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My name is Walter Gerstle, a professional engineer and a retired UNM professor of Civil Engineering, and I thank the commissioners for holding public hearings on clean car and truck standards. I recently purchased an electric car, and I am completely thrilled with its performance. Strong clean car and truck standards will help all of us to get to net zero carbon as quickly as possible. Climate change is real, it is already here, and it is getting worse. Unless we act now to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, the climate disaster will be entirely beyond our control. Please enact strong carrots and sticks to enable a benign climate future.