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I don't favor this proposal. There are limitations to the use of electric vehicles, but more importantly, this action will cause many who don't want to purchase electric vehicles to purchase used vehicles or continue use of existing gas powered vehicles which will continue to pollute, or may pollute more due to advanced age. These older vehicles also lack many safety upgrades the lack of which make them less desirable for use on our roadways. Finally, in many rural areas, charging options are limited or unavailable as well.

It is always preferable in a democratic society to present options and allow the people to determine their choice of action. Mandated choice by rule of law is never acceptable.