

## EV Champion Training Webinar 3: EV Site Design

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## FEMP EV Champion Training Curriculum

### **EV** Technology

- ICE, HEV, PHEV, BEV
- L1, L2, DCFC
- FAST VLD Reporting

### EV Financials

**Training 1** 

- EV TCO calculations
- Utility bill analysis
- FAST EVSE reporting

### EVSE & Energy

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- EVSE charging/install
- Electric service review
- Working with your utility

#### **Training 2**

#### Site Design

**FOD** 

Equipment requirements Construction planning Utility interconnection

#### **Training 3**

### Site Operations

- Advanced Technology
- Managed charging
- Cybersecurity considerations

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## Training 3: EV Site Assessment

### **Course Learning Objectives:**

- Understand how to perform basic EV site assessments
- Assess equipment upgrades for EVSE
- Minimize construction costs through planning
- Collaborate with local utility
- Plan for future expansion

### **Continuing Education Units:**

- Navigate through WBDG to "My Account"
- "Proceed to Course"
- "Course Post Test"

### **Questions and Answers:**

- Ask through "Q+A"
- Panelists will monitor "Chat" as well
- We address most questions at the end of each section



## Agenda



**Key Federal Legislation** 

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**Energy Policy Act (EPAct) of 1992** 

Energy Independence and Security Act (EISA) of 2007, Section 141

EO 14008, Tackling the Climate Crisis at Home and Abroad

EO 14057, Catalyzing America's Clean Energy Industries and Jobs through Federal Sustainability

#### **EV technology**

- <u>eGallon</u>
- BEVs and PHEVs are considered ZEVs. Hybrids are not ZEVs
- EPA Fuel Economy Label → Fuel Consumption Rate Useful formulas

Fueling Cost = Fuel Consumption Rate \* Fuel Price
Charging energy (kWh) = Efficiency(kWh/mi) × Distance(miles)

Charge Time (hours) =  $\frac{Energy (kWh)}{Power (kW)}$ 

Utilittyy Bill = Flat Charge + Demand Charge + Energy Charge \* \*

#### EVSE

- Power level (level 1,2,3)
- Connector types (SAEE J1772, CSS, CHAdeMo)

#### **Useful formulas**

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Charging energy requirement  $\left(\frac{kWh}{charge}\right) = VMT X$  Fuel Consumption Rate  $\frac{KWh}{mile}$ Power Demand  $(kW) = \frac{Total Charging energy requirement <math>\left(\frac{kWh}{charge}\right)}{Charging Window (hours)}$ 

 $Power(Watts) = Current(A) \times Voltage(V)$ 

**National Electric Code Section 625** 

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<u>Branch Circuits</u>: Each EVSE permanently installed must be supplied by an individual branch circuit.

<u>Overcurrent Protection</u>: circuit breakers must be sized for 125% of the maximum EVSE load.

**Useful formulas** 

<u>Level 1</u>:  $16 A \times 1.25 = 20 A Breaker$ 

Level 2:  $32 A \times 1.25 = 40 A Breaker$ 

Electrical requirements 1-phase and 3-phase services accommodate Level 1 or 2 units.

# Article 625's requirements boil down to following the manufacturer's instructions

#### Markings



### **Control and protection** е Personal protection system EV supply equipment shall have listed protection against personnel shock **Overcurrent** protection The maximum rated EVSE that could be installed on a 50A circuit. is 40A rated equipment.

#### Location



Indoor: 18 " – 48" Outdoor: 24" - 48" above the finished grade.

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## **EVSE CONFIGURATIONS**



Level 1 EV supply equipment

Reference [1]

Level 2 EV supply equipment

**DC fast charger** 

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## Infrastructure Requirements & Design Guidelines

#### Vehicles

Choose vehicles and technology. # of PHEVs # of BEVs

#### EVSE

Choose EVSE type and quantity.

SSAE Level 1/2 SAE CCS/CHAdeMO

### Analysis

Determine necessary upgrades.

Service Panel Circuit Breakers

#### Utility

Contact utility rep regarding new load. Equipment Upgrades Utility Rates

### Construction

Install new infrastructure. Conduit/wiring EVSE



Zero Emission Vehicle (ZEV) Planning and Charging

### ZPAC

CEQ: The White House Council on Environmental Quality FEMP: Department of Energy Federal Energy Management Program Federal Fleet Management GSA: U.S. General Services Administration Fleet



## ZPAC – Identify Best ZEV Opportunities



### Output: # of BEVs & PHEVs at each site



## **FleetDASH AFV Screening Tool:** Using Fueling Transactions to ID ZEV Candidates

- Which vehicles have the greatest petroleum reduction potential?
- Which technologies provide greatest cost savings?

