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Please do not mandate electric vehicles. The technology isn't good enough yet, there isn't the infrastructure, and replacing batteries is an expensive proposition. The fact that your meeting was postponed due to a power outage only reinforces the need to not do this - in a power outage you can't recharge your EV. Do not turn Maine into California.

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Thanks, Doug