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To whom it may concern,

It is irresponsible to mandate the use of Electric Vehicles with out a sustainable low cost source of energy being in place to generate the required electricity to support this mandate, all this mandate does is burns more fossil fuels at power plants vs in our vehicles. Wind and Solar are **not** the answer! Until our state, our region and our country gets behind supporting our power infrastructure with Nuclear power plants to provide sustainable, environmentally low cost electricity any mandates on the use of EVs is criminal.

Best regards,

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