Opposed to Gasoline-powered Vehicle Ban

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Dear Mr. Krall:

I am in strong opposition to the proposed DNREC regulations that would eliminate gasoline-powered vehicles in the future. This is a wrong-headed regulation based on the California model of pollution control. New Castle County is NOT California and in no way requires similar actions.

There is poor science to support the advantages of EV's, as they create a heavy burden on the electrical grid and generate a significant stream of highly toxic waste, as a result of the current battery technologies. There is also a tremendous cost difference in the purchase price of EV's and traditional vehicles. This places a burden on those in lower economic brackets that can not be remedied by tax policy. I encourage you to drop this effort and focus on actions that truly benefit Delawareans.

Regards,
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