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P R O C E E D I N G S

10:05 A.M.

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, MONDAY, MARCH 11, 2019

MR. CRISOSTOMO: Good morning everyone.

Can I ask you to take your seats so that we can get the meeting started? We're going to go live on WebEx right now, so if everyone can take their seats please.

So this is the time and place for the 2019 Integrated Energy Policy Report Staff Workshop on Implementing AB 2127, assessing electricity vehicle charging infrastructure needs. My name is Noel Cristostomo and I'm in the Fuels and Transportation Division at the Energy Commission. Thank you everyone for coming.

So just in case of emergency, please, everyone follow Energy Commission staff outside the building. We'll walk down to P Street and cross the street into Roosevelt Park and assembly, in case there is an emergency that requires us to do so.

To introduce the day, I'd like to start by highlighting my team members, Wendell Krell, Energy Commission Specialist, and Kim Ho, Fuels

1 and Transportation Division's Legal Student
2 Assistant. And also throughout the room, you'll
3 see familiar faces throughout the Energy
4 Commission, including staff from the Energy
5 Assessments Division and Research and Development
6 Division as the scope of implementing AB 2127
7 requires us to closely integrate efforts across
8 the demand forecasting and technology research
9 areas of our work with infrastructure planning
10 and analysis.

11 First, in the morning, we'll have nine
12 presenters that will together overview of the arc
13 of our proposed work. And topics will start
14 broadly from our general legislative purposes and
15 end with in-depth examples of technical modeling.
16 So I will start with the legal background and
17 process for AB 2127 implementation in phases,
18 first in the context of the 2019 IEPR and ongoing
19 through 2020.

20 I'll continue -- or our colleagues from
21 ARB and the CPUC will continue and describe how
22 AB 2127 dovetails with their work in vehicle and
23 utility program regulation.

24 And next, we'll describe in depth how
25 you'll need to collect the latest market data to

1 ensure that our analysis under AB 2127 is useful
2 now and into the future and have colleagues from
3 our research community provide examples of recent
4 findings and highlight ways that you can
5 contribute to ongoing infrastructure analysis.

6 After a break from lunch, we'll reconvene
7 and prepare for an activity that intends to
8 identify how stakeholders can contribute to the
9 assessment. And so first, we'll review the
10 meanings of terms used in the legislation to
11 assist with this activity and that will let us
12 more effectively work during the afternoon
13 session. And I'll briefly highlight the need to
14 enter the analysis with a system's approach in
15 mind so that we can understand how the
16 infrastructure elements work together.

17 And during this deep dive activity, I'm
18 hopeful that it will be engaging and useful for
19 collecting this information because there is a
20 lot of data that needs to be collected to address
21 the scope and we have to account for many related
22 factors in this analysis. And so during this
23 time, we'll have you have any afternoon breaks on
24 your own during this hour and 45 minutes, and the
25 deep dive, and then close by describing how to

1 engage and continue to support this analysis with
2 your feedback as we move forward.

3 So on the topic of feedback, during
4 public comments there will be three opportunities
5 noted in the agenda. And if everyone -- if
6 anyone went -- came early and was not able to
7 pick up the presentations, they're available in
8 the foyer outside. Feedback on those
9 presentations will be available again during
10 those noted times.

11 During your feedback, please use the
12 microphone to benefit attendees on WebEx and for
13 our court reporter sitting there. And introduce
14 yourself and your organization.

15 Remote participants are muted, so please
16 chat your question to the host or use the raise-
17 hand button, so that your question can be asked.

18 And because there is a lot of material to
19 present, please wait for questions until after
20 the panels are completed so that we can ensure
21 smooth transitions. And Kim will be assisting
22 with timekeeping and showing five- and one-minute
23 warnings for our presenters.

24 And so during these public comment
25 periods to facilitate open discussion, we're not

1 going to be strictly moderating three-minute
2 limitations, unless the queue requires us to do
3 so. So please defer to the moderator, given the
4 pacing of that specific section of the day. So
5 please raise your hand if you'd like to raise a
6 question, since we don't have the podium to
7 account for the activity in the afternoon.

8 The workshop is being recorded and
9 transcribed and these will be added to the IEPR
10 Docket 19-IEPR-04 and posted online afterward.

11 So with housekeeping complete, we'll
12 transition to a few opening remarks from
13 leadership in the Fuels and Transportation
14 Division, Kevin Barker, Deputy Director, and from
15 the Energy Assessments Division, Matt Coldwell,
16 who's the Office Manager for the Transportation
17 Energy Demand Forecasting Unit.

18 Is Kevin --

19 MR. BARKER: Thanks, Noel.

20 Kevin Barker, Deputy Director, Fuels and
21 Transportation Division. Good morning. Welcome
22 everybody. Thanks for participating.

23 In today's kickoff for Assembly Bill
24 2127, the Energy Infrastructure Assessment,
25 although the assessment isn't due until the end

1 of 2020 the work is critical right now in the EV
2 space that we wanted to take up the issue in this
3 year's -- at least start the issue in this year's
4 IEPR. This is the first of three workshops we'll
5 host this year on the bill and really encourage
6 engaged participation to help shape and make the
7 most of the assessment.

8 The EV adoption rate has really escalated
9 and the infrastructure has not kept up with the
10 pace. There are now more than 550,000 EVs in
11 California and only roughly about 30,000
12 chargers, 20,000 of which are public charging.
13 It basically equates to 20 vehicle per charger
14 and the majority of those being Level 2 shows
15 we're in great need of infrastructure solutions.

16 I've also heard anecdotes about long
17 lines at DC Fast charging, which have been
18 spurred by transmission -- or transportation
19 network companies that make up about 20 percent
20 of the charger and only a small percentage of the
21 actual vehicles.

22 TNCs, like Lyft, are helping drive the
23 clean transportation transition by offering
24 options, like green mode, allowing passengers to
25 choose electric vehicles. However, Lyft isn't

1 unveiling that option in California currently
2 because of the lack of infrastructure and
3 oversaturation of EVs.

4 The EV Charging Infrastructure Assessment
5 will examine these issues and push the envelope
6 of what's needed for up to 5 million vehicles by
7 2030. It will examine infrastructure needs as we
8 decarbonize the ports and airports, a subject of
9 next month's workshop. We'll look at
10 optimization of charging and mobile charging,
11 which are key topics to think through as we have
12 limited funding resources.

13 Every week there are new products
14 announced or acquisitions, which does keep us
15 optimistic about achieving the scale needed to
16 reach the state's goal.

17 I'm proud the legislature has put faith
18 in the Energy Commission to pull off the
19 monumental task of assessing the infrastructure
20 needs. And I'm looking forward to working with
21 everyone and hope today's workshop is productive.

22 Thanks.

23 MR. COLDWELL: Good morning everybody.
24 So I am not Siva. Siva is my boss. He sends his
25 regrets for not being able to be here this

1 morning. My name is Matt Coldwell and I'm the
2 Manager of the Demand Analysis Office, which is
3 part of the Energy Assessments Division.

4 So in the energy -- for context, in the
5 Energy Assessments Division, one of our primary
6 products is producing the state's -- or the
7 California Energy Demand Forecast. And a key
8 element of that forecast is the Transportation
9 Fuels Forecast. And you know, for today's
10 discussion, you know, we're -- it includes a
11 forecast of -- you know, why it's important for
12 today's discussion, sorry, is electricity, you
13 know, forecasting electricity as a transportation
14 fuel.

15 And so the reality is, and Kevin sort of
16 touched on this, is that electric vehicles are
17 coming and they're coming fast. And our
18 Transportation Forecasting Team has the challenge
19 of forecasting just how fast they are coming.
20 And I see a couple members of our Transportation
21 Forecasting Team in the back, so if you could
22 raise your hand for me, Mark and Bob and Elena.
23 Yeah. So if you have any discussions on our
24 transportation forecast, those three are a great
25 resource for you.

1 So, of course, the team incorporates
2 several inputs and assumptions when forecasting
3 the number of electric vehicles in California.
4 And, of course, they're also continuously looking
5 at ways to best reflect or best capture and
6 reflect the changing EV market conditions in
7 California.

8 So some of the recent refinements that
9 they've made to the light-duty vehicle forecast
10 includes updated forecast on battery cost and
11 range, as well as a deeper dive into the effects
12 of incentives and regulations and their impact on
13 zero-emission vehicle uptake.

14 So currently the team is working on a new
15 California vehicle survey that will soon be
16 released that kind of keeps the pulse on drivers'
17 preferences. And that survey, unlike the
18 previous survey, has much more emphasis on the
19 impact of the availability of charging
20 infrastructure.

21 Also, the team is currently refreshing
22 the vehicle attributes that they use, the vehicle
23 attribute assumptions, both for the light-duty
24 vehicle sector and the medium- and heavy-duty
25 vehicle sector. And so that will -- should be

1 reflected in this year's transportation forecast.
2 And so they're continuously look at update the
3 information that we used on forecasting the
4 market.

5 And then finally, importantly for today,
6 the availability, location and type of charging
7 are key inputs to the transportation forecast,
8 given that consumer choice is really driven in
9 part, at least, by the availability of charging
10 and the consumers' comfort level knowing that
11 there's sufficient charging infrastructure
12 available to them.

13 So the Energy Assessments Division is
14 really excited about the AB 2127 Infrastructure
15 Needs Assessment. And one, it is ready to lend
16 its expertise and services to help develop the
17 assessment. And then two, of course, we look
18 forward to being able to incorporate the
19 information that's generated by this assessment
20 into future transportation forecasts.

21 And so just a couple of things, just to
22 finish with that I wanted to keep on everybody's
23 radar is one of the -- part of the California
24 Energy Demand Forecast, we do Demand Analysis
25 Working Groups. And so we have a specific one

1 that we're doing on transportation where we
2 gather expert input on some of the things that we
3 should be considering in our transportation
4 forecast, and so that's something that we'll be
5 doing later this summer.

6 And then finally, of course, as I
7 mentioned, we'll continue to coordinate with the
8 Fuels and Transportation Division, and Noel and
9 Kevin and their team, on gathering the insights
10 from this assessment and incorporating it into
11 our transportation forecast.

12 So that is all I had and so thank you
13 very much.

14 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So thank you to Kevin
15 and Matt for those introductory remarks.

16 So for my next presentation, I'll be
17 reviewing the process and requirements coming
18 into our AB 2127 assignment. I'll review the
19 legislative background, how the AB 2127
20 assessment will dovetail with the current
21 Integrated Energy Policy Report, and then
22 highlight potential outcomes of our analysis.

23 So AB 2127 was passed amidst California's
24 more than decade-long effort to mitigate climate
25 change. And last year it was passed from the

1 legislature and signed by Governor Brown. And
2 this was -- 2018 was a notable year for
3 transportation because the Air Resources Board's
4 greenhouse gas inventory reported that
5 transportation continues to be the largest source
6 of emissions and is increasing. And so when you
7 account for tailpipe emissions, petroleum
8 production and oil refining, it is the largest
9 source of, more than half of, the greenhouse gas
10 emissions in the state.

11 And more specifically, a different ARB
12 report related to SB 150 found that the number of
13 single-occupancy vehicles commuters is
14 increasing, almost in every region, and housing
15 demand is outpacing needs which is increasing
16 commute length. So there's a lot of work to be
17 done to electrify the sector.

18 And so to reduce the emissions, that
19 electrification effort is going in parallel to a
20 decarbonization of the power sector where by
21 2030, California has set goals through
22 legislative direction and executive orders to
23 deploy 5 million zero-emission vehicles, reduce
24 greenhouse gas emissions 40 percent, and have the
25 power system 60 percent renewable, on its way to

1 a 100 percent clean energy system by 2045.

2 This AB 2127 effort builds upon years of
3 analysis and funding to enable the installation
4 of charging infrastructure through the
5 Commission's programs, like the ARFVTP and, more
6 recently, the CPUC's oversight of transportation
7 and electrification programs under SB 350.

8 However, more work is needed to make sure
9 that the state's aggressive electrification goals
10 are met. And so AB 2127 was codified in Public
11 Resources Code 25229 which directs the CEC to
12 lead a biannual stateside charging infrastructure
13 assessment to meet the 2030 goals. Specifically,
14 it directs the Commission to expand its electric
15 vehicle infrastructure projections analysis to
16 consider all necessary charging infrastructure,
17 including charging, make-ready electric
18 equipment, hardware and software, and other
19 programs to encourage the option.

20 It also requires an examination, not only
21 just of light-duty vehicles but all vehicle
22 categories that are driving on roads and using
23 highways, but also off-road vehicles, port and
24 airport electrification. Further, it requires
25 the Commission to examine future needs and

1 existing needs throughout the state, particularly
2 in low-income communities. And during this
3 process, it will require us to continue to engage
4 our stakeholders, who are active in many
5 proceedings throughout the state.

6 And so this workshop is a key effort --
7 key first effort in this process.

8 The tasks posed by AB 2127 are both
9 broader and deeper in scope than the Commission's
10 electric vehicle infrastructure projections
11 analysis, which I hope many of you are familiar
12 with, which quantify the charges needed for the
13 personal light-duty vehicle sector by 2025.

