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Good day,

I would like my voice to be heard on the subject of the electric vehicles mandate for Maine. I want to be able to purchase the vehicle that I would like to purchase, and not to be told that I need to buy a car that I cannot afford and that would cost so much in electric costs to charge even if I could afford to buy one, and even if I could afford to have the electric hooked up at my home. I do not have the money as I am a senior living on my Social Security. I plan to buy gasoline cars in the future, and I will not allow someone to tell me what I have to buy. I am against this mandate, which I do not feel is constitutional as it would end my rights to choose what I want.

I do not feel that these electric cars are safe as I have seen a lot burn up because of these batteries, which are also very expensive and if you need a replacement, most people cannot afford the battery, so the car would be deemed totaled. This doesn't even make any sense.! Let's use common sense people. We all know there is no climate issue..all a hoax. My vote is no on the electric car mandate, please listen to the people of Maine !!

Sincerely,

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