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**Bestfit Innovative Charging Solutions**

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To Whom It May Concern:

HEVO is a leader in EV wireless charging, currently in the midst of commercializing its technology. California is an important market for our company and we appreciate the California Energy Commission's market development initiatives including the BESTFIT program.

HEVO has focused for more than 8 years on developing safe, seamless, certifiable, and scalable wireless EV charging equipment and software. Our motivations are similar to the goals of the CEC. The HEVO system enables business models, interoperability, and user experiences that increase utilization, reduce cost, and enhance emerging electric vehicle applications.

We believe the program as articulated in the May 12<sup>th</sup> virtual workshop is well thought out and designed. For your consideration, we are sharing a few comments that may help further clarify and improve the program.

#### **Funding (Slide 37)**

- Consider allowing the same applicant to apply to more than one focus area and receive the maximum award for each area. We are engaged with customers who have a variety of use cases and may have the potential for strong applications in more than one focus area
- For eligible costs, Include vehicle equipment (e.g. receiver, rectifier), software, and possible replacement warranty coverage for retrofitted vehicles.
- Allow for phased deployment of projects to ensure funds can be maximized as a project scales

#### **Evaluation Criteria (Slide 41)**

- Key certifications, standards, and capabilities are required to demonstrate potential for commercial success for wireless EV Charging e.g. SAE 2954 compliance, UL 2750, IATF 16949, ISO 9001, OCPP Compliance, ISO 15118
- We would also include evidence of customer demand

Thank you very much for allowing us to share our feedback on the BESTFIT program. Please let us know if you have any follow up questions or comments. We appreciate your time and consideration.

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