14 And so on this slide, I highlight a non-
15 exhaustive list of macro-level factors which
16 influence the quantity and types of charging
17 needed in the 2030 timeframe. So on the top row,
18 I represent how policies that intend to reduce
19 emissions, clean tailpipe emissions from
20 vehicles, and plan for more sustainable
21 communities could affect the modes and types of
22 future infrastructure for transportation
23 electrification.

24 In the middle row, cost reductions of the
25 battery energy storage -- battery energy storage

1 systems, advancements in charging technologies
2 with higher -- increasingly capacities for
3 charging, and the three revolutions of
4 automation, connectivity and sharing, these are
5 all representative of how changes in the vehicle
6 technologies' sector have the potential to change
7 customer expectations related to infrastructure
8 and improve access to cleaner mobility options.

9 However, actual outcomes for travel
10 demand and emissions are dependent, particularly
11 in that last box describing the three
12 revolutions, are dependent on the extent that
13 which electrification, automation and sharing are
14 pursued together or independently of one another.
15 I encourage you to look at a UC Davis report on
16 the three revolutions.

17 And then on the bottom row, renewables
18 are changing the underlying way that the grid,
19 which will feed electric transport, is operating.
20 And so our infrastructure will need to function
21 differently in order to cost-effectively operate
22 and connect to a smarter modernized electric
23 grid.

24 And so all these macro factors are things
25 that I keep in the back of my mind and want to

1 make sure we're cognizant of as we go down this
2 analysis for the next roughly ten years.

3 So given these many factors effecting
4 charging infrastructure and the needs as AB 2127
5 describes it, it's useful to think about how
6 regulatory policy actions -- regulations and
7 policy actions drive the supply of and can
8 facilitate the adoption of new EV technologies.

9 However, it's important to recognize that
10 these infrastructure needs and our policies to
11 support infrastructure deployment are subject to
12 market forces and whether the solutions that we
13 are offering are compelling for customers. In
14 addition, there might be factors that are hard to
15 account for in our policy efforts and in our
16 analyses due to high variability, for example,
17 travel demands across regions, or real estate
18 costs and transaction costs for customers, or
19 those variables might be simply unknown because
20 of the newness of the technology or a lack of
21 understanding of how the mass market will -- how
22 the mass market will respond.

23 And so therefore at this early junction,
24 as we start AB 2127, we consider our effort to
25 analyze technology and model the needed charging

1 infrastructure throughout California to be a
2 process. It is one that will be informed and be
3 an informant to the state's emissions scenarios
4 and our best estimations of future outcomes by
5 2030. And this analysis is one that is -- will
6 be one that's subject to learning by doing
7 because driver behaviors and systemic factors
8 that are, at this point, unknown may affect how
9 we go forward, for example, in the second
10 biannual assessment.

11 So how might this work in practice?
12 Because AB 2127 became effective January 1 of
13 this year and it requires the Commission to
14 complete an assessment at least every two years,
15 I outline here a proposed process to phase our
16 assessment in conjunction with the IEPR.

17 So due to the large breadth and depth of
18 the analysis required and the lack of complete
19 information that is currently available to the
20 Commission for all the different vehicle sectors
21 that are listed and for all the infrastructure
22 elements that are required in the assessment, the
23 Commission will conduct the assessment in phases.

24 So implementing AB 2127 is a key part of
25 advancing zero-emission transportation, which is

1 a primary topic in the 2019 IEPR scope. The IEPR
2 overall will be finalized in January of 2020. So
3 to meet this timeframe, Staff are today
4 conducting technical and policy analysis as part
5 of our ongoing work as part of the ARFVTP or EPIC
6 and demand forecasting programs and are investing
7 the development of technical models with our
8 research partners. However, to acknowledge this
9 greatly expanded scope, during the March to May
10 timeframe, essentially now, we are going to have
11 to collect information from stakeholders and
12 develop scenarios to run with these models that
13 are, again, currently in development.

14 This will allow a short time for analysis
15 and drafting in advance of a June deadline for
16 the IEPR, which must be assembled, reviewed and
17 commented upon during the key three and key four
18 parts of this here for approval late in 2019.

19 So during the next quarter, in support of
20 this effort, the Commission will be holding
21 several workshops that relate to our data
22 collection effort. These will focus on on-road
23 vehicles today and could include workshops
24 related to the off-road sector, important airport
25 electrification, recent developments in the

1 electric vehicle markets, and a workshop,
2 potentially, on the grid impacts of charging.

3 So this is -- it is not likely that all
4 the information germane to AB 2127 implementation
5 will be available to us prior to this May
6 deadline, as 2019 progresses the Commission will
7 continue to collect input data and assumptions
8 for our quantitative analyses. Again, these are
9 in an ongoing development and we may need to
10 complete more discreet technology analyses
11 outside of the modeling efforts.

12 So due to the breadth of information that
13 is required, these ongoing efforts will be
14 relevant to a second AB 2127 report that the
15 Commission will prospectively publish by the end
16 of 2020.

17 So given the rapid timeframe for this
18 first assessment, that its scope is part of the
19 IEPR, we will be focused on a collaborative and
20 applied analysis. And so what does this mean?

21 We will need to leverage information and
22 feedback from you all because that will form the
23 basis of an independent and objective technology
24 assessment that meets the requirements of the
25 legislation. These may include transportation

1 demand models similar to the current EVI-Pro
2 tool. But given the additional elements that are
3 subject to the Commission's review, these could
4 also include technology surveys and site-specific
5 infrastructure assessments, for example, for
6 vehicle modes that operate more independently
7 outside of a transportation network.

8 And lastly, we recognize the role of the
9 assessment as a key part in answering pressing
10 questions at several interagency and local
11 efforts that need to understand the availability
12 and sufficiency of existing infrastructure, the
13 needs for additional new infrastructure to be
14 built, and third, the sensitivities of the
15 existing network and future projects according to
16 changes in technology demand -- technology and
17 vehicle demands.

18 And so with that, to set the stage, I'd
19 like to turn it over to a series of presenters
20 from my sister agencies, the Air Resources Board
21 and the CPUC. And that will lead into a
22 presentation from Wendell, which will lead into a
23 presentation from our researchers.

24 So I'd like to introduce, in a series of
25 presentations that can just rotate one after

1 another, Kathy Jaw from the Air Resources Board,
2 Joshua Cunningham, Chief of the Advanced Clean
3 Cars Branch, and Tony Brasil from the Medium- and
4 Heavy-duty Technology Section at the ARB. And
5 then Carrie Sisto from the Energy Division, Lead
6 Analyst of the T.E. programs there.

7 So, Kathy, you can present here. Thank
8 you.

9 MS. JAW: Thank you, Noel.

10 Good morning everyone. I'm going to
11 begin the Air Resources Board's presentation
12 today with an overview of our planning process,
13 especially how we develop our mobile source
14 strategy and what it looks like. Following me,
15 Joshua Cunningham and Tony Brasil from CARB will
16 present the implementation of our On-Road Light-
17 Duty and Heavy-Duty Trucks Regulations.

18 At the core of our planning process are
19 our goals related to climate, air quality and
20 health. Specifically, over the coming decades,
21 California will need to attain federal air
22 quality standards for ozone in the South Coast
23 and San Joaquin Valley in 2023 and 2031, and fine
24 particulate matter standards in 2024 and '25.

25 Noel touched on several 2030 targets for

1 5 million ZEV deployment, reductions in
2 greenhouse gases, and our renewable portfolios.
3 In addition, we also have a petroleum use
4 reduction by up to 50 percent, all in 2030. We
5 also need to minimize the health risks, such as
6 risk from diesel particulate matter, and other
7 air toxins in our local communities.

8 Emission reduction from mobile sources
9 are the key to meeting all our goals. Mobile
10 sources include both on- and off-road mobile
11 sources. For on-road, we have cars, buses and
12 trucks. Off-road mobile source covers a wide
13 range of off-road vessels, vehicles and
14 equipment, for example, ocean-going vessel,
15 harbor craft and cargo handling equipment at
16 seaports, locomotives at railyards, aircraft and
17 ground support equipment at airports, forklifts,
18 and transportation refrigeration units and
19 warehouses.

20 As showing in this chart here, mobile
21 sources are the largest contributor of the
22 formation of ozone, greenhouse gas emissions,
23 PM2.5, and toxic diesel particulate matter.
24 Consequently, significant cuts in pollutions from
25 mobile sources will be needed to meet our goals.

1 But more importantly, given the
2 interconnecting nature of California's goals, a
3 coordinated planning process is essentially to
4 address the interplay between pollutant and
5 sources and to optimize a combination of
6 regulatory and incentive-based programs.

7 Given what we discussed in the last
8 slide, we need to look into the planning process
9 as an integrated approach toward analysis and
10 planning. This type of assessment allows us to
11 develop how -- a strategy then to meet both air
12 quality and climate goals can best complement
13 each other. Specifically, the analysis helped to
14 inform the scope and timing of needed advances in
15 technology, fuel and energy sources in the
16 interplay between measures, all of which guide
17 long-term policy development and maximize program
18 effectiveness.

19 The result of this analysis has informed
20 a number of planning efforts at CARB, as I listed
21 here, including State Implementation Plan, the
22 recent Scoping Plan Update, the California
23 Freight Action Plan, and the Short-Lived Climate
24 Pollutant Plan.

25 The development of integrated strategy

1 relies on three elements. First, the success of
2 current programs provide a blueprint for future
3 policies and approaches. Second, detailed
4 technology assessment evaluate the capability of
5 technology and fuels that are becoming available
6 today and advancements that are expected to occur
7 in the near future. Third, scenario analysis
8 provides a framework for a coordinated air
9 quality and climate assessment by analyzing the
10 type of technology, fuel and energy sources that
11 will ultimately need to make up our vehicle and
12 equipment fleet by the end of next decade.

13 So in the next -- ARB staff, in
14 collaboration with South Coast, published a
15 series of technology and fuel assessment reports
16 for heavy-duty applications to understand, what
17 are our technology options? In addition, CARB
18 partnered with previous federal administrations,
19 USEPA and NHTSA, on review of advances --
20 advanced light-duty vehicle technology as part of
21 the midterm review released in 2017. The
22 assessment identified technology performance,
23 necessary fuel, as well as evaluation of market
24 readiness, cost, environmental benefit, and
25 current deployment challenges.

1 The basic conclusion of the tech
2 assessment is that the technology needed to meet
3 the state's goals are available. Zero- and near
4 zero-emission technologies are available across
5 various mobile source sectors and applications.
6 And coupled with this technology advancement,
7 cleaner renewable fuel can provide significant
8 greenhouse gas and petroleum use reductions.

9 Informed by current program and
10 technology assessment, the scenario analysis
11 framework we developed, which we named Vision,
12 enabled us to examine the magnitude and timing of
13 the deployment of -- deployment that's necessary
14 to meet climate and air quality goals.

15 Scenario modeling is an iterative
16 process. Understanding the interaction informed
17 further scenario analysis and how strategy can
18 best complement each other. Models provide a
19 unique opportunity to understand the intertwined
20 nature of different policies. For example,
21 deploy a greater number of light-duty battery-
22 electric vehicles provide co-benefits across all
23 pollutants and decrease petroleum use. At the
24 same time the associate increase in electricity
25 demand must be coupled with greater use of

1 renewable energy generations for climate goals.

2 This figure shows the general framework
3 of the Vision model using CARB's official
4 inventory, in fact, as a starting baseline, we
5 can make assumptions at a sector or application
6 level about when a new technology is introduced
7 into the fleet, its effectiveness, and rate of
8 penetration.

9 We also make assumptions about fuel and
10 their feedstocks. Through this process the
11 Vision scenario analysis allows us to better
12 understanding the interaction of strategies
13 across the full transportation system, both well-
14 to-tank and tank-to-well.

15 The mobile source strategy proposed a
16 suite of measures that represent a course set of
17 actions to drive technology development and
18 deployment. This action centers around expanding
19 ZEV technology and continue to push for ZEV
20 penetration, curbing vehicle miles traveled by
21 smart growth and promotes shared mobility and
22 active transportations, expanding the use of
23 cleaner renewable fuel in the sectors that are
24 anticipated to continue to operate on combustion
25 technology. And both incentive and demo projects

1 support deployment of new technology.

2 Strategies identified during the planning
3 process are the starting point for reg
4 development. And Joshua and Tony will provide on
5 the regulation side but before then I want to
6 convey the scale and magnitude of changes needed
7 in the light-duty vehicle and heavy-duty sectors
8 to meet our goals.

9 So on this chart, it shows the two -- it
10 shows two things. First, the area charts
11 represent the projected population of vehicles by
12 technology in California fleet. The yellow
13 dashed line shows the sales rate needed for this
14 population. The star indicates where the current
15 regulation will get us in terms of sales. In
16 this scenario, we get 4.2 ZEV by 2030. When
17 coupled with additional ZEV that are needed for
18 South Coast to meet our air quality standard, we
19 need 5 million ZEV by 2030.

20 And this chart shows the transformation
21 for heavy-duty trucks. In this expanded ZEV
22 scenario, zero-emission trucks demonstration
23 project and the requirement for ZEV trucks in
24 local fleets helped accelerate the zero-emission
25 truck into border truck sector post 2030.