The light-duty vehicle table displays the total fuel used in the prior fiscal year and estimates petroleum savings based on available AFVs in the existing vehicle segment and the availability of alternative fuel stations near the existing vehicle's transactions from the prior fiscal year. AFV options that result in annual operating cost savings are shaded.

#### Download CSV

					Search:			
	Fiscal Year 2020 Light-Duty Vehicle Data				Estimated Petroleum GGEs Reduced*			
VIN	Тад	Vehicle Segment	Total GGEs <b>≬</b> ↑	BEV↓₹	PHEV	HEV	E85.11	
		Sedan/St Wgn Subcompact	159	159	118	72	N/A	
		Sedan/St Wgn Compact	151	151	115	56	Estimated A	nnual Operating Cost Savings:
		Sedan/St Wgn Compact	145	145	110	54		> \$250
		Sedan/St Wgn Compact	135	135	95	31		> \$0 - \$250
		Sedan/St Wgn Compact	128	128	90	29		Added costs
		Sedan/St Wgn Compact	126	126	89	29	N/A	
		Sedan/St Wgn Compact	118	118	89	44	N/A	
		Sedan/St Wgn Compact	108	108	76	25	N/A	
		Sedan/St Wgn Compact	107	107	81	40	N/A	
		Sedan/St Wgn Compact	102	102	77	38	N/A	

\* GGEs reduced compared to a base case where prior year GGE consumption is all petroleum use.

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## **Infrastructure Requirements & Design Guidelines**

## **Site Design Element**



Reference [5]



## **Parking Interface**



The wider and/or longer parking spaces in a parking facility are usually best for installing EV charging stations.

#### Reference [1]

## **Rules of Thumb for EVSE**



- Level 1 for PHEVs
- Level 2 for BEVs
- Use ENERGY STAR-certified charging equipment
- Install Level 2 charging equipment that can supply multiple parking spaces
- Prioritize sites where you want to install a lot of EVSE
- Install charging equipment closest to electrical supply services
- Consider utility incentives, site constraints, and simplicity of installation in prioritization
- Install more EVSE than you need for year one
- ~50% as many EVSE ports as LDVs at site is a good goal



## **Models for Utility Engagement**

#### Models of Utility Investment in Electrical Vehicle Charging Infrastructure



## **Electric Infrastructure**



From left to right: (1) pole-mounted transformers; (2) surface-mounted transformer and electrical panels; (3) circuit breakers in electrical panel

#### Reference [1]

## **Classification of Electrical Services**

•Frequency: 50 Hz or 60 Hz

•Number of phases: single or three phase

- •Number of wires: 2, 3, or 4 (not counting the safety ground) •Neutral present:
  - Wye connected systems have a neutral
  - **Delta** connected systems typically do not have a neutral

•Voltage classes: (ANSI C84.1-2016)

- Low Voltage: 1000 volts or less
- Medium Voltage: greater than 1000 volts and less than 100 kV
- High Voltage: greater than 100 kV and equal to or less than 230 kV
- Extra-High Voltage: greater than 230 kV but less than 1000 kV
- Ultra-High Voltage: equal to or greater than 1000 kV

In addition to ensuring safety where EVSE is installed, utilities are concerned with overloading local transformers.

## **Power Interface**

Rate Plans	Rate Description		Panel Choices	
		Use Existing Panel	Add 2nd Panel or Meter Socket Box	Upgrade Existing Panel
<b>Residential</b> Plan (D) Single Meter	Tiered Rate* Home and electric vehicle loads measured together	Option #1 (likely no meter change)	N/A	Option #2 (likely no meter change)
Home & Electric Vehicle Plan (TOU-D-TEV) Single Meter	Time of Use Tiered Rate* Home and electric vehicle loads measured together; rates higher during the day and lower at night	Option #3 (meter may need to be replaced)	N/A	Option #4 (meter may need to be replaced)
Electric Vehicle Plan (TOU-EV-1) <i>Two Meters</i>	Time of Use Rate Electric vehicle load metered separately from home load; home remains on current rate and meter; electric vehicle rate is higher during the day and lower at night	N/A	Option #5 (panel upgrade or addit before second m See page 4 for detailed	Option #6 ion must be complete eter is installed) panel configurations.

#### Reference [2]

\*With tiered rates, cost per kWh increases with the amount of electricity used.

## **EVSE Needs**

Will power sharing features mean I need half as many EVSE as EVs?

