermore, weather can actually effect the range of the vehicle "researchers found on average range could decrease about 40% due to cold temperatures and the use of heat". How about when you are stuck in traffic and your run out of juice? With a gas powered vehicle you can call AAA and have a 5 gallons of gas provided to get you to the nearest service station. How does that work exactly with an electric car? Look at what NY found out when they tried to electrify their sanitation Vehicles <https://www.government-fleet.com/10187457/nyc-sanitation-fleet-may-not-meet-electrification-deadline> There are very serious questions and issues I have raised and unless you have solutions ready to solve these problems TODAY this idea of no new ICE automobiles needs to be tabled for another 20 to 40 years when real sound cost effective solutions have been found. Not only would you be putting the cart before the horse, the cart is not even built yet. I see no need for this forced transition on the Citizens of Delaware. It will hurt the middle class and poor disproportionately in terms of costs.

Sincerely,  
Joseph Barisa  
2114 Valley Run Drive  
Wilmington, DE 19810

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

You will put all delaware car dealerships out of business with your ridiculous ideas of EV mandates. DO NOT VOTE FOR THIS RIDICULOUSNESS!!!!

Sincerely,  
Minda Nardone  
29037 Channel Dr  
Selbyville , DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 7:37:52 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Ronald Kitzhoffer  
18626 Old Canal Ln  
Millville, DE 19967

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 6:51:01 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Cassandra Schreiber  
17083 Turtle Hill Rd  
Milford, DE 19963

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 6:42:12 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Angela Purcell-Patti  
37712 E Shady Dr  
Selbyville, DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 6:30:11 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I cannot afford this? I collect antique cars... won't be able to drive them.

Sincerely,  
Jodie Morris Hammel  
118 Fox Glove Drive  
Harrington , DE 19952

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 6:28:31 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Barbara Bunting  
805 Holly Street  
Milford, DE 19963

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 6:21:19 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Cathy Schreiber  
17083 Turtle Hill Rd  
Milford, DE 19963

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 6:21:43 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Yale Schreiber  
17083 Turtle Hill Rd  
Milford, DE 19963

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 5:26:01 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This mandate is not sustainable due to the fact that only 25% of the world's Lithium is accessible to be mined.

Sincerely,  
John Reinford  
19118 Jackstone Way  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 5:04:07 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Stop with the political agendas that are increasingly tearing American families apart. This is ruining our economy for very questionable benefit for the environment.

Sincerely,  
Brian A Edgerton  
31215 Riverwood Rd  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 4:58:57 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Laurie Hartnett  
27857 Roanoke Rapids Lndg  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I support a true non-fossil solution like hydrogen, fusion, or fuel cells. A solution that is fail-safe (unlike wind/solar) and has zero reliance on fossil fuel electric producing power plants.

Sincerely,  
Mike Miller  
27815 Roanoke Rapids Landing  
Millsboro , DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

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RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

No one i know has money to buy a new car that cost as much as a house.. and a car in which its process to make and dispose of its batteries make just as much worldly emissions etc than gas ones... solar is needed

Sincerely,  
Andrea Blevins  
P.O. Box 39  
Selbyville, DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 4:24:46 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Jacki Maxwell  
33531 Cleek Way  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 3:53:34 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

We are not prepared for going all electric, we do not generate sufficient power or have sufficient distribution systems. The costs to suddenly do all this is prohibitive. The next step should be hybrid vehicles. The big batteries are not yet practical, setting up charging stations expensive, battery power diminishes as temperatures decline, charging on a long trip is not practical. Space for refueling stations to spend 2 - 3 hours charging is not available. We need new generation of batteries, again, we cannot suddenly afford this!

Sincerely,  
Charles N Darling  
2124 N BAYSHORE DR  
Milton,, DE 19968

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 3:25:34 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Live and Let Live... The Left-Winged Government is Crippling America With There Radical Agenda... !!

Sincerely,  
Vernon Besteder  
7378 Crystal Lake Drive, Apt 4  
Swartz Creek, DE 48473

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 3:10:49 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

mandating electric vehicles doesn't make sense until infrastructure is in place. develop a sound plan for infrastructure first

Sincerely,  
Rick Jasinski  
24676 Shoreline Drive  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 2:53:12 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Can not support this action until someone shows me a plan that shows how the electric grid will support all these cars, how you will protect the environment from all these batteries and how manufactures will keep the car costs under control.

