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To: Krall, Kyle (DNREC) <Kyle.Krall@delaware.gov>

Dear Kyle Krall,

Right now, because we haven't signed on to the ACC program I can't buy an EV in Delaware. People have been complaining about not having a choice about buying a new gas car after 2035. I can't buy an electric car here NOW because manufacturers send the EVs to states that have signed on to the program already. They don't have to buy an electric or hybrid vehicle any time soon if they're not comfortable. They can buy a hybrid if they worry about electric supply or charging. You can run your hybrid on gas if needed. You can keep your gas car past 2035. You can buy a used gas car after 2035. I want to have a chance to buy an EV if I want to.

DNREC Staff,

I want to urge you to not listen to the opposition groups that are pouring thousands of dollars into Delaware to try and stop your progress on this vital front!

The clean cars program you are working on addresses the climate crisis by reducing greenhouse gas emissions. 70% of transportation greenhouse gas emissions come from passenger cars and trucks.

This shift also addresses the serious health impacts from smog and other tailpipe pollution like asthma, cardiovascular disease, impaired lung development in children, and preterm and low-birthweight infants, for all Delawareans but particularly disadvantaged communities. The ACCII also includes improvements in the air quality standards that protect our health.

Delaware drivers deserve to have access to these clean, money-saving, health protecting vehicles that are almost completely unavailable from Delaware dealers until we join this program.

Don't let the opposition's misrepresentations get in the way of this important opportunity.

The many benefits are compelling and I urge you to stay the course and pass this regulation.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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