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This rule is a boneheaded idea. When will you understand that electric vehicles do not work for the majority of the people in Maine?

We are too rural, and too cold for electric vehicles to work. I live in a rural section of the state and need to drive long distances to get to the grocery store and doctor. The range of electric vehicles does not work for me. Also, the cold weather even shortens the range. It takes me two hours to go to my camp and there is no electricity there or anywhere near there.

Maybe someday this will work when the technology improves but NOT NOW, and NOT on the schedule you are proposing! Barbara Hildebrandt Levant and Deblois ME