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This scheme will unfairly effect health and equity of minorities, people with disabilities, seniors on fixed incomes and small businesses throughout Washington. The environmental impact from lithium mining, battery hazardous waste and the increased disposal of combustion engine vehicles will be devastating and unsustainable. This movement is also a threat to our national security as seen recently in California where demand for electricity was greater than supply - in the event of an emergency - crews will struggle to recharge the equipment necessary to protect our investments and natural resources. How will brush and wildfire crews be able to keep their equipment running?