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THIS IS NOT CALIFORNIA. We all saw what happened when temperatures plummeted. Electric cars would only run for short periods and charging was a nightmare. We don't need this stupidity in our State. I, for one, will NEVER buy an electric car. Let's look at their reliability - fires, a 100% recall of Tesla cars, an electric grid that will NOT support this. Again, **THIS IS NOT CALIFORNIA!!!** Leave my car alone. I have a hybrid; why don't you concentrate on hybrids. This is such a scam perpetrated by idiots that want to steal from us.

They're more expensive to run and are, in some cases, more harmful to the environment. They rely on child slaves to mine the minerals necessary for the batteries. EV batteries are a lot like Goldilocks' taste in porridge - too hot or too cold gets the big thumbs down.

Extreme heat can speed up the degradation of an EV battery pack, whereas extreme cold can negatively affect the vehicle's range. That results in having to be more mindful of what temperatures your EV is exposed to, as blaring heat from the sun or frigid conditions are only going to do damage.

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