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Hon. Carol Ferratella, President  
Ms. Amanda L. Chapman, Secretary  
Inter-County Association of Western New York  
c/o Steuben County Legislature  
3 East Pultney Square  
Bath, NY 14810

Dear President Ferratella and Ms. Chapman,

I am in receipt of Inter-County Association of Western New York's Resolution 015-24, Memorializing the Governor and the New York State Legislature to consider the impacts of efforts to electrify highway department vehicles by Adoption of the Advanced Clean Truck Rule. I appreciate hearing from you about this important matter.

This issue is particularly troubling to me. All members of the Senate Republican Conference have heard increasing concerns from local governments and businesses in their districts about the cost of electric trucks, highway impacts and charging infrastructure. Although legislation was passed to help build out electric vehicle charging infrastructure, those bills were enacted so recently that the infrastructure has not yet been built. This is also why the Senate Republican Conference was opposed to the Climate Leadership and Community Protection Act (CLCPA) and the all-electric legislation in the 2023-24 Enacted State Budget.

I am pleased you shared your resolution with Governor Hochul's office. I will be certain to keep your concerns in mind as these issues progress and when they come to the floor of the full New York State Senate.

I am also hopeful that your legislative efforts will help prompt appropriate action.

Please accept my best wishes. Do not hesitate to contact me if I may be of assistance in the future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "George M. Borrello".

George M. Borrello  
Senator, 57th District

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