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The EV Mandate and vehicle gasoline engine ban is unrealistic and would have negative impacts on lower income households and rural communities. EVs are expensive to purchase and the electric grid is not adequate for current power demands let alone massive numbers of EVs. Rural residents have longer distances to drive for various needs. Consider natural disasters and the need to evacuate an area. No one would want to be stuck in traffic with limited electric battery power. Washington residents should purchase an EV if and when they want to not by government mandate.