

## Clark County Citizens Inc.

The over 6,000 members of Clark County Citizens United, Inc. are adamantly opposed to changes to WAC Chapter 173-423 Clean Vehicles Program, which proposes incorporation of California's motor vehicle standards. Washington state needs to stay far away from California's failed policies. They are taking hydro dams out, the windmills are killing birds and the solar panels are polluting the environment. Whatever benefit one gets from electric cars is offset by these negative items. We need a full complex of energy possibilities, which includes fossil fuel. As the United States continues to improve its carbon footprint, and technology continues to be enhanced to allow that, coal and fossil fuel fit nicely in the whole scheme of things. To be sure, hydro-electricity is far superior to all of the other electric producing options. Washington has that advantage and should take it by building hydro dams throughout the state, wherever there is a flowing river. The benefits far outweigh the negatives. Like the lightbulb, they can figure out a way to do it. There's room for both gas and electric cars.