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## **Opposed to the replacement tire efficiency program**

Dear Honorable Committee members,  
Please do not pass this overreaching legislation.

Many of us use our vehicles for multiple purposes. Tire options that help preserve safety, function and performance that augment the original vehicle's capabilities for recreation, volunteering.

I live in an area that is subject to wildfires and mudslides. The factory tires are not suitable for traversing a mud covered roadway, or durable enough to withstand sharp rocks during off road red flag patrols. These are duties that I take on as an emergency preparedness volunteer and ham radio operator.

Thank you for your consideration.  
Sincerely,  
Steve Owen