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My name is Paula Brown from Hartford, Maine. This state is not California and our people in Maine do not want to mimic California. The people in Maine want our constitutional rights upheld to make our own choices including what type of vehicles we drive. EVs are much more expensive to purchase and are at this point in time fairly unreliable. I wonder how many of the people pushing for EVs actually own them at this time. EVs generate a different, but not necessarily better global warming effect.

The United States of America was founded on freedom to make choices. We are not a communist/dictator State or Nation.

I will continue to pray daily for the politicians in this state and nation.

GOD Bless America!!!

Sincerely,

Paula Brown