1 This concludes my presentations and I
2 would like to pass the presentation to Joshua.

3 MR. CUNNINGHAM: Thank you, Kathy.

4 Good morning. Appreciate the opportunity
5 to present to the Energy Commission this morning.
6 I want to start by building off of one of the
7 final comments that Noel had in his presentation.

8 Our teams strive to work as closely
9 together as we can. And one of the final pieces
10 he noted was that we, at the Air Board, rely on
11 technology assessments for infrastructure as it
12 goes into our vehicle regulatory decisions, and
13 it's absolutely true.

14 And so it's one of the things that I want
15 to emphasize as I go through my slides is that
16 we, as we develop two primary new vehicle
17 regulatory efforts over the next couple of years,
18 the update to the ZEV regulation for Advanced
19 Clean Cars 2 Program that looks at regulations
20 beyond 2025 for EV mandates, but then importantly
21 the new Clean Mile Standard for idling vehicles.
22 So both of these are regulatory efforts we're
23 developing over the next couple of years.

24 And so there's an iterative process or a
25 closed-loop process where our reg development,

1 where we focus primarily as our expertise on
2 vehicle technology assessments, we want to make
3 sure we're sharing some of our lessons and ideas
4 and thoughts with the Energy Commission staff,
5 both in the energy assessment, as well as the
6 demand forecast teams.

7 But then we need to learn from the
8 iterative process on the infrastructure
9 assessments that come from the Energy Commission
10 staff to inform our stringencies because critical
11 for our Board to make decisions on new regulatory
12 decisions, the stringency of our policies we have
13 to evaluate are the barriers that inhibit us
14 pushing at certain levels.

15 And so having a good sense of the
16 infrastructure barriers is critical for our Board
17 to be able to make our decisions to adopt the
18 policies that we all see as necessary to move
19 forward to meet our long-term targets.

20 So a couple of quick slides for context.
21 Some of this has already been mentioned.

22 This graph shows the sales to this point
23 annually for plugin hybrids, battery-electrics
24 and fuel-cell vehicles. Last year, with the
25 Model 3 coming to market, there was a big jump in

1 sales which is great to see. We'll have to
2 monitor the market this year to see if we're able
3 to maintain the sales rate, but an important year
4 in 2018 for California.

5 But conveying something that I think
6 Kevin mentioned at the beginning, that we now
7 have over half-a-million plugin vehicles in
8 California and a growing amount of need for DC
9 Fast charging, you know, other infrastructure to
10 support that.

11 Another quick context slide, Kathy's
12 team, and she mentioned this a little bit, has
13 just finished some updated well-to-wheel
14 assessments that we're going to start using at
15 the Air Board for some of our vehicle regulatory
16 efforts. This incorporates some of the newer
17 requirements for renewable electricity at the
18 grid level. And so I highlight this because, as
19 Noel mentioned, over half the GHG emissions
20 inventory for California is transportation.

21 One of the key motivations for electric
22 vehicles that I think we're all recognizing is
23 the big bang for the buck per vehicle in
24 California with our increasingly green grid and
25 zero-tailpipe emissions. You get, for a few

1 number of vehicles, a larger amount of the GHG
2 emission reduction, so that's why it's an
3 absolutely critical strategy. But as I note
4 here, infrastructure is an enabler that we need
5 to move forward with.

6 Okay, a couple of slides to hit on my
7 main messages.

8 So our current vehicles regulations for
9 automakers max out in stringency by 2025,
10 including the ZEV mandate. And our current
11 projections that we updated a year or two ago for
12 minimum compliance with the zero-emission vehicle
13 regulation shows that we are going to get
14 probably about 1.2 million ZEVs as a minimum from
15 our compliance. With the sales that we're seeing
16 next year -- or last year that we hope to see
17 continue, we may exceed that which is good. But
18 because our regulation only guarantees up to 1.2,
19 1.3 million vehicles by 2025, we absolutely see
20 the need for increasing the ZEV requirements.

21 And so we've started a rulemaking process
22 we intend to go to the Board with in the next two
23 years. And part of that will be dwelling on some
24 of these guiding principles. So our Advanced
25 Clean Cars package includes regulations for

1 automakers on the ZEV regulation, which is the
2 bottom piece of that pie, but also our Vehicle
3 Greenhouse Gas Standards that effects all
4 vehicles sold in California, and Low-Emission
5 Criteria Emission Standards to address the
6 criteria pollutants that go into forming ozone.

7 And so we've started to discuss with
8 stakeholders these key principles, and I just
9 want to dwell on a few that are most applicable
10 to the ZEV requirements.

11 The second bullet there, we've have clear
12 direction from our Board and from a lot of the
13 stakeholders that as we develop the next round of
14 the ZEV regulations, we want to strive to design
15 the policy to increase the certainty on the
16 number of electric vehicles you get for the
17 credit structure that we have in place. As you
18 may know, in our regulation, we have varying
19 credits per car based on the range of the
20 vehicles and other parameters. And we're getting
21 direction that we want to make sure that
22 certainly the vehicles that we get from the reg
23 are more clear. And part of that is to help in
24 the aid of signals for infrastructure planning
25 and investments and other mechanisms.

1 The other thing I wanted to note, down
2 near the bottom is, as we do our vehicle
3 assessments, we're looking at what's happening
4 globally. California is no longer the leading
5 market for sales of EVs, which is a good thing in
6 the big picture. And so we need to be aware of
7 what the cost structures are looking at because
8 of the market in China and Europe and Japan. So
9 as Noel mentioned, we'll be all looking to some
10 of the multi-stakeholder and multi-stakeholder
11 inputs for our different proceedings.

12 Okay, I want to dwell on this next slide
13 just a little bit. These are some of the key
14 areas that, as we develop our ZEV regulation,
15 we'll be focusing on. At the top, of course,
16 doing our own new technology assessment for where
17 battery costs are going, the battery scales for
18 enabling longer range EVs, implications for
19 different vehicle sizes. So there's a lot of
20 great products coming out for the vehicle
21 manufacturers and we're going to be making sure
22 to have conversations with them and other
23 stakeholders to get a sense of where the
24 technology is going.

25 We just finished our recent technology

1 assessment in 2017 for a midterm review and so
2 now we're restarting that with some fresh
3 perspectives.

4 Working with the Energy Commission and
5 others, continuing to evaluate consumer
6 acceptance and preferences for EVs, clearly a
7 vehicle with full-electric or fuel-cell vehicles
8 are dependent on the infrastructure, and so
9 making sure we have an understanding of how that
10 is an inhibitor or enabler for choice for the
11 vehicles.

12 The vehicle regulation for ZEVs has a
13 clear split between battery-electric and plugin
14 hybrids, so we want to make sure we're taking a
15 newer look at what are the trends by industry for
16 plugin hybrids as a piece to the puzzle, versus
17 maybe focusing on pure ZEVs. And again, at the
18 bottom there, noting that infrastructure is a
19 piece that we want to partner with the Energy
20 Commission on as we go through these proceedings.

21 A slide on some of the new trends. It
22 was noticed early, ride hailing. As part of our
23 Clean Mile Standard and vehicles regulations, we
24 need to have a better sense of what these trends
25 will look like and apply for electrification and

1 for the VMT at the whole fleet level. And so the
2 notes are meant to just convey that as you look
3 at the implications for ride hailing and
4 automated vehicles where a lot of those, as they
5 roll out, will be in-ride hailing fleets, with
6 Kathy's team and others are the Air Board, we're
7 starting to get a sense of looking at the total
8 VMT implications, what is the shift, as you have
9 high-mileage daily vehicles, what is the shift in
10 amount of those cars that are smaller? Are they
11 younger in age?

12 But the specific implications for
13 electrification is that we need to get a sense
14 of, as you have high-mileage daily vehicles, how
15 many of those can be pure electric? And what
16 does the infrastructure requirement look like to
17 enable those kinds of vehicles? Luckily, we're
18 seeing the ranges increase in those vehicles but
19 high-mileage fleets have a unique need on
20 infrastructure, as was noted earlier. And so
21 these fleet-wide implications then feed into some
22 of our work on the vehicle regulation decisions.

23 A couple of notes on the second big
24 policy area for regulation that we're developing.
25 This comes from new statute that we received. In

1 the fall, Senate Bill 1014 was passed. It is a
2 requirement that the Air Board develop a new
3 regulation on ride-hailing fleets. So it will be
4 the first light-duty fleet regulation that we're
5 developing on the new unique fleets that are
6 emerging. It primarily requires that we develop
7 a requirement for a declining emissions per
8 passenger miles traveled as the key metric. But
9 a sub-target that I'll note in the next slide is
10 electrification. That was a clear direction from
11 the statute that we need to be considering and
12 pushing for electrification as a part of that
13 compliance.

14 I think the key motivation for the
15 statute is recognizing that ride hailing is an
16 important mobility option, but that we need to
17 understand what the implications are for
18 emissions. And then the Air Board is motivated
19 to ensure that we are looking at the congestion
20 mitigation and other strategy we can take
21 advantage of with the policy to enable that.

22 So short on time, I just want to
23 acknowledge that these are some of the key
24 principles for our Clean Mile Standard. In
25 addition to the electrification target that we

1 have we're looking at maximizing pooling,
2 maximizing connections to transit to reduce
3 overall VMT to reduce the need for some of the
4 higher-mileage vehicles.

5 But this is a key area. We had our first
6 workshop a week ago or so. And I look forward to
7 stakeholders engaging with us on this process.

8 So finally, a couple of key timelines.
9 So both of these regulatory efforts are moving
10 forward in parallel. The statute requires that
11 we come to our Board with a Clean Mile Standard a
12 bit earlier than we probably will with our
13 vehicle regulations. We're likely to be going to
14 our Board at the end of next year on the new
15 Clean Mile Standard. And then a little bit after
16 that for our Advanced Clean Cars 2 vehicle
17 regulations.

18 And we're, at the Air Board, looking to
19 carefully harmonize these. So we're considering
20 provisions in the vehicle requirements that would
21 then enable technologies that the vehicle
22 manufacturers can bring to market that could be
23 used in the fleet standards for ride-hailing
24 fleets. So those two ideas are core as we
25 develop these rules together.

1 A slide on the Low-Carbon Fuel Standard
2 regulation that was passed this fall. Noel has
3 wanted us to just point this out, that there was
4 an important provision added to the regulation
5 that provides additional Low-Carbon Fuel Standard
6 credits for the capacity installed and certain
7 kinds of long-distance ZEV fuel infrastructure,
8 particularly hydrogen and DC Fast charging. And
9 we're already seeing some optimistic uptake by
10 fuel providers recognizing that this is an
11 enabler for additional investments.

12 And so from the vehicle regulatory
13 perspective, this is important. So we need as
14 many enablers for infrastructure growth, not just
15 state investments but private investments, to
16 support the vehicle markets.

17 And I think I will finalize with this
18 slide. This is just kind of a summary that our
19 vehicle regulations are going to have to focus on
20 some amount of EV charging infrastructure
21 assessments. We want to rely on the Energy
22 Commission as they finalize some of their
23 specific network needs. But as an input to that,
24 we will be updating our vehicle technology
25 assessments. We're going to be aiming for

1 pushing the ZEV regulation towards the 5 million
2 ZEV target or higher. And we are cognizant of
3 some of the longer-range batteries that are
4 coming to market. So all of these parameters
5 will be taken into consideration, collecting our
6 inputs, working with Energy Commission staff, and
7 then looking to learn from the infrastructure
8 assessments that come from it.

9 Last slide. We at the Air Board have
10 started to go through a reorg at the agency. And
11 so I just want to leave this as a takeaway note
12 that we recognize that there's a need for us to
13 think a little bit differently going into some of
14 these new mobility strategies, the VMT strategies
15 and investments there. For us to really reach
16 the long-term targets in climate mitigation, we
17 have to start thinking in a more multi-
18 disciplinary way. And so we are reorganizing a
19 number of our programs such that internally we're
20 thinking across silos to try to address this.

21 So let me finish there and invite Tony
22 up.

23 MR. BRASIL: Thank you, Joshua.

24 I'm Tony Brasil, Chief of the
25 Transportation and Clean Technology Branch. So

1 I'm going to give you an overview of what we're
2 doing in the regulatory space and a little bit on
3 incentives here at the Air Resources Board.

4 So there are a wide range of zero-
5 emission buses and manufacturers already in the
6 heavy-duty space. And a lot has changed in the
7 last few years and we expect a significant growth
8 in the market in the relatively new future.
9 There is a growing battery-electric truck market
10 in the Class 3 through 8 category, right now in
11 the 2B category which is just slightly bigger
12 than pickups. But nearly all conventional truck
13 manufacturers have zero-emission truck
14 commercialization plans announced, most of them
15 by 2021.

16 There are a number of trucks out there
17 already by a number of manufacturers. And what
18 we think is one of the reasons it's changing as
19 quickly as it is, is the total cost of ownership
20 we believe is already comparable to diesel for
21 zero-emission buses and in the next five years is
22 likely to be comparable where the vehicle meets
23 the application or the need. And so as we
24 continue to move along we'll look at that in more
25 detail.

