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I understand the need you want to move to electric, but I think you also know that there is not enough rare-earth minerals to replace all vehicles in Washington state, let alone the entire United States. Producing batteries is much more toxic than oil and we don't even produce batteries in the United States, but in China which would make us dependent on a country that doesn't like us.

If you switch to a hybrid model, then you can produce 3x as many vehicles than you could with electric at a much lower cost for everyone.