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

Dear Kyle Krall,

We have federal and state programs already in process for expanding the necessary infrastructure and we need our state government to adopt the California Advanced Clean Cars II (ACCII) regulations to have the availability of electric cars for sale in-state needed to make the transition and greenhouse gas reductions. ACCII will require manufacturers deliver an increasing number of EVs and plug-in hybrids to our local dealerships in DE. People will still be able to drive their gasoline-powered cars and sell them used after 2035. The state has already committed to building out dozens of rapid chargers and even more of level 2 chargers over the next 2-5 years. This program will help ensure private investors come to Delaware to help pay for infrastructure buildout, creating thousands of jobs.

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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