1 The next couple of slides are just some
2 graphics to kind of show you there's a wide range
3 of buses already out there. Most of these are
4 commercial. Some are pre-commercial phase right
5 now. And then in looking at kind of the truck
6 and shuttle bus market there's -- the top half of
7 this slide represents the vehicles that are
8 commercial. The ones kind of in the middle are
9 nearly commercial but they're kind of in the
10 demonstration phase with plans for being fully
11 commercial. And then the demonstration ones are
12 planned and we funded some of these to gain
13 experience with those, and so this is why a lot
14 is changing. And as you can see, there's a wide
15 range of vehicle types and uses in the heavy-duty
16 space that are being anticipated by
17 manufacturers.

18 So when we look at our regulatory
19 strategies, doing similar things to what we're
20 doing for light-duty, but here we're trying to
21 increase this first wave of zero-emission heavy-
22 duty technology into commercial use. We are
23 focusing kind of on the urban driving, stop-and-
24 go, centrally-fueled type fleets as our initial
25 focus on our regulatory efforts. Long term, we

1 would look, of course, at opportunities to
2 fueling for longer distance travel, but not at
3 this time.

4 And then generally the experiences we're
5 seeing in the light-duty, medium-duty and bus
6 spaces is all translating to truck uses and it's
7 actually a very interesting dynamic.

8 On this graphic, I just wanted to give
9 you, in the yellow, kind of representing what
10 we're doing in terms of zero-emission in the non-
11 light-duty space. We do have the Phase 2 GHG
12 little box there because that does have a
13 multiplier for manufacturers that produce
14 electric vehicles. They have a multiplier that
15 they can take advantage of to spread out their
16 compliance costs in meeting Phase 2. And, of
17 course, with Phase 2, that's improving efficiency
18 overall for trucks themselves, so that would
19 ultimately reduce fuel use compared to not having
20 that regulation.

21 So in 2018, we have the transit
22 regulation for zero-emission buses. That was
23 approved last year. I'll touch on that one.
24 There's an airport shuttle regulation that's
25 currently being considered by our Board.

1 Advanced Clean Trucks is the one my particular
2 group is working on. We are also planning to
3 take that to our Board at the end of the year.
4 And then on the far right, we are also planning
5 for zero-emission fleet rules and for drayage
6 trucks in part as a category that we've told our
7 Board. And then below that, we're just kind of
8 showing you, also related is off-road equipment
9 that I know is not the topic of today's meeting.

10 So for our transit regulation, I just
11 wanted to give you a highlight. And this was
12 approved in December. What it has is a rollout
13 plan that transit agencies need to submit by 2020
14 for the large transit agencies. It will lay out
15 what their plan is to put in infrastructure and
16 how many buses they're planning to go to zero-
17 emission on their timeline. Similarly, small
18 fleets would be later, so that would be a
19 resource that would potentially be available. It
20 does have a zero-emission bus purchase
21 requirement, showing it here.

22 So as you can see the requirement would
23 begin in 2023 where a quarter of the purchases
24 would need to be zero-emission. However, the
25 regulation is written that if there are 1,250

1 buses purchased by the end of 2021, we would
2 actually postpone the start of the regulation
3 until 2025. So we do actually believe that there
4 will be 1,250 buses purchased by the end of 2021,
5 which is much higher than what is required
6 because the requirement doesn't even start in
7 that point in time. And I think that's a factor
8 in ultimately planning and estimating.

9 And why I say that is this graphic here
10 shows you and has the numbers of how many buses
11 are already in operation, how many orders have
12 been placed, and over 700 have already been
13 awarded and planned. And this was the end of
14 last year roughly, so I'm sure more have been
15 added and more are on the road than this actually
16 shows.

17 And then the last graphic on the buses,
18 since we have the most information, this slide
19 represents the commitments that transit agencies
20 have formally announced that they plan to be
21 ahead of the regulation in many cases, most of
22 them by 2030 to have a complete transition to
23 zero-emission.

24 I would like to note that Antelope Valley
25 Transit, you see there, in a matter of months,

1 they will have made a complete transition in
2 about a two-year time period, so they will be
3 fully electric. And it's about 80 or so buses
4 that they have at their depot.

5 And so now to shift over to airport
6 shuttle proposal. This went to our Board earlier
7 this year and there's a second hearing for a
8 final decision. But the basics of the proposal
9 is to require shuttles that serve airports, the
10 larger airports, to become zero-emission. You
11 see there that in 2027 is when a third of the
12 fleet must be zero-emission. So that's a
13 purchase requirement, that's a third of the fleet
14 needs to be converted at that point in time.

15 To get to that 33 percent with normal
16 replacement cycle the purchases would, in
17 essence, need to be close to 100 percent of
18 purchases starting roughly next year. Otherwise,
19 they will have to do accelerated replacements.

20 And then in Advanced Clean Trucks, so
21 this is our effort that's effectively a
22 manufacturer requirement for a certain portion of
23 sales to be zero-emission in the Class 2B and
24 above categories. Right now we're into the
25 regulatory process, working through what that

1 proposal will be shaped to be. But right now
2 we're looking at the 2024 through 2030 model
3 year. And what we discussed last year is our
4 proposal that there would be roughly 38,000 zero-
5 emission trucks required by the 2030 timeframe.

6 But what we're doing now, too, is we're
7 going to make it mandatory for fleets to report
8 information to us so that we can follow up with
9 fleet requirements of some sort to then require
10 the purchase of those vehicles as well. So both
11 of those items will be considered late 2019. The
12 fleet rule requirements would be subsequent
13 years.

14 And then one more on the trucks. As I
15 mentioned, on drayage, the ports actually have
16 their own plans to effectively have zero-emission
17 trucks serve the ports by the 2035 with a fee-
18 based approach. We're participating in that
19 process and understanding how their rate
20 structure would do that and looking at how can we
21 transition drayage trucks to zero-emission or
22 zero-emission operation as part of that.

23 And then to kind of switch out of the
24 regulatory perspective directly, we do look at
25 what else is happening in the market and it

1 greatly influences what we think we can do in our
2 regulatory proposal, I think as Joshua mentioned.
3 So the utility programs that are supporting
4 transportation electrification is actually
5 reducing the barrier to infrastructure in having
6 it installed. It's very important as part of our
7 proposal. And honestly, how things have shaped
8 out, we do believe that our proposal can actually
9 be more aggressive than what we discussed last
10 year as a result.

11 Low-Carbon Fuel Standard for heavy-duty
12 vehicles works a little differently in that
13 whoever is dispensing the fuel is, in essence,
14 receiving the credit. So since we're talking
15 about depot charging fleets the fleet would
16 actually receive a credit.

17 What that means today is that the LCFS
18 program effectively is offsetting most or all of
19 the electricity costs, so you effectively can be
20 discussing a zero-cost fuel for charging
21 overnight. During the day might -- if you pay a
22 little more, then that will vary. Now this is
23 using the \$125 per credit. Today the credit
24 value is considerably higher. So the dollars per
25 kilowatt hour would actually be higher than I'm

1 showing here.

2 And then lastly on our policies on
3 funding programs, we kind of look at a spectrum.
4 There's demonstration projects that have been
5 funded to get early technology demonstrated to
6 get to that pilot phase to become pre-commercial.
7 The pilot projects, we have several hundred
8 vehicles that we funded, tractors and smaller
9 vehicles and buses that are either pre-commercial
10 or near commercial, different technologies. So
11 we're actively trying to accelerate the market
12 and bring those particular vehicles to the point
13 where they can become commercial.

14 And then lastly, in the commercial
15 category, we have the Hybrid Voucher Program that
16 is a direct rebate to the purchaser. It's
17 handled at the dealer level and so that's
18 regularly funded. Last year there was a \$125
19 million added to it. It's a first-come, first-
20 served basis, a very streamlined process to get
21 vehicles. And then lastly, the Volkswagen
22 Beneficiary Trust, that's about \$423 million, is
23 attributed for heavy-duty incentives, and so
24 that's just starting to roll out this year.

25 So as kind of -- I've touched the

1 incentives are an important part of encouraging
2 early action. What's happening with the vehicle
3 and infrastructure investments clearly shapes the
4 way we look at what we can do in terms of our
5 regulatory approach. Charging and hydrogen
6 fueling standards are being developed and coming
7 along, so that's furthering the market, but we
8 still do need to see continued progress for a
9 full transition. And we are looking at where can
10 we make a full transition to zero-emission as
11 part of our policies? And that does include,
12 clearly, broader access to infrastructure.

13 So just in closing, there's our contact
14 information. And I appreciate your time.
15 Transition to the next speaker.

16 MS. SISTO: Thanks for all that great
17 information from the Air Resources Board. And
18 thanks to the CEC for having this meeting today.
19 My name is Carrie Sisto. I'm an Analyst with the
20 Public Utilities Commission, focused on
21 transportation electrification. And I'm just
22 going to give you a bit of an overview of our
23 current programs and our work ahead to work with
24 the CEC and the Air Resources Board to meet state
25 goals for vehicle electrification.

1 This slide gives a pretty quick overview
2 of what we've approved to date and what we're
3 currently reviewing at the CPUC. So since 2014,
4 we've approved about \$1 billion in authorized
5 transportation electrification spending. This is
6 coming from the -- largely from the large IOUs,
7 so that's Pacific Gas and Electric, Southern
8 California Edison, and San Diego Gas and
9 Electric. There's about just over or close to
10 \$210 million being spent on light-duty charge
11 ports at workplaces and multi-unit dwellings that
12 should install up to 13,500 charge ports. There
13 are also some pilot programs that are designed to
14 address identified barriers under SB 350 that
15 are -- these programs are designed to identify
16 ways to electrify port equipment and some of the
17 off-road vehicles that we're trying to identify
18 constructive ways to electrify moving forward.

19 Last year the Commission approved two --
20 as Tony just mentioned, we approved about just
21 over \$550 million for SCE and PG&E to spend to
22 electrify about 15,000 medium- and heavy-duty
23 vehicles. And I recently learned that PG&E has
24 partnered with CALSTART to work on coming up with
25 a way to align their medium- and heavy-duty

1 infrastructure programs directly with the heavy-
2 duty vehicle infrastructure -- or Heavy-Duty
3 Vehicle Incentive Program that CARB runs to help
4 align those fleets that are participating in
5 PG&E's program to get quicker or more expedited
6 access to those vehicle incentives as a way to
7 kind of align the two incentives that the state
8 agencies are helping facilitate.

9 We've heard a lot of discussion about the
10 need for an increase in fast charging
11 infrastructure. So PG&E will be spending about
12 \$22 million to help support up to 50 new fast
13 charging sites, and that would be about 234 new
14 ports for fast charging. And then we have
15 several applications still under review at the
16 CPUC, including one from SDG&E that's very
17 similar to the one that we approved -- the ones
18 that we approved for Southern California Edison
19 and PG&E last year. And then also an extension
20 of SCE's Light-Duty Program that could provide
21 another 48,000 charge ports at workplaces and
22 multi-unit dwellings.

23 And then beyond infrastructure, we've
24 been focusing with the utilities to identify
25 rates that make sure that the added load

1 associated with this huge uptick in the number of
2 EVs that are charging is being integrated to the
3 grid in a way that provides grid benefits, so
4 finding ways to encourage customers to charge
5 during off-peak hours, either overnight or in the
6 middle of the day, so to ensure that the
7 infrastructure isn't overtaxed by the adoption of
8 these electric vehicles.

9 It was interesting to see some of the
10 presentations from the Air Resources Board this
11 morning because it's clear that this is something
12 that's gone on at other state agencies but hadn't
13 yet at the CPUC.

14 So over the past seven months or so we've
15 been working at the CPUC to develop a new order
16 instituting rulemaking to help identify the clear
17 role for the investor-owned utilities investments
18 in terms of how much of the statewide
19 transportation electrification goals should be
20 the responsibility of the utility ratepayers, how
21 much of that cost should be borne by utility
22 ratepayers? And it's great to have the CEC's
23 help in terms of identifying the needs for the
24 infrastructure. And it's also great to have the
25 ARB's regulations to help push forward different

1 types of vehicles to help meet our state goals.

2 But we at the CPUC are trying to identify
3 programs that the infrastructure that is being
4 rolled out by the investor-owned utilities truly
5 does bring forth third-party participants and
6 investments from private entities so that the
7 state funds are not -- are being complemented by
8 business opportunities that accelerate the state
9 goals on a broader level.

10 AS part of this rulemaking the Energy
11 Division is working on developing a
12 transportation electrification framework that
13 will be intended to guide future investor-owned
14 utility investments. This is something that we
15 are working on as agency -- as CPUC staff. And
16 we'll also be calling on -- we already have been
17 and will continue to call on people from the
18 other state agencies who are working very hard on
19 these existing assessments because we're
20 definitely not in the -- we don't have the
21 capacity at the CPUC to be doing our own
22 assessments and we'll definitely be piggybacking
23 on any work going on, both at the CEC and the Air
24 Resources Board.