EVSE needs are dependent on different factors Vehicle energy needs (daily VMT) Vehicle dwell period (charging opportunity) Parking capabilities (# of parking spots) Congestion (coincident vehicles) And more...

- Overestimate needs but consider where EVSE can be reduced.
  - Telematics analysis helps!





## **EV Utility Finder (EV U-Finder)**



#### EV U-Finder: Electric Vehicle Utility Finder





See Intraduction worksheet for notes on using EV U-Finder.

Customer Types:

Identified	active utilities in 80401		G: Government or P	i: Government or Public; C: Commercial; R: Residential						
Ulility	Utility Name	Utility Ownership	Known EVSE Funding Eligibility?*	Known Advisory Services Eligibility?*	Known Federal EVSE Incentives?	GSA Areawide Contract?	Identified Utility Contact or Phone Number (as available)	Identified Utility Contact Email	Known UESC Contact?	Known UESC Email?
1	Intermountain Rural Elec Assn	COOPERATIVE						Cooperative Contact		
2	Public Service Co of Colorado	INVESTOR	GCR	CR		Y	DiLorenzo, Steven	steven.j.dilorenzo@xcelenergy.com	DiLorenzo, Steven	Steven_J.DiLorenzo@xcelenergy.com
3	NA	NA								
4	NA	NA								
5	NA	NA								
6	NA	NA								
7	NA	NA								
8	NA	NA								
9	NA	NA								

#### Utility Associations

Utility Ownership	Directory or Contact
INVESTOR	EEI Utility Federal Contacts
PUBLIC	APPA Utility Directory
COOPERATIVE	NRECA Utility Directory
Cooperative	NRECA Federal Coordinator
Contact	Lauren Khair: Lauren.Khair@nreca.coop

https://www.publicpower.org/where-public-power

https://www.electric.coop/our-organization/nreco-member-directory

#### **State Level Incentives**

State:	со			
Known EVSE Funding Eligibility?*:	GCR			

\*Customer Types: G: Government or Public; C: Commercial; R: Residential

#### Clean Cities Coalition

Coalition:	Drive Clean Colorado, a Clean Cities Coalition
Coordinator:	Bonnie Trowbridge
email	bonnie@drivecleanco.org
website:	https://driveclean.colorado.ora/

#### Additional Incentive Search Tools

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native Fuels Data Center (AFDC) Laws and Incentives	
s://afdc.energy.gov/laws/state	Ī
base of State Incentives for Renewables & Efficiency (DSIRE)	
s://www.dsireusa.org/	Ī

mand Response and Time-Variable Pricing Programs

https://www.energy.gov/eere/femp/demand-response-and-time-variable-pricing-program

#### Edison Electric Institute Investor Owned Utility Incentives

For more deta	ils see "EEI Database" worksheet			Increase row heights to view complete details.			
Incentive	EEI Electric Company	EEI Holding Company	Program Name	Description	Website (If available)		
1	Public Service of Colorado	Xcel Energy	Public and Community Charging Hub	Public and Community Charging Hub EV Solutions help expand Level 2 and fast charging options for EV drivers away from home. Businesses,	https://co.my.xcelenergy.com/s/business/ev/public-fast-charging		
2	Public Service of Colorado	Xcel Energy	Accelerate your Fleet & On-The-Go	0			
3	Public Service of Colorado	Xcel Energy	Accelerate Your Fleet	Advisory Services to support electrification of fleets within Xcel's service territory.	https://co.my.xcelenergy.com/s/business/ev/fleet		
4	Public Service of Colorado	Xcel Energy	Multifamily EV solutions	Existing multifamily properties hosting charging for residents and guests can work with an EV Concierge to participate in one of the Company's	https://co.my.xcelenergy.com/s/business/ev/multifamily-charging		
5	Public Service of Colorado	Xcel Energy	Income Qualified EV Purchase or Lease	The EV Rebate is available to the Xcel Energy's income-qualified customers and provides \$3,000 off the purchase or lease of a pre-owned EV and	https://ev.xcelenergy.com/ev-rebate-co		
6	Public Service of Colorado	Xcel Energy	EV Dealer Network	In an effort to help our customers wherever they are on their EV journey, Xcel Energy launched an EV Dealer Network in March of 2021. Through the	https://ev.xcelenergy.com/dealers		
7	Public Service of Colorado	Xcel Energy	Accelerate At Home	The EV Accelerate At Home program launched on August 5, 2021. Through the program, residential electric customers are provided a Level 2	https://ev.xcelenergy.com/ev-accelerate-at-home-co		
8	Public Service of Colorado	Xcel Energy	Home Wiring Rebate	Through the Home Wiring Rebate program, launched on August 5, 2021, residential electric customers can receive a rebate of up to \$500 (income-	https://ev.xcelenergy.com/home-wiring-rebate		
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<u>https://www.energy.gov/eere/femp/electric-vehicles-toolkit</u>

