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Batteries are manufactured using expensive, rare materials that are costly to manufacture and very costly to replace for the car owners. The batteries can also emit toxic fumes. Most electricity used to power electric vehicles is generated from non-renewable energy sources, which can have a negative impact on both our health and the environment.

The cost of the electric vehicles will be prohibitive for a majority of working class and those in lower socioeconomic classes.

At this point there is not enough charging stations and likely will never be in rural areas where some live but many like to visit, such as mountainous regions for camping.