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I oppose adopting California emission standards in NM. I am a farmer and without my heavy duty trucks I doubt I can continue to farm. I certainly cannot afford the capital to convert my trucks or tractors to electric. No question this impacts rural communities where long distance travel is not practical with current EV technology. Given coal and fossil fuels generate the majority of electricity in the US and wind and solar cannot based on basic physics and the same people pushing these technologies also oppose mining to source the materials to build EVs the whole concept is irrational without addressing the electric generation in the US first and sourcing of raw materials for EVs.