25 The main goal of this framework is to use

1 existing state analyses to help prioritize the
2 future proposals that will be coming forth from
3 the investor-owned utilities. And we also want
4 to come up with a strategy to help expedite the
5 CPUC's review of future program applications.

6 So this is just to illustrate how our
7 process went along. Currently at the CPUC, we've
8 had, you know, a pretty consistent application
9 rate of about three or four to five per year.
10 And we're able to kind of evaluate them and
11 process them and get them to slot into a process
12 to figure out a way to meet our state goals.

13 But as more and more different state
14 goals keep being piled up and different proposals
15 keep coming in at a larger -- with larger budgets
16 at a faster rate, we're starting to need to take
17 a step back and evaluate. This is something that
18 Kathy even brought up in her process. She was
19 talking about identifying the different building
20 blocks and coming up with a framework. So this
21 is just to illustrate, that's all we're trying to
22 do with our transportation electrification
23 framework. We're not trying to slow anything
24 down necessarily. We're just trying to provide
25 clear guidance so that when applications come in

1 they fit with all of the other state agency
2 efforts that are already underway and are more
3 complementary.

4 And Noel asked me to highlight a few
5 specific areas in which the CPUC will be
6 leveraging the AB 2127 assessment. And I also
7 think that a lot of the information we're
8 gathering from the IOU programs can help
9 facilitate the ongoing biannual assessments for
10 AB 2127.

11 So while the transportation
12 electrification framework that we're developing
13 and the current rulemaking are ongoing prior to
14 potentially having much learning from the initial
15 assessment, I do want to emphasize that the
16 framework that we would adopt, that the CPUC
17 might adopt moving forward, is going to also be
18 updated regularly. So this, as Noel mentioned,
19 this AB 2127 will be updated at least every two
20 years. And I think that that is a consistent
21 thing across all of our state agency regulations,
22 that they're consistently going through
23 modifications based on new analyses and new
24 learning.

25 We're also trying, at the CPUC, to ensure

1 that the charging stations installed by the
2 programs supported by the utilities are utilized
3 as much as possible and in ways that provide grid
4 benefits. So as we identify the most appropriate
5 locations and types of infrastructure that's
6 being installed we want to design utility
7 programs that can encourage different demand
8 response programs or rate designs that encourage
9 off-peak charging, and as well as combing
10 charging stations with onsite storage or
11 renewable energy that can help ensure that the
12 load associated with the increased vehicle
13 adoption is being managed appropriately.

14 And I think one thing that we are trying
15 to keep in mind at the CPUC is that we want to
16 prioritize investments that are critical to meet
17 the state and environmental adoption targets, but
18 we also want to make sure that our -- the
19 programs approved by the CPUC are aligning with
20 the regulations being adopted by other state
21 agencies to support the rollout of the vehicles
22 that are needed to meet the state goals.

23 I mentioned briefly that we have some
24 data collection requirements associated with the
25 investor-owned utility investments. We have

1 this. Hopefully you'll be able to access these
2 slides. There's a link here, the data collection
3 template, and it's also available on the CPUC
4 website. But that gives you an insight into the
5 types of data fields where we'll be requiring the
6 IOUs to be reporting from the investments that
7 they're currently deploying. And those data
8 collection templates can be updated as needed
9 based on the data needs for the different state
10 agency assessments that are ongoing.

11 And so I have here, we welcome feedback
12 from anybody who's involved on additional data
13 categories that we would -- we could potentially
14 include for these IOU investments moving forward.

15 And then this slide just has a few of the
16 interesting successes that we've heard from some
17 of the investments from the investor-owned
18 utility programs so far. There has been a pretty
19 good reach into multi-unit dwellings which is a
20 key barrier. It's been very difficult to get
21 charging stations deployed in apartment buildings
22 and that's a really key sector in California to
23 get access to charging, either at home or at
24 workplaces. So that's one thing that we've found
25 that IOU investments can help support that. And

1 we've also identified that some of the more
2 innovative rate designs that the utilities are
3 deploying have been successful in shifting
4 charging demand to times of day that are
5 beneficial to the grid.

6 So that's all I have and I think I'm out
7 of time. So there's my contact information and I
8 welcome any feedback or questions.

9 MR. KRELL: Good morning everyone.
10 Unfortunately, I don't have a Tetris slide, but I
11 can tell you that I'm going to be brief, so that
12 may wake you up a little bit. For anybody at
13 home, you can go ahead and stand up. For
14 everybody here, we're going to get right into
15 this.

16 As we progress through the workshop,
17 please note that we're touching on the same topic
18 several times today and we're trying to reinforce
19 the understanding of this. It's pretty complex.

20 This section of the presentation will
21 illustrate key relationships between the
22 different groups, the activities and the data
23 sources. Preparation for the data collection
24 activity this afternoon is what we're doing right
25 now. And these next set of slides should help

1 you get ready for that, this afternoon's
2 activity.

3 The data collection tool, we call the
4 scoping matrices, and you may have picked those
5 up at the door or they're posted online right
6 now. It's a living document. We plan to use this
7 document to track and -- track the data
8 collection process and record what we're doing
9 and make sure that we capture all the different
10 areas.

11 The data collection methodology is fairly
12 comprehensive but pretty straightforward as well.
13 The overview provides a visual reminder of the
14 steps, this overview, and the means to identify
15 and eliminate wasted effort. In other words, we
16 don't want to gather data that we can't use. You
17 know, the last thing we want to do is spend a lot
18 of time on data that won't end in analysis and
19 reporting when we're all said and done.

20 So the arrows on the left-hand side kind
21 of show the flow of data from beginning, you
22 know, where we're looking at the different forms
23 and surveys, the interviews, even this workshop
24 and the data that is generated from it. And
25 we're making sure that we're, you know, looking

1 at it in a qualitative and quantitative fashion
2 and that we're, obviously, sensitive to any
3 confidential issues that come up. But we're
4 taking this data and we're going to analyze it in
5 a way that's going to give us something that we
6 can report on later on.

7 And we've mentioned the IEPR but the IEPR
8 is only one source of reporting that's going to
9 happen, one output of this data later on.

10 There's also, you know, the Transportation Energy
11 Demand Forecast, which you heard a little bit
12 earlier. This will feed into that, I'm sure.
13 And other things that our sister agencies are
14 doing, this is going to feed into that.

15 The other thing that we've talked about
16 today is the different groups. And if you look
17 at the right-hand side of this chart, we've
18 talked about, you know, the Fuels and
19 Transportation Division, which I'm in, the energy
20 assessments, research and development, but also
21 the interagency counterparts that make up, you
22 know, the CPUC and the Air Resources Board. And
23 all these different groups will feed data through
24 the things that are already going on and things
25 that are upcoming in the next ten years to this

1 scoping matrix, which is in the center of this
2 slide.

3 The scoping matrix will also take in data
4 from the surveys and forms that come from this
5 exercise and from this effort that we're doing
6 here at the CEC, and the one-on-one interviews,
7 and the workshops that we're doing, like the one
8 today and the two more this year, as well as
9 things that are still out there in the wings that
10 are just developing that we haven't, you know,
11 fully become aware of yet or things that are in
12 demonstration mode right now. All these things
13 together will feed the scoping matrix. And
14 there's probably a box on this slide that should
15 be here that shows things we haven't even thought
16 of right now.

17 The scoping matrix itself, as you may be
18 wondering, the one you have in your hand has some
19 boxes filled in, some boxes are empty. We've
20 gone through several different versions of this.
21 The ones that we'll use this afternoon are
22 completely empty and the reason is, is this is
23 something that's beginning. It's a living
24 document and we didn't want to stifle imagination
25 this afternoon. So if there's anything, you

1 know, online as well, but anybody in the room
2 that sees anything that they want to comment on
3 during this afternoon's exercise will be able to
4 look at these examples and be able to say, you
5 know, you should be thinking about this or you
6 should be thinking about that.

7 But we've also looked at the flow as we
8 go through this exercise. You'll notice the
9 boxes at the top, they have a section that's
10 underlined. And from the data itself on the
11 left-hand side through the analysis on the right-
12 hand side the data has got to flow. It's also
13 got a time element. Is the data available today?
14 Is it not available today? So these things are
15 all very important as we look through these
16 different sections of the scoping matrix and we
17 apply it to the sections that are called out for
18 in the bill itself. The vehicle categories and
19 the infrastructure elements are listed down --
20 across the top and down the side. So we're doing
21 to take this format and apply it this afternoon
22 for the very first time.

23 So feel free to, you know, give us your
24 feedback. People online will be able to, you
25 know, chat or raise their hand. And Micah here

1 will be able to pass the information on to the
2 group.

3 The data use itself is something that
4 Noel talked about earlier and this first biannual
5 assessment will be done in two phases, the one
6 for the 2019 IEPR and then the follow-up in the
7 2020 cycle. And we want you to think of that
8 when you're putting together the data in your
9 minds for use later on, especially the assessment
10 activity this afternoon, because we need to find
11 out, you know, what data is available now that we
12 can actually apply, you know, between now and
13 mid-May and what data, you know, is going to be
14 available later on, or we should hold for later
15 on. The data may be available now but it's so
16 raw that we shouldn't really try to force it into
17 this first cycle.

18 So think about these things as we're
19 going through this exercise. So you've got the
20 box along the top you've got to think about. And
21 this is the second box. You know, is the data
22 available now? And then, secondarily, should we
23 use this data?

24 And that's about all I have for this, you
25 know, portion of the presentation. I'm trying to

1 keep things on schedule and moving pretty
2 quickly. But I'm going to let Kadir come up and
3 take the next session and talk about the
4 analysis.

5 MR. BEDIR: Good morning everybody. If
6 you are having a hard time from the time change,
7 you are not alone. I'm still trying to wake up.
8 Luckily, I have my talking points. So Wendell
9 did a great job outlining our proposal for data
10 collection.

11 My name is Kadir Bedir. I'm an Air
12 Pollution Specialist at the EV Infrastructure
13 Unit and I led the first staff report on EV
14 infrastructure projections last year.

15 Before starting this panel, I will
16 briefly discuss why applying up-to-date
17 information is critical within models of
18 transportation system and infrastructure. Then I
19 will introduce our collaborators from NREL, LBN
20 and UC Davis. They will highlight their recent
21 research and learnings related to this work and
22 they will highlight their ongoing upcoming
23 research that will benefit from your
24 participation and as we implement AB 2127.

25 To give you a brief background, my team

1 published the first 2025 analysis last year in
2 March 2018 and held a workshop two months later
3 to hear from our -- excuse me -- to hear from our
4 stakeholders. The EVI-Pro modeling tool used in
5 this analysis was developed from a technical
6 support contract between NREL and the CEC's
7 ARFVTP program. Here it is on my slide. And you
8 see, on this slide, you see a snapshot of our
9 report published last year.

10 In developing EVI-Pro, which took about
11 two years to complete, NREL and CEC staff worked
12 collaboratively progressing from a basic
13 framework to the development of a MATLAB model.
14 And we kept very close communication with weekly
15 meetings and we get data to develop scenarios,
16 eventually inform the Governor's Executive Order
17 B48-18. However, as new policy priorities and
18 technologies continue to emerge, we definitely
19 need more of this kind of close collaborations
20 with our research tech support providers and our
21 stakeholders to provide analysis and extend
22 projections to 2030 and beyond.

23 Through the AB 2127 process and with your
24 involvement, we are confident that the new
25 assessment will deliver actionable insights for

1 EV infrastructure deployment across California.

2 We continue to collaborate with NREL.

3 So I think it's time to invite my
4 speakers. In the following presentations our
5 collaborators will highlight their recent
6 findings. And I will turn the mike over to these
7 presentations.

8 First, Eric Wood, Vehicle Systems
9 Engineer from NREL, who has been my closest
10 collaborator. And we will have a presentation
11 from Colin Sheppard, a Transportation Scientific
12 Engineering Associate from Lawrence Berkeley
13 National Laboratory. And you may have known
14 Colin from his groundbreaking work with BEAM
15 modeling framework. And finally, we will have Gil
16 Tal, the Director of the Plugin Hybrid and
17 Electric Vehicle Research Center at UC Davis,
18 whom I had the chance to work in the same working
19 space for about five years before coming to CEC.

20 And following Gil's presentation, we will
21 open it up for questions for all of this
22 morning's presentations.

23 I will turn it over to Eric.

24 MR. WOOD: Cool. Thank you, Kadir. See
25 if I get the presentation lined up here. Great.

1 So my name is Eric Wood. I'm with the
2 National Renewable Energy Lab in Denver,
3 Colorado. I'm going to talk a little bit about
4 today on some of the projects that we have at
5 NREL ongoing around electric vehicles and
6 charging infrastructure.

7 As Kadir mentioned, we collaborated
8 starting about two or three years ago on
9 development of the EVI-Pro model. This slide
10 shows a schematic of the model. Essentially what
11 this model is trying to do is take travel data
12 from a statewide travel survey in California,
13 about 50,000 vehicles included in that survey,
14 and then simulate electric vehicles driving
15 around in that travel survey and attempt to
16 resolve charging behavior in order to establish
17 consumer demand for charging infrastructure, and
18 then finally make projections on charging
19 infrastructure required to meet statement
20 electric vehicle goals.