Sincerely,  
Barbara Jasinski  
23731 Herring Reach  
Lewes, DE 10959

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 2:45:58 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Jessica Lee Tyre  
22 Lighthouse Road  
Selbyville, DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 2:17:51 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This mandate is absurd! The electric batteries, the solar panels, the windmills, etc. — all depend on fossil fuels for their development. This is all about political rhetoric and doesn't do a damn to preserve the environment. In fact, it intensifies the reliance and demand of fossil fuels. I am fed up with this nonsense and the greedy and corrupt politicians whose only interests are for more control and to enhance their wealth.

Sincerely,  
Robert Massaro  
23 Shinnecock Rd  
Dover, DE 19904

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 2:05:18 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Delaware does not need to do this just because California is mandating electric vehicles. We should not be tied into any mandates, or laws, from CA. We shouldn't be forced to buy into their craziness.

Sincerely,  
Vicki Dombrowski  
29510 Glenwood Drive  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 2:03:01 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Sandy Seigle  
34310 Maple Leaf Dr South  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 1:23:00 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Carole Seibel  
7076 Juniper Draw  
Park City, DE 84098

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 1:19:54 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Completely against a mandate, all options for vehicles should be freely available. Let the buyer decide, keep the state out of it.

Sincerely,  
Eric Dill  
849 Summerset Dr  
Hockessin , DE 19707

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 1:11:45 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I love the idea of electric vehicles, although I would also love the idea of gas, powered vehicles becoming incredibly efficient because there's a long way to go there possibly there are ways of having zero emissions with fossil fuel

Sincerely,  
Mike Bonti  
30738 Mary Mitchell Xing #804  
Milton, DE 19968

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 1:05:21 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

The proposed mandate for electric vehicles in Delaware should be abandoned because electric vehicles offer very small improvements in CO2 and ozone levels compared hybrid vehicles but they require extensive, expensive and unnecessary changes in Delaware's infrastructure. Data from air monitoring stations located exclusively in Delaware show that the state is in compliance with clean air standards. It is only when the data is merged with data from the Philadelphia area that some thresholds are exceeded by small amounts. Delawareans should not be penalized for the pollution in Philadelphia. If you look at the Delaware-only data, the current mix of Delaware hybrid- and gas-powered vehicles is not harming the environment. The tiny benefits of electric vehicles are greatly offset by their disadvantages when compared to hybrids. Electric vehicles require extensive and expensive charging station infrastructure while hybrid vehicles are autonomous. Electric vehicles will overwhelm the ancient electric grid in Delaware while hybrids are "electric grid-neutral". In California, state officials already have asked residents to refrain from charging their electric vehicles during periods of high electric usage. Electric vehicle ranges are reduced when carrying heavy loads or when extremely hot or cold weather occurs. Hybrid vehicle technology has addressed this issue. Finally, requiring electric vehicles will make it impossible for poor people to travel freely because of the excessive purchase prices and maintenance costs compared to hybrid vehicles. Restricting gas-powered vehicles will also unnecessarily drive up transportation costs for poor people. Mass transit can not fill the void because of the limited network of routes.

Sincerely,  
Paul Gilligan  
2629 Pennington Drive  
Wilmington, DE 19810

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 12:53:03 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

The executive branch of government does not have the authority to unilaterally declare that only electric vehicles will be sold in the state. That is something for the legislature to discuss and put forth as law. The state also should not penalize those who can not afford a new car by making them pay more at the DMV for their existing old internal combustion engines. This state is prone to strong coastal storms such as Hurricanes and Nor'easters, as such, the power goes out quite frequently with said storms, and therefore limits the freedom of citizens to move around if they can not charge their electric cars. The State of Delaware's infrastructure can not handle a rapid influx of electricity usage from having to charge electric cars.

Sincerely,  
Christopher Murray  
33058 Omar Rd  
Frankford, DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 12:58:04 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I think it's ridiculous. So many nor easterns in this area or tropical storms. The thought of electric car mandates makes me extremely worried. These vehicles in studies have proven they couldn't hold up to those conditions. Just imagine how much money that would be to have to handle those situations. How many more resources being tied up because of that decision. Open your eyes.

Sincerely,  
Amanda Murray  
33058 Omar Rd  
Frankford , DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 12:47:34 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Diana Morris  
19035 Holts Lane  
Millville, DE 19967

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 12:18:10 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This "mandate" is insane

Sincerely,  
Robert Gannon  
28156 Sloop Ave  
Millsboro , DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 12:10:50 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Tom Folliard  
36766 Hummingbird Way N  
Selbyville , DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 12:05:46 PM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

We, the people, want our country back!!!!

