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Dear BEP Board:

This is the craziest idea I have ever heard. It will create extreme hardship on the real people of Maine. Even with major government Subsidies (which are yet another problem of waste and corruption) EV's are way too expensive for real Mainers. In addition, in a State as large as Maine, they are insanely impractical. Do you people ever travel north of Portland?? If you did you would immediately see the folly of such a mandate. In addition, you must know, if you did your homework instead of holding to the Democrat party line, that Maine's electric grid cannot possibly sustain this crazy idea. For the love of god please vote against this. If ever there was a case for this being a major substantive rule (promulgated by non elected bureaucrats rather that elected officials) this is it!

Sincerely,

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