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I find it difficult that this little state that welcomes millions of "out of stater tourists" to our beaches would decide to inflict the extra expense of purchasing an electric vehicle to off set the amount of gas fumes and pollution from all these out of staters. The cost of one of these "vehicles" could burden the normal and low income citizens. The amount of repair shops that would be impacted would be detrimental. Not to mention, when are the batteries being disposed? Do YOU have a "plan" for that? Oh, you won't be in office then, not YOUR problem. How about, when the other surrounding states don't follow suit. I, for one, will go to another state to purchase my vehicle, thus, dealerships here in Delaware will lose business and the state will lose tax revenue. AND, what about the tax dollars the state reaps from the gasoline sales. From where are you going to make up that deficit? Oh, yeah, added tax on the citizens. This is not a good plan for this state and since you aren't going to limit the tourists coming her with gas consuming vehicles, you have defeated your purpose. I truly can't sign this respectfully, for I have no respect for you and your cronies. Janice Winkler.