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I'm totally against the widespread forced adoption of EV's, I'm not against the idea or adoption of them. I think this is a market solvable problem that is being forced on consumers. With time, the cost, and serviceability of these types of vehicles will get better, but to put a government set time limit on it is really going to put a lot of consumers in a bad situation.

Also if I can quote the article I read that led to this email:

" Maine BEP was scheduled to vote on the issue on Dec. 21 but canceled it when the state experienced a massive storm that knocked out power for almost a week in parts of Maine."

I find the above quote very ironic. If you don't understand why, buy an EV and move to rural Maine where we lose power often, sometimes for days.

Thank you,  
Jesse Haskell

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