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To Whom It May Concern:

I again write in opposition to EV mandates of any kind in the state of Maine.

EVs are too expensive, unreliable, create a fire hazard, require foreign materials/parts/labor, aren't recyclable, and their mining/production is more harmful to our environment than fossil fuels. We don't want em!



China's Abandoned, Obsolete Electric Cars Are Piling Up in Cities
bloomberg.com

Look how long it took to restore power after this last wind storm. How many of us would still be without power if work crews and first responders were mandated to use EVs that couldn't operate?



Winthrop School District one of several to report issues with new electric school buses
centralmaine.com

Look what happened recently in Florida with EV batteries after the hurricane and costal flooding.



Florida officials warn EV owners to move vehicles away from 'catastrophic' storm surge
smartcitiesdive.com

It's NEVER too late to do the right thing for Maine's prosperity! I urge everyone to OPPOSE EV MANDATES IN MAINE!

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