21 And so this framework really focused
22 originally on personally owned human-driven
23 light-duty vehicles. And you know, as we go
24 forward into the next round of development, I
25 think there's a number of areas where we could

1 use this framework to evaluate, including
2 autonomous or transportation network and shared
3 vehicles, as well as medium- and heavy-duty
4 vehicles.

5 So the primary output of EVI-Pro are
6 infrastructure projections. But since we're
7 resolving individual travel days with a
8 relatively high resolution, we're also able to
9 output charging load profiles at different levels
10 of aggregation. And through some DOE-supported
11 work, we've been able to work closely with Colin
12 Sheppard and his team at Lawrence Berkeley
13 National Lab, as well as some researchers at
14 Humboldt State University and actually compare
15 EVI-Pro and BEAM Models in terms of the charging
16 load profile that they generate.

17 This site shows a graphic of load
18 profiles from each model with relatively strong
19 agreement in terms of the overall magnitude of
20 charging load and the shape of the load. And so
21 for this exercise, we really tried to tune both
22 models to have a consistent set of inputs. And
23 Colin will speak more to BEAM in a little bit,
24 but fundamentally the two models take very
25 different approaches to resolving charging

1 infrastructure and charging behavior. Yet
2 somewhat surprisingly and fortunately for us, we
3 were pleased to find that the models still had
4 relatively strong agreement in terms of the
5 magnitude and shape of charging load profiles.

6 So this is part of some DOE-supported
7 work currently. And as part of this effort,
8 we're working to develop an online platform where
9 users can come in and utilize these models to
10 develop their own load profiles based on their
11 own assumptions for the type of vehicles, what
12 infrastructure is availability, and some simple
13 assumptions around consumer charging behavior
14 preferences.

15 We're also working with Colin and his
16 team, and he might mention this, as well, on
17 trying to integrate some of the infrastructure or
18 modeling concepts of EVI-Pro into BEAM. We know
19 that the Berkeley team has done a fair amount of
20 work on charging infrastructure and behavior
21 already and BEAM better trying to take advantage
22 of an opportunity through DOE to work closely
23 together and have really, I think, benefitted
24 certainly from that working relationship.

25 In addition to DOE-supported work, we

1 also have EV evaluations going on in a number of
2 individual cities. So this slide shows some
3 simulations using EVI-Pro that predict charging
4 load profiles under different scenarios. The
5 primary client for a lot of these studies are
6 electric utilities, and so we're trying to
7 characterize EV charging load and charging demand
8 and then integrate that load into a number of
9 NREL-specific models, including capacity
10 expansion for trying to forecast how generation
11 assets might evolve over time relative to new and
12 changing loads, including transportation loads,
13 using these with cost production models to look
14 at how generation assets are controlled during a
15 day to respond to potential flexible EV charging,
16 and also interfacing with distribution models to
17 look at local effects of how EV charging could be
18 affecting the local power system.

19 The first round of infrastructure
20 assessments using EVI-Pro specifically focused on
21 destination charging. And so long-distance
22 corridor charging was not explicitly considered.

23 During the next round, we've discussed
24 with the Energy Commission potentially doing
25 model development around long-distance travel and

1 capturing fast charging along highway corridors.
2 I think we're eager and interested to visit with
3 the folks from UC Davis to talk about how this
4 idea could potentially leverage some of the work
5 they've done around the GIS Planning Toolbox, you
6 know, which has been a great tool.

7 I'll go ahead and skip this slide and
8 come back to it.

9 So we've mentioned TNCs a few times. We
10 haven't done a lot using EVI-Pro yet in the TNC
11 space but we've done a little bit through some
12 DOE-supported work. This slide highlights a
13 dataset from Austin, Texas that we were able to
14 embed into EVI-Pro to simulate charging
15 infrastructure requirements for TNCs. There's
16 not a lot of publicly-available TNC data
17 currently out there right now, and so this is one
18 of the few datasets that we've worked with so
19 far.

20 And you know, two of the big findings, I
21 think, from this work are that, not surprisingly,
22 TNCs drive more daily miles than you would see in
23 a personal vehicle on average. And so for the
24 same vehicle, fleet distribution arrange type,
25 you see higher infrastructure requirements for

1 TNCs.

2 But we also ran some sensitivities around
3 availability of home charging, you know, with the
4 idea that potentially a lot of TNC drivers might
5 live in high-density urban environments or in
6 apartment buildings where they might not have
7 access to home charging, and also found that to
8 be a very strong lever in terms of how much
9 demand TNC drivers might have on a fast charging
10 network. You know, whether or not they have
11 that home charger makes a big difference.

12 And so in some DOE-supported work, we're
13 trying to gather a better quantitative
14 description of what residential charging
15 availability looks like at the national level.

16 This slide is actually specific to some
17 California data. This is all data from the
18 American Community Survey, from their public use
19 microdata samples. And what we've done here is
20 try to develop an estimate for the light-duty
21 stock in California along three dimensions, along
22 household density, residence type, and tenure.
23 And the graph is probably too small for most
24 people to read but I'll point out a couple things
25 that are interesting to us in terms of challenges

1 for residential charging and EV adoption.

2 So this analysis suggests that about one
3 in five California vehicles are owned by someone
4 that lives in an apartment building. Maybe about
5 one in four are owned by someone that lives in a
6 high-density urban environment where residential
7 package might be a challenge for them to charge
8 their electric vehicle at night.

9 And it also points out that about one in
10 three California vehicles are estimated to be
11 owned by someone that is currently renting their
12 residence. And so if there was electrical
13 upgrades that might be necessary for residential
14 charging, that person might not have the autonomy
15 or the authority to invest in their own
16 residential charger themselves.

17 So we think that there's a lot of
18 different layers that go into residential
19 charging availability. This data highlights some
20 of those layers.

21 We're also working on conducting a
22 residential parking survey nationally right now
23 to try to further enhance this analysis to
24 understand, for each of these different
25 combinations, so someone maybe that you say lives

1 in a high-density environment and rents an
2 apartment, what kind of access to residential
3 parking do they have? Are they parking in a
4 private garage, on-street, in someone's driveway?
5 You know, things like that to try to inform what
6 their access to residential charging might look
7 like.

8 And then finally, we've done a fair
9 amount of work, as well, on the analysis of cost
10 of electricity for EV charging. This slide
11 highlights some work of some of one of my
12 colleagues, Matteo Muratori, who's been using the
13 utility rate database to look at rate structures
14 across the U.S. in terms of both the fixed energy
15 and demand charges and look at different
16 technologies, including photovoltaics and onsite
17 energy storage, how those could be leveraged to
18 decrease the cost of electrification for fast
19 charging.

20 We're currently updating this project in
21 collaboration with researchers from Idaho
22 National Lab to try to develop kind of a full
23 characterization of the cost of charging to
24 consumers that includes both residential,
25 workplace and public charging, and then try to

1 use EVI-Pro to resolve how much of each of those
2 types of charging we might expect to see in
3 different parts of the country.

4 And so kind of a quick run-through of
5 NREL research in this space. I think my slide
6 poses questions but I don't think we actually
7 have time of questions, that comes later; is that
8 right? Okay. Great.

9 So I'll turn it over to Colin now and let
10 Noel coordinate getting him on the phone.

11 MR. SHEPPARD: Can you hear me okay?

12 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Hi, Colin. We can hear
13 you. I'm not sure if you'll be able to control
14 the screen from here. We're sharing right now.
15 If you can tell me when to move forward or we can
16 do the ball handoff. Okay. Yeah, so if you just
17 let me know when to advance the slide, we have
18 you up next.

19 MR. SHEPPARD: Great. Hey, everybody.
20 I'm Colin Sheppard from Lawrence Berkeley
21 National Laboratory. I'm presenting on behalf of
22 myself and Samveg Saxena and Doug Black. We were
23 all involved in doing work around EV modeling, EV
24 adoption, EV infrastructure analysis. I'll sort
25 of touch upon what all of us are doing, and I'll

1 try to do this all as quickly as possible.

2 You could go to the first slide.

3 So the primary work that I'm involved
4 with, as some of you know, is developing and
5 applying a BEAM simulation model. The BEAM
6 simulation model and framework was actually
7 developed first as a model just to do analysis
8 around personally-owned EVs and the charging
9 infrastructure interactions that they would have
10 and trying to understand in a spatially explicit
11 way, what are the opportunities and challenges
12 associated with getting people to the chargers,
13 as well as what are the opportunities for
14 leveraging the flexibility inherent in people's
15 EV loads in order to serve or provide resources
16 or services to the grid.

17 The BEAM model is now expanded in scope
18 considerably through supported work by the
19 Department of Energy under the Smart Mobility
20 Consortium. So now in BEAM, we are simulating
21 all modes across the transportation system. And
22 we are doing this in the context of travel demand
23 modeling.

24 So we simulate people walking, biking,
25 driving alone, but then also we simulate taking

1 transit, people riding in ride-hail vehicles.
2 And people can take -- they can drive to a
3 transit station, they can take a ride-hail to a
4 transit station. The ride-hail fleet can be
5 human driven, it can be automated.

6 We have pooling happening in our transit,
7 in our -- sorry, in our ride-hail system. And
8 then we very recently also enabled the simulation
9 of shared bikes, shared vehicles of all types,
10 but that would include shared cars, shared bikes,
11 shared e-scooters, and these could be all in a
12 docked or a dock-less configuration.

13 I just want to then say that, okay, so
14 all of this is happening inside of the BEAM
15 model, but then, as well, under the context of
16 smart mobility we are closely coupling our model
17 with other models.

18 So as Eric mentioned, we're working with
19 NREL in order to, basically, use EVI-Pro as a way
20 to cite charging infrastructure for the BEAM
21 simulation. We are working with -- we are also
22 working with NREL in order to embed more detailed
23 vehicle energy charge -- energy consumption
24 models inside the BEAM simulation.

25 And we're working with UC Berkeley on two

1 fronts, one, the relationship between vehicle
2 automation and traffic flow is something that
3 will change and there will be higher capacities
4 on our roads and freeways and we are embedding
5 that information into BEAM. And then we're
6 working with the Urban Sim Team in order to
7 couple BEAM to urban sim and be able to resolve
8 the interactions that happen between the
9 transportation system and land use.

10 So the -- so this full suite of models
11 working together will allow us to, if we resolve
12 what's happening all the way down at individual
13 vehicle levels to the network and traffic flow
14 happening, to the traveler profiler, what mode
15 people are going to choose to take, what route
16 are they going to take, et cetera, and then up
17 into the medium- and larger-scale behavior and
18 system dynamics, like where people are going to
19 choose to live and work in the future in response
20 to the changes happening in our transportation
21 system.

22 So we're really looking to wrap our arms
23 around the whole system and have a fully
24 integrated, dynamic travel-demand capability that
25 allows us to then investigate all of these big

1 questions that is on everybody's mind about,
2 really, where is our transportation system headed
3 in the next few decades?

4 You can go to the next slide.

5 So going back then to -- or sort of
6 jumping to a different topic, so our first work
7 with BEAM involved doing flexibility analysis.
8 And we coupled BEAM to the PLEXOS model and did
9 an analysis for the State of California. I
10 presented on those results last year, during the
11 workshop that was mentioned.

12 One just variation on that work that I
13 thought was interesting to bring up now is we did
14 do an analysis about load flexibility and where
15 does it happen in the system? So you know, it's
16 pretty much all in the residential sector right
17 now. And we asked the question, well, given that
18 people have their vehicles at work in the middle
19 of the day and we want to soak up that midday
20 sunshine, what happens if we just add a lot more
21 charging infrastructure to the workplace system?
22 And you can see that we get increases in the
23 flexibility in the load but it's modest; right?
24 Especially in comparison to the residential
25 sector.

1 So I still think that when it comes to
2 smart charging and thinking about placing the
3 load at the right time of day there are
4 substantial challenges, I think, ahead in terms
5 of really leveraging the opportunity we have to
6 sort of use these fleets of vehicles in order to
7 do that.

8 Go to the next slide.

9 I think one of the biggest opportunities,
10 though, is maybe to not ignore private vehicles
11 but to really start focusing on the shared
12 vehicle fleets because these fleets have this
13 inherent flexibility if they end up automated and
14 controlled by single entities where you can have
15 excess vehicles in order to also help manage some
16 of the demand for charging and the flexibility
17 about the timing of that charging.

18 So these are some just examples of an
19 analysis we've done with BEAM where we were
20 studying DC Fast Chargers in the San Francisco
21 Bay area and then looking at the performance of
22 the ride-hailing fleet, assuming it was automated
23 and electric, and how does that performance
24 change as we add more and more DC Fast Chargers?

25 The red lines in all these figures are

1 what the sort of baseline metric would be for an
2 ICE vehicle that didn't have any constraints
3 around charging. And then we have a, you know,
4 75-mile range and a 150-mile range fleet of
5 vehicles. And you can see, as we add more
6 chargers to the system, we can sort of bring
7 these metrics closer and closer to the ICE
8 baseline. And then we can do other analyses like
9 this where we would say, alternatively, how many
10 more vehicles would you need in order to achieve
11 this same level of service?

