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Hello,

I think this is a terrible idea.

We in no way near have the infrastructure to support this, especially in rural Maine which makes up the majority of the state. I personally spend a great amount of time in northern Maine and this would definitely not be feasible up there. I am a contractor and rely on my vehicle and it's warmth a great part of the winter and an electric vehicle just would not work for me. Ask any plumber that goes on no heat calls and they could fill you in on this matter.

It has not been working and does not look like it is going to in any other state, what makes you think it would even possibly be a great idea in Maine?

I also believe that it is not up to the government to determine for me what type of vehicle I will have to drive and why would my government force me to operate a vehicle that puts our country in more dependency on foreign countries. Please do not pass this bill.

Thank you,

Scott Bilodeau