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IN THE MATTER OF:)	Docket No. 17-EVI-01
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California Electric Vehicle)	NOTICE OF JOINT AGENCY
Infrastructure Project (CALeVIP))	STAFF WORKSHOP
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)	RE: Streamlining the Electric Vehicle
)	Charger Permitting Process

Notice of Joint Agency Staff Workshop on Streamlining the Electric Vehicle Charger Permitting Process

The California Energy Commission (Energy Commission), the California Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz), and the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) staff will conduct a joint public workshop to discuss the importance of streamlining the electric vehicle (EV) charger permitting process in California. The workshop will be held:

**August 28, 2019
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM**

**California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street
Art Rosenfeld Room
Sacramento, California 95814
(Wheelchair Accessible)**

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Agenda

Introduction	(10:00 AM – 10:10 AM)
EV Charging Station Permitting Guidebook	(10:10 AM – 10:30 AM)
CALeVIP	(10:30 AM – 11:00 AM)
EV Charger American with Disabilities Act Compliance	(11:00 AM – 11:30 AM)
Lunch	(11:30 AM – 12:30 PM)
Roundtable Discussions and Public Comments	(12:30 PM – 4:00 PM)
Streamlined Jurisdictions and Local Ordinances	(12:30 PM – 1:50 PM)
Break	(1:50 PM – 2:00 PM)

ADA Accessibility Codes:

(2:00 PM – 3:00 PM)

Utilities Current Process:

(3:00 PM – 4:00 PM)

Background

California's EV charging station permit streamlining law (Assembly Bill (AB) 1236 Statutes of 2015, Chapter 598) was enacted to address the needs of EV charging station providers to streamline the permitting process; the need for better information from applicants, and a directive to create streamlined processes. To help address these challenges, AB 1236 established requirements for the permitting process and communication methods for cities and counties, essentially putting best practices into statute. Communities need to implement AB 1236 and improve upon its requirements by sharing lessons learned and best practices. The EV charging industry is rapidly evolving and its success hinges on ongoing dialogue and process improvements.

The CPUC's current Development of Rates and Infrastructure for Vehicle Electrification (DRIVE) Rulemaking ([R.18-12-006](#)) focuses on better alignment of internal and external state agency resource planning processes, including permitting alignment efforts, while addressing the role of the investor-owned utilities in meeting the state's EV adoption targets and greenhouse gas emission reduction goals.

This workshop will share lessons learned, resources, and information about the importance of streamlining the permitting and installation processes for EV chargers from different permitting jurisdictions and state agencies.

Public Comment

Oral comments: Staff will accept oral comments during the workshop. Comments may be limited to three minutes per speaker and one speaker per organization. Any comments may become part of the public record for this proceeding.

Written comments: Written comments must be submitted to the Docket Unit by **5:00 p.m. on September 13, 2019**. Written comments will also be accepted at the workshop. However, the Energy Commission may not have time to review them before the conclusion of the meeting.

Written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g. address, phone number, and email address) become part of the viewable public record. This information may also become available via any internet search engine.

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“Comment Text” box or attached in a downloadable, searchable Microsoft® Word (.doc, .docx) or Adobe® Acrobat® (.pdf) file. Maximum file size is 10 MB.

Written comments may also be submitted by email. Include the docket number 17-EVI-01 and “Streamlining the EV Charger Permitting Process” in the subject line and send to docket@energy.ca.gov.

If preferred, a paper copy may be submitted to:

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Re: Docket No. 17-EVI-01
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Questions on the subject matter of this meeting should be directed to Brian Fauble at Brian.Fauble@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-3974.

Questions on the Electric Vehicle Charging Station Permitting Guidebook should be directed to Tyson Eckerle at Tyson.Eckerle@gobiz.ca.gov or (916) 322-0693.

Questions on CPUC’s current DRIVE Rulemaking should be directed to Carrie Sisto at Cs8@cpuc.ca.gov or (415) 703-2872.

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Availability of Documents

Documents and presentations for this meeting will be available at:
<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=17-EVI-01>.

Dated: **(DATE)** at Sacramento, California

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