Sincerely,  
Pat Kirby  
30978 Rock Dove Ct  
Ocean View, DE 19970

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 11:56:53 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Do not support mandates imposed by unelected bureaucrats. The infrastructure cannot support an all electric vehicle mandate The time frame is ridiculously ambitious

Sincerely,  
Maureen Graves  
227 Sandy Beach Dr  
Dagsboro, DE 19939

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 11:40:19 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Bruce W Venables  
32342 Apron Way  
DE - Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 11:21:07 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This is the most ridiculous proposal I've seen in awhile.

Sincerely,  
Gail Beynon  
36103 Vireo Circle  
Ocean View, DE 19970

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 10:49:32 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Tired of mandates. The needed support for EV vehicles is not adequate. The cost of building them and supporting them is high and does little to help the environment

Sincerely,  
Brenda Faherty  
33398 Paddle Drive  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 10:46:22 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This is pure Govenor Carnage control!!!!

Sincerely,  
Robin Brown  
335 Pond Road  
Millsboro , DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 10:21:31 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Are you serious!!! Cars with batteries only are Catching on fire...they also weigh 30% more than a regular car. They don't pay for the roads. The process to create batteries creates toxic waste and the process to create electric cars as well as the electricity to power them creates almost as much pollution as gas powered cars.

Sincerely,  
Theresa Wright  
37041 Teal Ct  
Selbyville , DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 10:25:01 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Carl Thompson  
71 Colburn Dr  
Clayton , DE 19938

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:56:02 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

The infrastructure isn't set up and won't be set up in time for the dates that the federal government is trying to adhere to.

Sincerely,  
Robin Debuskey  
38476 Carroll Drive  
Millville, DE 19967

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:51:29 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
William T Frazier  
24869 River's Edge Rd  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:44:55 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I am opposed to this awful Vehicle mandate

Sincerely,  
Rodney Williams  
25798 Magnolia Cr.  
Millsboro , DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:47:38 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

How can I afford this!!!

Sincerely,  
Matt Hetrick  
740 Old School House Rd  
Middletown , DE 19709

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:38:55 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Not affordable, not sustainable, where is our choice? Talk about pollution, what are we going to do with all of our perfectly good vehicles.

Sincerely,  
Jane Duca  
33411 Central Ave  
Frankford , DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:30:46 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Until there is more information on the cost and the effect on the environment for how the process affects the environment from start to finish and how the batteries affect the environment from start to finish, I oppose this until there is more research and information.

Sincerely,  
Dawn Fox  
30836 Longleaf Rd  
Dagsboro, DE 19939

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:24:46 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Rosemarie Rollins  
33142 Ogre Drive  
Ocean View , DE 19970

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:23:55 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

It's not feasible and emissions are required to produce batteries. There is no such thing a zero emissions. There are just produced somewhere else.

Sincerely,  
Phil Shull  
1706 Maple St.  
Wilmington, DE 19809

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:17:19 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Support the proposed regulation referenced above.

I am STRONGLY IN FAVOR of this bill. The time has come and we are actually late in taking this step (and others to mitigate fossil fuels and global warming). There is plenty of time between now and 2035 to implement. There may be some inconveniences and difficulties, but they can be surmounted. In the end, owning an EV will save the customers money on fuel and repairs and we will be closer to saving the planet. There are many bogus arguments being recklessly pandered to the DE public about this issues; some of this bogus info is coming directly from DE elected officials and I find this very disturbing. These officials are clearly attempting to stoke fear where it is not warranted.

Sincerely,  
Sarah Biondello  
32316 Turnstone Court  
Mikllsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:09:48 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

I would Never support such a short sighted regulation, infrastructure is no where near that what's needed to support such a idea , where's the money coming from for those upgrades ?? My pocket?? I'll leave this state all together, I'm already out of state for 5 to 6 months, this would be all that is needed to send me away for good . No way I'd let a government mandate what vehicle I buy . Government already is too invalid with private life of its citizens..

Sincerely,  
Danny Pusey  
34859 Dupont Blvd  
Frankford , DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:11:10 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This will cause a burden on Delawareans. Sussex County has no emission problems. Let US choose what we wish to purchase.

Sincerely,  
Donna Distasio  
10Old Mill Dr  
Ocean View, DE 19970

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:07:44 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Many people in this country cannot afford the added costs. The vehicle cost and the installation of all necessary charging equipment to be put into your home is astronomical. Where is all the power to charge these vehicles going to come from. Where are the toxic batteries when no longer able to be used going to be disposed of. This is not something that can be forced on us without a lot of thinking and preparation on the government and industry side. We have very few charging stations in our area. Please reconsider and give this a long thought process.

