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**Notice of Pre-Solicitation Workshop on Charging Interoperability
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*IN THE MATTER OF:**Charging Interoperability and
Collaboration Yard Funding Pre-
Solicitation Workshop*

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NOTICE OF REMOTE-ACCESS
WORKSHOP

RE: Electric Vehicle Charging Interoperability

**Notice of Charging Interoperability and Collaboration Yard Pre-
Solicitation Workshop****November 14, 2024**

10:00am -12:00pm PST

Remote Access Only.

See Attendance Instructions.

The California Energy Commission (CEC) will host a workshop to gather feedback from interested parties on a potential Charging Interoperability and Collaboration Yard Funding Solicitation (hereinafter referred to as "Charge Yard"). This is the first pre-solicitation workshop on this solicitation. The Charge Yard solicitation proposes an open and neutral industry facility designed to support charging interoperability, implementation of global standards, advancement of next generation charging features, and industry collaboration.

The public can participate in the workshop consistent with the remote attendance instructions below. The CEC aims to begin promptly at the start time posted, and the end time is an estimate based on the proposed agenda. The workshop may end sooner or later than the posted end time.

Agenda

The Pre-Solicitation workshop will include staff presentations on the Charge Yard proposed project requirements, funding structure, and eligibility. Staff will seek feedback on the proposed solicitation, including project requirements. Attendees will have opportunities to ask questions and offer feedback during the workshop.

A detailed agenda and workshop slides will be posted prior to the workshop to docket 22-EVI-06:
<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=22-EVI-06>

Background

On May 5th, 2023, the CEC hosted a Charging Interoperability and Collaboration Yard Funding [Workshop](#) where staff proposed to fund a facility that will provide an open and neutral space for industry collaboration, knowledge sharing, interoperability testing, and conformance testing for ISO 15118. Numerous [written comments](#) were submitted in response to the workshop. The upcoming workshop will present the solicitation design based on the feedback received.

Charging interoperability describes the ability of different vehicles, chargers, and other charging related systems to function together without special effort from the user. Despite market progress toward standardized connectors and communication protocols, charging interoperability remains a challenge. Interoperability challenges may become a barrier to a seamless driver experience as customers and industry demand more advanced charging capabilities, such as “Plug and Charge” and bidirectional charging.

Remote Attendance Instructions

Participants may join via Zoom by internet or phone.

- **To join via Zoom.** Click on <https://energy.zoom.us/j/87407234445?pwd=yOQt4VIy0KaodKuKWpoda3TrFRFTz.1> or login in at <https://zoom.us/> and enter the Webinar ID **874 0723 4445** and passcode **082693** and follow all prompts.
- **To join by telephone.** Call toll-free at (888) 475-4499 or toll at (669) 219-2599. When prompted, enter the Webinar ID **874 0723 4445** and passcode **082693**.

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Public Comment.

The CEC encourages the use of its electronic commenting system. Visit the e-commenting page for this docket [22-EVI-06](#) at

<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/EComment/EComment.aspx?docketnumber=22-EVI-06>. Enter your contact information and a subject title that describes your comment. Comments may be included in the “Comment Text” box or attached as a downloadable, searchable document in Microsoft® Word or Adobe® Acrobat®. The maximum file size allowed is 10 MB.

Oral comments will be accepted at the end of the workshop. Comments may be limited to three minutes or less per speaker and one person per organization. To comment via Zoom, use the “raise hand” feature so the administrator can announce your name and unmute you. To comment via telephone, press *9 to “raise your hand” and *6 to mute/unmute.

Written comments may be submitted to the Docket Unit by 5:00 p.m. on November 22, 2024. Written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (including address, phone number, and email address) will become part of the public record of this proceeding with access available via any internet search engine. Written comments may also be submitted by email. Include docket number 22-EVI-06 and Charge Yard Pre-Solicitation Workshop in the subject line and email to docket@energy.ca.gov.

A paper copy may be mailed to:
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Docket Unit, MS-4
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Availability of Documents: Documents and presentations for this meeting will be posted to docket [22-EVI-06](#) at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=22-EVI-06>.

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Dated: October 29, 2024, at Sacramento, California.

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