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I moved from California to Maine 12 years ago. I speak to the fact that without gas powered cars, generators, furnaces, etc. we would not be alive. Everyone in Maine has to travel to work. The fact that we are a state with diverse jobs and major reliance on the tourist industry, frequent power outages do not make it possible to rely on electricity to power anything. People died on highways when stuck in blizzards....can you imagine the death toll for anyone waiting for the electricity to come back on so they can get warm not to mention starting their car? Try waiting an hour without heat while your car is recharging ! It is not feasible. The people who drive those big trucks to dig out everything from businesses to roads cannot rely on a battery to get the job done. This mandate has failed everywhere and the Biden administration is subsidizing billions to support a very stupid mandate that simply supports China. We get it! We cannot support this mandate. We also hate that our fields are being destroyed by solar panels which are from China. They don't make electricity cheaper. I have yet to see where this is a solution that benefits anyone besides the business that supports it....mostly in China.

We are Americans and we stand with the rights and liberties of being Americans.

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Ps Ron is a retired Navy Seal. We are proud of our military and they fight to preserve freedom. Don't think that concept is dying anytime soon.