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Staff Workshop on Funding Strategies for EV Infrastructure

Public Discussion of Presentations

June 6, 2016



Public Comment

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- Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Planning and Funding Strategies
 - Strategic Planning
 - Data Collection
 - Infrastructure Deployment Assessment Modeling
 - Moving Towards a Sustainable Market
- Existing Regional Readiness Planning
 - Focused Projects
- Upcoming Solicitation for Regional Readiness



Strategic Planning

- We are considering various strategies to deploy charging infrastructure in order to spur PEV adoption:
 - Vouchers or rebates
 - Block grant to administer chosen via competitive process
 - Small targeted solicitations with simplified application form

What are your thoughts on these?



Strategic Planning

- What are the most effective financial incentives and funding mechanisms for various location types and actors?
 - Workplaces?
 - Multi-Unit Dwellings?
 - Fleets?
 - Destinations?
 - Disadvantaged Communities?



Data Collection

- Gathering data to inform deployment.
- Provide validation of charging infrastructure deployment decisions.
- What will be required for new chargers?
- Upgrades needed for previous charger installations.



Infrastructure Deployment Assessment Modeling

- Are there any alternative methodologies for projecting EVSE demand by region, by charger type, and by location type?
- Are there any other travel behavior data that can be used by the CEC to improve EV infrastructure planning?
- What other sources can be used to monitor EV market and consumer attitudes towards EVs?



CALCAP Loan Loss Reserve Financing Program

- Provide a "navigator" May be through local entities such as Clean Cities or EVSE providers could have a "navigator" on staff.
- Use by EVSE providers to purchase inventory.
- Use loan to match grants from an IOU or other public entity.
- EVSE providers with eligible list of customers apply for loan on behalf of their customers.
- Allowed manufacturing.
- Provide more flexibility for types of applicants.
- Modify the program.



Regional Readiness Plans/Focused Projects

- Capitalizing on existing analysis for PEV readiness planning work
- Focused Projects
 - Innovative Mobility Services by Using EVs
 - Apartments: Fresno Case Study
 - CalGreen: City of Oakland Case Study
 - South Bay Cities Council of Governments



Innovative Mobility Services by Using EVs

- How can the State government support innovative e-mobility projects?
- How do the opportunities and challenges in providing innovative mobility services differ by local regions?
- What specific activities should be considered to increase the use of emobility services in disadvantaged community areas?
- What best practices exist in the marketplace that would serve as a template for e-mobility projects?

Request for Information: Innovative Electric Mobility (E-Mobility) Services http://www.energy.ca.gov/contracts/notices/2016-05-10 ARFVTP eMobility RFI.pdf

Comments due by June 17, 2016!!



Fresno Case Study

- Is the "gas station" model with 50 kW DCFC a good proxy for apartments with no assigned parking or difficulty in putting in on-site chargers?
- Do we also need to look at strategic level 2 chargers for cars that can't use DC FC and for opportunity charging for destination drivers?
- Electricity supply sufficient for 50 kW DCFC?
- Impact to site host?



<u>Upcoming Solicitation for Regional Readiness</u>

- ZEV Feasibility Studies
- ZEV Plan Development
- ZEV Plan Implementation

