American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers (AFPM) President and CEO Chet Thompson today applauded the bipartisan passage of [H.R. 1435, the Preserving Choice in Vehicle Purchases Act](#), from the House of Representatives. [Chet testified](#) before the House Energy & Commerce Committee in favor of H.R. 1435 earlier this summer.

> "If President Biden and the EPA [green light California's unlawful bans](#) on gasoline-, diesel- and flex-fuel vehicles, **every American will pay a price**. Consumers everywhere will face higher costs for vehicles, electricity and any goods and services that require vehicle transportation; they could lose access to the vehicle models they prefer; and they will see our country become less energy secure and more dependent on China.

> "**Congress is right to clarify the limits of federal EPA power and take the threat of California vehicle bans off the table.** AFPM appreciates the leadership of Representatives Joyce, Latta, Bilirakis, Obernolte and Chair McMorris Rodgers, in spearheading the Preserving Choice in Vehicle Purchases Act (H.R. 1435) and **we thank the Democrats and Republicans who voted yes**. [This legislation is not anti-EV](#), it simply stops EPA from permitting and proliferating California vehicle bans. Transportation will continue to get cleaner and more efficient — on a faster timetable and at lower cost to consumers — if cars that run on American-made, American-grown liquid fuels are allowed to compete alongside electric vehicles and other emerging technologies." – **Chet Thompson, AFPM President & CEO**

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