Sincerely,  
Linda Collins  
35114 Helmsman Way  
MILLSBORO, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 9:04:27 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

The earth started to get closer to the sun in the ice age, the ice melted, today we are still getting closer to the sun, hence climate change and warmer weather. Combustion engines have nothing to do with it. How is the electricity needed to power all the cars going to be manufactured? This idea has not been thought through, it seems that our dumb politicians are jumping in the band wagon of everything electric. S T O P I T! Yes we can make more progress to curb pollution with technology and education, not M A N D A T E S.

Sincerely,  
Pierre Saez  
33301 Lone Cedar Landing  
Millville, DE 19967

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:57:59 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

This is a prime example of government over reach.

Sincerely,  
DONALD T HEATH  
30239 IRONBRANCH ROAD  
Dagsboro, DE 19939

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:56:44 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

It would be absurd to stop selling gas powered cars!!!! Most of us do not want to buy them!!!

Sincerely,  
SUSAN ZARCHIN  
322110 FORT DUPONT DRIVE  
MILLVILLE, DE 19967

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:51:45 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Until the infrastructure is in place and working as expected this mandate should be put on hold.

Sincerely,  
Donna Guearino  
116 River Bend Drive  
Dagsboro, DE 19711

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:07:55 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Another example of government overreach. As a consumer, in a country based on "freedom & liberty", how is it possible that our state government believes it has the power & authority to mandate what it's citizens can buy & not buy? NO E.V. MANDATE!

Sincerely,  
Douglas Pusey  
36117 Parker Road  
Frankford, DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:47:59 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Please rethink this. Lots of problems

Sincerely,  
Mary Price  
224 West Bourne Way  
Millsboro, DE 19966

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:41:22 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
John Timmons  
76 West Ave  
Ocean View, DE 19970

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:38:12 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Janet Wanner  
28415 Carroll Taylor Dr  
Laurel, DE 19956

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:36:17 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Bernadette burghardt  
36217 Tee Box Blvd  
Frankford, DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:32:57 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

The infrastructure is not in place to support this and the technology does not support long distance travel.

Sincerely,  
Terri Thompson  
37499 Leisure Drive  
Selbyville, DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:32:51 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Rick L Ackerman  
4 Persimmon Ln  
Harbeson, DE 19951

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:06:55 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

If the State wants to mandate electric vehicles, let them mandate it for state and county owned vehicles for a period of no less than 5 years and see how it works out for them. The tax paying, law abiding, hard working citizens shouldn't be the Guinea pigs for their little "feel good" effort to halt the use gas & diesel powered vehicles. Also, the production of these batteries and the materials it takes to manufacture them are obtained outside of the US. Let's focus on using our own resources on US soil and stop being reliant on other Countries. During WW II our Country relied on its citizens to produce the food and weapons our Country needed to win and keep our people fed. Today unfortunately I don't believe we are in a position to say that we could do it again. We need to make our Country self reliant again. Our Country has more challenging times ahead without shoving EV down our throats!

Sincerely,  
Dawn Pusey  
36117 Parker Rd  
Frankford, DE 19945

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:20:29 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

We are just not ready to have only Electric Vehicles.

Sincerely,  
Mary Coffey  
353 Sandpiper Dr  
Bethany Beach, DE 19930

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:10:23 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

It is ridiculous to have one . Taking our freedom of choice away. In USA we have a constitution.

Sincerely,  
George Ritter  
37022 Laws Point Road  
Selbyville, DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 8:06:40 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Let the transition occur organically. If the transition to Ev is worth it, it will occur organically, be wanted and embraced.

Sincerely,  
David Jewell  
38792 Wilson Ave  
Selbyville, DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 7:56:18 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Delaware does not have the infrastructure to support charging EV's. How will this impact the population who cannot afford EV's?

Sincerely,  
Carol Ignaciuk  
31574 Winterberry Parkway  
Selbyville, DE 19975

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 7:56:21 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Sincerely,  
Paul Muller  
16 Josephine Lane  
Ocean View, DE 19970

Theresa Newman, Hearing Officer  
Delaware Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

5/21/2023 7:35:16 AM

RE: Docket #2022-R-A-0011

I am writing to state that I Oppose the proposed regulation referenced above.

Transition to zero emissions through hybrid until the zero emissions gets better distance and charging is much faster. Also how many new fees will be required due to a lost in tax revenue what is the environment impact on used batteries. Lastly where is all the lithium coming from ,China

Sincerely,  
Robert Dressel  
27081 Firefly Blvd.  
Millsboro, DE 19966