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Dear Air Quality Bureau Cayting,

Greetings,

Please vote against ANY mandates requiring EV's in Maine. We live in a rural town and need our gas vehicles to haul materials and supplies for business as well as wood, game, groceries and to get through the harsh winter weather.

We already have limited resources and are experiencing higher than normal costs. Semi retired and living check to check is difficult and stressful enough.

There is ZERO benefit for my family and my community as we are off the grid of the suburban areas. This does not make sense for me, my family nor for the entire state of Maine.

We want choices not mandates! THIS is not the way to encourage people in the cities that might benefit from having an EV to purchase one.

WE are worn down subsidizing all the dreams of the unproven technology.

Let Mainers decide. THAT is the way life should be and what we are fighting for.

Thank you for doing the right thing by supporting our independence in this critical decision.

Sincerely,

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