## Agenda



## Site Assessment 1

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- Fleet's Requirements
  - 5 LD ICE Vehicles  $\rightarrow$  5 ZEVs
  - Operated: 5 days/week from 9 am-5pm
  - Average daily travel (VMT) ~ 50 miles
    - Occasional longer trips
    - unpredictable schedule
    - AWD preferred



Design Note The Outlander's **13.8 kWh** battery can be fully recharged in 3.7 hours with a Level 2 EVSE. This is limited by the **3.7 kW** onboard charger.



Range 24 miles on electricity/320 miles

https://www.fueleconomy.gov/feg/Find.do?action=sbs&id=44460

## Worksheet – EV Adoption Plan

#### 1. Which vehicles in your fleet are good candidates for electrification?

- a. Consider daily vehicle miles traveled (VMT) and assess travel consistency and garage locations.
- b. Estimate the daily energy needs for each vehicle.
- c. Review BEV and PHEV options while considering each vehicle's rated electric range.

### **EV Adoption Plan:**

Vehicle Fuel consumption Rate = 45 kWh/100 miles

Energy (kWh) = 24 miles \* 45 kWh/100 miles

= 10.8 kWh\*/vehicle/ day

Total Charging energy requirement = 10.8 kWh\* 5(vehicles) = 54 kWh/day

#### **Pro Tips:**

- Consistent parking locations create opportunities for daily charging.
- BEVs are ideal for use cases with a majority of daily VMT less than the rated range (e.g. 98% of days within the 250-mile Chevrolet Bolt range)
- Extreme temperature days can negatively impact driving range and may require mid-day charging.
- PHEVs are great for vehicles with • varying travel & garage locations where frequent mid-day charging would be a challenge.
- Most BEV sedans operate at an • efficiency around 3.6 mi/kWh so a 50 kWh battery pack should translate to 180 miles of range.

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Energy (kWh) \approx
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\*daily electricity needs per vehicle, assuming no mid-day charging

## Site Assessment 1: Charging Window



#### When is the best time to charge your EV?



Per-vehicle charging rate (kW) = 6.75 kW ÷ 5 vehicles = 1.35 kW/vehicle VREL | 32

## Worksheet – EVSE Requirements

#### Per-vehicle charging rate (kW) = 6.75 kW ÷ 5 vehicles = 1.35 kW/vehicle

#### 2. What type and how many EVSE units will be needed for these EVs?

- a. Estimate recharge session duration for Level 2 EVSE, based on daily vehicle energy needs.
- b. Compare vehicle recharge times to typical dwell periods to estimate EVSE needs.
- c. Consider how vehicles could share EVSE infrastructure based on vehicle dwell and charge times.

#### EVSE Requirements: Daily Vehicle Energy Needs: 10.8 kWh Pro Tips: AC Level 1 Typical Level 2 EVSE operates AC Level 1: (120 V x 16 A = 1.9 kW) around 7 kW (1.5 kW for Level 1) 1.35 kW < 1.9 kW Charge time: 10.8 kWh / 1.9 kW = 5.7 hours Energy (kWh) Session (hrs) = $\frac{2\pi (c_{s}, c_{s})}{Power(kW)}$ **Design Note** Every 25 miles a vehicle travels will Additional panel capacity for 5 Level 1 The level of battery require about one hour to charge 16 A x 1.25 x 5 = 100 Awith most Level 2 EVSE units. charge, connector Most fleet BEV applications use • speed, and on-AC Level 2: (240 V × 32 A = 7.7 kW) - 3.7 kW\* Level 2 charging, but some threeboard charger will shift operations require DCFC and be tailoring to low VMT applications or PHEVs Charge time: 10.8 kWh / 3.7 kW = 3 hours could use Level 1 energy & Depending on energy needs and . installation Additional panel capacity for 3 L2 dual-port units usage patterns fleets do not always requirements require a 1:1 ratio of EVSE to EVs $32A \times 1.25 \times 6 = 240 A$ The EVSE to EV ratio can become more flexible with more FVs based in a single location. \*On-board charger limitation

Design Note Wall mount units and dual port units offer the most affordable unit prices per port.