12 So one of the sort of advantages of the
13 framework we have is that if you look at like the
14 number of customers served, right, this is sort
15 of bottom blue second from the left plot, you can
16 see that, you know, if you go from ICEs to EVs or
17 if you don't have enough charging infrastructure
18 and if your demand is elastic, which is it in the
19 transportation system, you don't get as many
20 customers, you don't serve as much demand. And
21 you really need to be modeling both sides of the
22 equation in order to understand these kinds of
23 dynamics.

24 Next slide.

25 I'm just going to mention this GEM model.

1 This is a new model we've developed, also under
2 DOE funding, called the Grid Integrated Electric
3 Mobility Model. I think what's particularly
4 interesting about this model is that this is a
5 partnership between LBNL and UC Davis. We've
6 working with Alan Jenn at UC Davis. And we are
7 making use of the outputs from EVI-Pro as one of
8 our modeling assumptions. And we're basically
9 trying to get at these problems, both from a top-
10 down and a bottom-up approach, so we're using
11 bottom-up models, including EVI-Pro, including
12 the RISE model, which I won't have time to go
13 into, but this is another shared automated EV
14 supply model.

15 And then we're using those to come up
16 with reduced form models that go into the GEM
17 model which is sort of a top-down model.

18 If you can go to the next slide?

19 It allows us to answer questions, such as
20 how much infrastructure would we need? And what
21 would the makeup of the fleet be for a shared
22 automated EV fleet? And this is a national
23 analysis, so we're doing this by division across
24 the country but it includes California as its own
25 division within our country. And you can see

1 that, you know, there are tradeoffs between the
2 number of vehicles you have and how much charging
3 you need and what level of charging you need.
4 And there are tradeoffs between the range of the
5 vehicles and the number and type of chargers that
6 you need. And this model is able to, you know,
7 bind these all together into one analysis.

8 And what it also does, if you go to the
9 next slide, is plan when these chargers are going
10 to be charging. And so here we're varying the
11 fraction of vehicles in the simulation that are
12 private versus shared, so private is red, shared
13 is all of the rest. And as we go from all
14 private to all shared, you can see a pretty
15 dramatic difference in the overall load shape.
16 And it turns out that both in our shared
17 assumption, we're assuming there's more actual
18 pooling, more people in vehicles than in the
19 private assumption, but then, also, there's more
20 flexibility in the shared fleet than there is in
21 the private fleet.

22 Next slide.

23 And then if we do something similar where
24 there's a 50-50 split between the private and the
25 shared fleets but then we go from zero percent of

1 the private fleet is engaged in smart charging to
2 100 percent is engaged in smart charging, we also
3 see very dramatic changes in what the load shape
4 looks like. And while it looks like the load is
5 spiking under a 100 percent smart charging
6 scenario, if you go to the next slide, you'll see
7 that the reason for that is that we're actually
8 making use of the smart charging to almost
9 totally flatten the load across all of these
10 regions in the country.

11 So this is net load broken out by
12 generation fuel type. And the top group of plots
13 are without smart charging, the bottom group are
14 with smart charging. And you can see a pretty
15 dramatic capability when you have fleets of this
16 size. And this is really assuming that the
17 entire fleet is engaged in some sort of demand-
18 responsive charging, you can almost total flatten
19 the net load which we think is really
20 interesting.

21 Next slide.

22 So not only are we doing a lot of work
23 around modeling and simulation but we also are
24 engaged, through the CEC, in demonstration
25 projects. So this is an example of actually

1 coordinating the charging of a fleet of vehicles
2 at a parking garage in collaboration with Alameda
3 County. And there's been a lot -- this is --
4 Doug Black has been leading this and he has
5 learned a lot, so that, technically, it wasn't
6 that difficult for him to achieve this or their
7 team to achieve this.

8 But the most challenging part had to do
9 with all of the human interaction, as well as the
10 logistics around scheduling a fleet of vehicles
11 to charge at these chargers when you have fewer
12 charges than there are vehicles. So we hope to
13 always stay tightly connected with people who are
14 gaining this kind of real-world experience when
15 we do our modeling.

16 And then the last slide just touches upon
17 some recent work that Sam Saxena has been engaged
18 in where they've been trying to quantify the
19 demand for hydrogen, but also electric refueling,
20 for medium- and heavy-duty buses in California.
21 They've been doing this by leveraging the MFAC
22 database which does have temporally-resolved
23 fueling demand from medium- and heavy-duty
24 vehicles. And they are taking that sort of
25 aggregated demand and then disaggregating it

1 using some assumptions and coming up with
2 probabilistic models of how individuals might
3 behave, assuming what their refueling preferences
4 might be, and then using that to then come up
5 with an aggregated load profile at the end.

6 And we think this is maybe a promising
7 sort of first-cut analysis that can be -- help to
8 serve this sort of ongoing analysis that needs to
9 happen for planning for medium- and heavy-duty
10 charging in California.

11 So that's all I have. I've gone a little
12 over. I apologize for that.

13 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Thank you, Colin, for
14 presenting. And apologies that you weren't able
15 to make it.

16 But at this point, we'll transition to
17 Gil and Alan.

18 MR. TAL: Great. Thank you. Thank you
19 for having me here. I will share my time with
20 our Research Director Alan Jenn and try to go
21 really fast through a couple of slides, so you'll
22 have to excuse me for skipping some interesting
23 results.

24 And, actually, I will start with this
25 slide that many of you have seen many, many

1 times. The Plugin Hybrid Electric Research
2 Center was started with a CEC grant 12 years ago.
3 And we do a lot of data collection. It's a lot
4 of piecemealing of many different grants, many
5 different projects, many different NDAs and data
6 sources, but it's all here. A lot of data that
7 is already here, coming from the infrastructure,
8 from the vehicles on the road, from the drivers
9 and the owners of these cars, and we keep doing
10 it all the time. Most of my presentation today
11 will be about incorporating that into the
12 modeling that we are doing that was presented.

13 I will start with how much people are
14 using plugin vehicles. There's a lot of new
15 papers coming based on the 2017 National
16 Household Travel Survey, actually, the California
17 add-on. If you dig a little bit into the
18 California add-on the data collection will stop,
19 more or less, recruiting vehicles in 2016 and all
20 of the plugin cars there are from 2011-2012. And
21 they say -- and they're only based on, more or
22 less, Nissan LEAFs from the first generation and
23 a couple of Volts. So please be careful with
24 citing this 2017 based on 2012 dataset. Plugin
25 vehicles are doing a lot of miles. Most of them

1 are doing more than 12,000, including BEVs and
2 PHEVs, without getting into too much details.

3 Asking the drivers today about where do
4 they use their cars, where do they plug in them
5 in, they mostly plug them at home. It's home,
6 home and work, home and other. If you have a
7 Tesla, you kind of combine home and other places.
8 Very few people are not using home.

9 And in 2018, I added a question to the
10 survey: If you are not using home, if you are one
11 of these four percent that are not using home,
12 what's going on there? And looking at that, we
13 find that about 15 percent of the BEVs who are
14 not using home have a charger at home. About 40
15 percent of the BEVs who are not using home have
16 Level 1 opportunity at home but they are just not
17 using it because they have options. And then we
18 have people who cannot use home. It's kind of
19 going all the way to left to no way. But even
20 the people who are not charging at home today can
21 do it if they need to and want to.

22 I'm saying that because we are talking
23 today about public but putting more funds into
24 home charging saves installing public chargers.
25 If people can charge at home, they don't need to

1 charging in public that much and we need to
2 coordinate this discussion.

3 A similar discussion on fast chargers,
4 you know, we are talking a lot about how much we
5 need fast chargers, but most of the BEV owners in
6 California are not using it, not because there
7 are no chargers around, because they don't have a
8 need for it. If you look at Volt drivers, 90
9 percent of them did not use it even once in the
10 last month. It's not that they never used it.
11 They use it two, three, four times a year.
12 Everybody's used it once or once -- once or twice
13 after buying the car but then they don't see a
14 regular need for it.

15 So when we go to the modeling approach we
16 should not just look at the data coming from our
17 surveys, and I'm talking about 27,000 EV owners
18 in California, we should try and see if our
19 assumptions about how people would use these cars
20 are aligned with what people are actually doing
21 and why we have some discrepancies there.

22 Tesla owners, these are model X and S,
23 it's free. It's all free. They can go and do
24 their shopping, they have their coffee and get
25 charges, but 70 percent of them are not trying

1 even to use fast chargers. So we need to kind of
2 work on our assumptions on that.

3 We have this big eVMT, what we call the
4 eVMT Project, sponsored mostly by the Air
5 Resources Board, but also by some funds from the
6 CEC and a little bit from the DOE, where we
7 collect data from hundreds of vehicles for a full
8 year around California. This is just a teaser.
9 We have everything about these cars, SOC at the
10 beginning, end time, location. That, for
11 example, is just kilowatt hour per session by
12 vehicle type. These are only BEVs in our study.
13 Nothing more than just a teaser for kind of
14 coming up to our modeling efforts later.

15 Another one of these teasers is about
16 frequency. All of our models are talking about
17 people charge once a day. From all the hundreds
18 of vehicles we collect data, we couldn't find
19 even one car that was charged once a day, not
20 even one. The vehicles are charged much less
21 than that. And when we have longer-range cars,
22 we charge even less. If you drive a Chevy Volt,
23 if you drive a Tesla Model 3 long range, you
24 don't charge more than once every three days.
25 And now the behavior is much more complicated

1 because when you charge only once every three
2 days, you have more capability to choose where
3 you do it, when it's cheaper, when it's more
4 comfortable, and so on.

5 This is a group of 6,000 PEV owners,
6 2017, who have all the options. They have home
7 charger, they have workplace charger, they have
8 it all available to them. And this is what they
9 actually do over a week of data collection. The
10 top, the left one is BEVs, the right one if
11 PHEVs. And we are presenting it as function of
12 range of the vehicles. Probability is function
13 is range.

14 For BEVs the range is not changing much.
15 Short-range BEVs and long-range BEVs, there is
16 about one-third probability that they plug in at
17 home in any given day and, also, a little bit
18 lower probability that they will plug in at work
19 on any given day. These are people that have
20 both options, home and work. When range is going
21 up there is much higher probability that they
22 will not plug in at all on a given day; that's
23 this, going up. And there is much lower
24 probability that they will charge in more than
25 one location. Public locations are always very

1 low and it doesn't really change that
2 probability.

3 Now when we look at plugin hybrids, we
4 see a very interesting story here. About a third
5 of them will plug in at home, regardless of the
6 range of the car. Of course, the probability for
7 doing more than one place dropped dramatically,
8 that's the line that dropped. But the
9 probability of charging at work is climbing from
10 about 10 percent to 30 percent when range of the
11 car is going up. So when people have more range,
12 we expect them to charge less.

13 But with plugin hybrid, when people have
14 more range, the positive utility of plugging in
15 and getting free electricity at work is going up.
16 When you can get more every time you plug in at
17 work with a 40-mile-range car, you get much --
18 you save about \$1.00. When you plug in a ten-
19 mile range car, you save about \$0.10, \$0.20.
20 People are much more likely to plug in at work
21 when they have longer-range vehicles than
22 shorter-range vehicles.

23 All of that behavior is very important
24 for the modeling because we have more flexibility
25 here. Pricing is important. Time limit is

1 important. We all know we hate these four-hour
2 time limits. But that's also a call for one more
3 important, I think, policy consideration.

4 We are now talking about workplace
5 charging and home charging but we are surveying
6 people based on a different question. We
7 surveyed them based on charging while at work.
8 And charging while at work should happen not only
9 at your employer's parking lot but most of it or
10 many times it should happen at a public charger,
11 like what we have here in the City of Sacramento,
12 even better, at the light rail station far away
13 from downtown.

14 We should install workplace chargers at
15 the BART station. We should install workplace
16 chargers at public transit stations, at park-and-
17 ride station locations, because this where people
18 commute to. And by installing chargers by the
19 employer, we actually encourage them to drive all
20 the way to work instead of doing this better VMT
21 calculation that the CARB people were just
22 talking about earlier, so changing this
23 discussion from workplace charging to charging
24 while at work.

25 I think that I will move to Alan's two

1 slides.

2 If you want to come up here and present
3 them?

4 Alan is leading our work on the vehicle
5 grid integration. He's doing most of our
6 research or a lot of our research on TNC.

7 MR. JENN: Thank you, Gil.

8 So speaking specifically about
9 infrastructure developments, we just launched a
10 two-year project to look specifically at the
11 integration with distribution infrastructure.
12 And this is something that we'll actually be
13 working on, and hopefully with some support from
14 CEC and some local utilities.

15 So the first sort of task is to look at
16 the landscape of distribution infrastructure, and
17 so we're working with the Integration Capacity
18 Analysis tool to do that, coupling distribution
19 infrastructure and charge installation. And so
20 here I think one of the big strengths of what
21 we're doing is to couple what Gil was talking
22 about with a lot of the behavioral elements that
23 we're able to use, empirical behavior elements,
24 with the data from the Integration Capacity
25 Analysis tool. And then lastly, we're hoping to

1 develop pricing and policy levers in order to
2 sort of maximize benefits to the system.

