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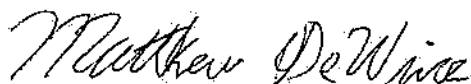
Members of the Ohio House of Representatives:

Lordstown Motors is pleased to offer support to HB 546, introduced by Representatives Smith and Weinstein, to halve Electric Vehicle and Hybrid Vehicle registration fees. By doing so this would allow both motorists of electric vehicles to pay a similar fee to those who use vehicles powered by internal combustion engines.

Lordstown Motors' mission is to create a better future through clean energy, innovation, and job creation. HB 546 is a sign that the State of Ohio shares that same mission with Lordstown Motors and is committed to the future.

As an electric vehicle manufacturer, Lordstown Motors is aware of what will impede progress, and therefore impede job creation and innovation. Electric vehicle implementation is much more plausible without vast fees. For that reason, Lordstown Motors is fully supportive of HB 546 and looks forward to seeing an advance in electric vehicle implementation down the road.

Respectively yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Matthew DeWine". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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