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No, I don't want more taxes. No, I don't feel guilty about burning coal to keep from freezing in the winter. No, I don't want to stifle the free market and thereby the economy. No, I don't want more endless government regulations.

Lets try the free market. People naturally buy more efficient cars unless they have a reason not too because they value their money spent on gas and are not stupid. Why does the government get to judge that my reasons for buying less efficient a car should be punished? How do I know the government will be fair about how the rules are implemented? I know they won't. Have you seen the IRS tax laws with all the loop holes? Government CAN'T be fair when trying to solve a problem. The government tried to solve the Indian problem how fair was that?

Focus on providing freedom of persons. Focus on letting the free market be free. Focus on protecting individual liberties. Who knows maybe someone will invent something way more clever then government could mandate. Let us be us. Don't burden is down with more rules and taxes. HANDS OFF MY FREEDOM.

I VOTE!!!!

No attachments were included as part of this comment.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,  
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