

Fw: EV Mandate

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Sir:

This is wrong on so many levels.

- 1) There will not be enough electric generated to supply this mandate.
- 2) The batteries are an environmental disaster at their end of life, as well as one now with the mining technique.
- 3) The batteries are a fire and first responder hazard.
- 4) Most can not afford an electric car. Nor will they as a battery is insanely expensive even if a used car is purchased.
- 5) Mandates in general, having not gone through the legislature smack of power hungry departments or politicians. Don't be one.
- 6) Business will cease in Delaware, as there are no trucks that can do the required job for the majority of businesses.
- 7) Hydrogen would be better subsidized in my opinion.
- 8) Tying Delaware to California standards is foolhardy at best. We are NOT California

Sincerely;
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