3 And then another sort of small data
4 overview for this new aspect of demand in TNCs,
5 what we're trying to look at is specific
6 infrastructure deployment to meet TNC demand.

7 Okay, so this map on the right-hand side isn't a
8 sort of model. This is actually empirical data
9 about where electric vehicles in TNC services
10 have demand for services, so where they're
11 picking up passengers. And you can see this sort
12 of growing very quickly over time, over the last
13 two years.

14 There are also dots, red dots
15 corresponding specifically to charging events and
16 charging amounts by TNC vehicles charging to
17 fulfill those demands. And what you can see is
18 that, yes, in some areas there are some
19 correlation between where the pickups are
20 happening, where the demand is, and where the
21 charging is. But that colocation isn't
22 necessarily prevalent in all areas. And we've
23 done some analysis in L.A. and San Diego, as
24 well.

25 And so we are currently sort of trying to

1 develop a model to help build out the DC fast
2 infrastructure to better align with the TNC
3 electricity demand. And this is important;
4 right? Because if you minimize the discrepancies
5 between the charges and the riding demand, then
6 you are, one, increasing profitability for
7 drivers and thereby incentivizing electrification
8 in these services and, two, you're decreasing the
9 deadheading that's needed for the vehicles to
10 travel to charging the vehicles, which will be a
11 benefit from an energy and emissions perspective.

12 And so that's just the small preview of
13 what we're doing on the TNC demand portion for
14 infrastructure development. Yeah. And that's
15 all we have.

16 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So at this point I'm
17 going to introduce Kim Ho, our intern, again, to
18 help with moderating our questions before we
19 break for lunch. We'll have maybe around 15
20 minutes.

21 So, Kim, go ahead.

22 MS. HO: Hello everyone. So at this
23 time, we will be opening up the room for any
24 questions, comments on the overview topics we
25 have covered this morning. We have about 10 to

1 15 minutes for three to five questions, depending
2 on time. We do want to get you out of here for
3 lunch on time. And then for any folks who have
4 questions, we will have a mike passed to you.
5 Please introduce yourself and the organizations
6 you represent.

7 For folks on WebEx, please use the raise-
8 hand feature or request to be muted.

9 And so we're going to start with the two
10 questions we have onboard.

11 So the first one is to address any
12 questions you have on the process, and this
13 refers to the breadth of the AB 2127 requirements
14 and coordination required of it.

15 The second one is about also the depth of
16 the analysis process. So -- and then the second
17 question touches on the purpose of gathering
18 useful data for electric vehicle infrastructure
19 alignment.

20 And taking the limited time that we have
21 on the first cycle, what topics are of greatest
22 interest to you and that could inform the Energy
23 Commission to prioritize.

24 So at this time, please raise your hand
25 if you have questions.

1 Yes. So I have -- I see the first one,
2 the second one.

3 MR. PINGLE: Hi. This is Ray Pingle with
4 Sierra Club.

5 So it seems to me that, you know, the
6 optimal charging scenario for individuals that
7 have vehicles is charging at their residence or
8 wherever they live and because that's has
9 benefits to them. They don't have as much
10 transaction time trying to find charges and
11 charge. It's beneficial to the grid because they
12 can charge overnight where it doesn't impose as
13 much demand on the overall generation of
14 electricity. And it's cheaper.

15 So I think anything that you all -- by
16 the way, I think this is phenomenal. This is a
17 phenomenal workshop. And it's really delightful
18 to see how well all the agencies are coordinating
19 together. But I think anything in the analysis
20 that is done that can provide all the policy
21 support possible for enabling charging at a
22 residence would be very beneficial.

23 And then the other comment is that in
24 addition to forecasting demand and so on for
25 charging, I think that some additional outputs of

1 this process could be informing the various
2 agencies of opportunities for legislative,
3 regulatory incentive policies and procedures that
4 could enable this.

5 Thank you.

6 MS. RAFALSON: Oh, is this -- okay, the
7 green light is on.

8 Hi, Sarah Rafalson from EVgo for the
9 third time. And thank you, CEC, for organizing
10 this today.

11 First and foremost, we're a fast charging
12 provider. And I was glad to hear a lot about the
13 discussion of ride-hailing mentioned several
14 times today and would just like to emphasize that
15 any needs assessment should consider the
16 increased eVMT from light-duty fleets, and ride-
17 share in particular, which increases drastically
18 the need for DC Fast Chargers. And we've put a
19 lot on the record about some of our utilization
20 data in the last year, so including a report we
21 filed at the CPUC just last week. But in metro
22 areas in particular, we're now seeing fast
23 chargers being used ten-plus hours a day.

24 So in regard to the second question on
25 the screen, I would just also like to emphasize

1 the need for gaps to be assessed by utility
2 territory, which is right now something that is
3 not available in the current EVI-Pro model. And
4 from our perspective, that's led to a smaller
5 proportion of fast chargers being estimated,
6 specifically in applications at the CPUC. So we
7 have this 10,000 fast charger goal but it's not
8 segmented by utility territory. So I think that
9 would help to right-size future applications.

10 And I think just last on grid benefits
11 for light-duty fleets in particular, that was
12 raise a couple of times, too, and I would be
13 happy to talk afterward and share some data that
14 we've shared with other state agencies, but
15 fleets in particular are charging a lot during
16 peak solar, even without any price signals. So
17 I'd be happy to share that with anybody following
18 this presentation today.

19 MR. MCMILLAN: Hi. Good morning. Good
20 afternoon. There you go. Hi. My name is Ian
21 McMillan. I'm with the South Coast Air Quality
22 Management District. Very much appreciate all
23 the work that's going on, all the coordination
24 amongst the agencies. It's very encouraging to
25 see.

1 I think to get to the second question
2 here about greatest interest, down at the South
3 Coast, you know, our primary problem is nitrogen
4 oxides. That's not really so much from the
5 light-duty fleet. It's mainly from the medium-
6 and heavy-duty sector and off-road sector that
7 we're seeing that real challenge on nitrogen
8 oxides. And so when we're looking at what are
9 the greatest needs that we have down at South
10 Coast, it really is on that larger -- those
11 larger vehicles.

12 And when we've talked to a lot of folks
13 in industry, you know, the needs that are there
14 on the, you know, sort of the energy need that's
15 needed on a facility basis, for example, you go
16 to a, you know, warehouse or something like that,
17 they might have on one building a draw of several
18 megawatts that they need, just a few vehicles.
19 And that's dwarfs a lot of the need that we're
20 talking about on the light-duty side, especially
21 when you start thinking about that at scale.

22 And so we really would encourage a lot of
23 this effort to look -- the level of detail that's
24 been put into the residential and the light-duty
25 sectors of looking at the needs there, that's

1 really impressive and definitely needed. But we
2 think an equal effort is needed on the heavy-duty
3 side, especially given the trade gateway that is
4 in Southern California for the entire nation and
5 how goods flow through that area. So we really
6 encourage a lot of focus on that larger sector.
7 And we look forward to working with everybody
8 here to try to, you know, figure out how those
9 scenarios might look.

10 So thank you.

11 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Thank you.

12 MS. HO: We have maybe two more
13 questions, two or three. Anyone else from this
14 side?

15 MR. PINGLE: Ray Pingle, Sierra Club.

16 Just one other comment or suggestion is
17 to the extent that industry, the EVSE chargers
18 and networks, the ChargePoints, Greenlots, EVgos
19 of the world, to the extent they're willing to
20 share data with you, that could be additional
21 datapoints to help do forecasts.

22 And also, on the net-demand side for
23 EVSE, to the extent they're willing to share or
24 publicly announce their commercial plans to
25 provide chargers in various locations, that would

1 help you inform what the net need is beyond that
2 for public infrastructure.

3 Thank you.

4 MS. HO: Thank you for all your
5 questions.

6 So if, Noel, you can go to the next?

7 So at this time, before we break out for
8 lunch, we like to take an account for how many
9 participants are interested in each sector. So
10 if you can please just raise your hand for,
11 first, it's the light-duty vehicle.

12 That's -- are we counting? Yeah, that's
13 a lot.

14 Medium-duty vehicle? And it can overlap.
15 You can be part of both. Okay. Thank you.

16 And heavy-duty vehicles? Okay. So,
17 great.

18 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So it looks like maybe
19 70-30 split between light, and then in
20 combination, medium and heavy.

21 And so just so that we are returning from
22 lunch in an organized fashion, we're going to
23 partition the room a little bit better to
24 accommodate sector-specific breakouts so that
25 we'll be able to get into the depths that are

1 needed during the afternoon. So please look for
2 the appropriate table tent according to which
3 sector you're interested in discussing and kind
4 of seat yourselves on that side of the room or at
5 the tables, actually, after lunch. So we'll
6 reconvene at around 1:20.

7 And thank you, presenters, for remaining
8 on time.

9 And thank you, audience, for going
10 through our grueling list of nine this morning.

11 We'll reconvene back at 1:20. Thanks
12 everyone.

13 (Off the record at 12:18 p.m.)

14 (On the record at 1:30 p.m.)

15 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay, we're going to
16 call the meeting to order and go live on WebEx.
17 So welcome back from lunch, everyone. Thank you
18 for finding a seat at one of the tables for our
19 breakouts this afternoon. We will have a brief
20 presentation regarding definitions in order to
21 kind of set the stage a little bit more before we
22 do our sector-specific discussions.

23 So during this presentation I'm going to
24 describe how we're interpreting the identified
25 elements of the infrastructure assessment which

1 are, quote, including but not limited to
2 chargers, make-ready electrical equipment,
3 supporting hardware and software, and other
4 programs. So I will include, also, in this
5 proposal an effort to leverage our sister
6 agencies' work from a Vehicle Grid Integration
7 Working Group and lead into the activity by
8 describing the importance of examining these
9 individual infrastructure elements in the context
10 of broader transportation and energy systems.

11 So this is kind of a basic slide but
12 really important to the Commission as we embark
13 on this analytical effort because the legislation
14 is not specific about what it means when
15 referencing charges. And in common language,
16 we've found that these four terms, connectors,
17 EVSE or off-board charges related to AC or DC
18 provision of power into the vehicle,
19 infrastructure, and station are often comingled,
20 so shorthand, like charging infrastructure or
21 charging stations, become kind of a very
22 confusing term to handle.

23 So the intermixing of those concepts is
24 intended to be segregated here in these four
25 parts of this bullseye, shown hierarchically from

1 the top to the bottom, from the smallest unit,
2 which is the connector which you insert into a
3 vehicle inlet, to the largest, which is a station
4 which is an actual address in the Department of
5 Energy's use of the term. And so we'll go into
6 further example about what we're trying to get at
7 and what we mean because defining these terms
8 will help us have better discussions.

9 So as many of you know, there are two
10 types of EVSE that operate at lower AC voltages,
11 Level 1 which can plug into a 120-volt outlet,
12 and Level 2 which is connected to a 220-volt
13 service. Both Level 1 and Level 2 EVSE, or
14 electric vehicle supply equipment, use the SAE
15 J1772 connector for conductive transfer into an
16 AC-DC charger onboard the vehicle which converts
17 the AC power from the grid into DC power that's
18 usable by the vehicle's battery.

19 And on the left -- or right-hand side of
20 the page, we have a DC Fast Charger which
21 operates at higher AC voltages, maybe 480 volts,
22 and uses three-phase power, and uses an offboard
23 AC-DC charger to direct electricity directly into
24 the battery.

25 And so there are three types of

1 connectors for fast chargers, going left to
2 right, the SAE combined charging standard, the
3 Tesla connector, and the CHAdeMO connector. And
4 it's important to note that these are commonplace
5 in on-road light-duty vehicles, and to some
6 extent heavy vehicles, but it is not intended to
7 exclude other forms of charging matter continuing
8 to emerge for other segments.

9 So we'll be going into an example as to
10 why it's important to use consistent terminology
11 to describe connectors, EVSE, chargers, charging
12 infrastructure and stations, as depicted here.
13 This is particularly important to account for
14 existing chargers or EVSE deployed throughout
15 California.

16 So in searching for an example to
17 describe during a workshop, I looked for recently
18 commissioned installations and figured I haven't
19 seen Electrify America's website yet. And so I
20 found something that was recently energized which
21 was also tracked by the Department of Energy and
22 PlugShare. So these are excerpts from websites
23 by EA, Electrify America, PlugShare and the
24 Department of Energy, which all describe the same
25 installation with different terms.

1 And so from left to right the DOE says
2 that there are ten outlets at this site, not
3 specifying the number of different connectors.
4 According to PlugShare there are ten CCS stations
5 and one CHAdeMO station. And according to
6 Electrify America there are nine CCS stations and
7 one CCS CHAdeMO station. And so what does this
8 mean when we're trying to account for up to
9 250,000 stations to support electric vehicles
10 under the executive order?

11 This is -- these are all trying to
12 describe this middle point at the 2774 Livermore
13 Outlets Drive address in Livermore, California,
14 these are the premium outlets where actually the
15 station, according to the Department of Energy,
16 has an address describing several groups of EVS,
17 its DC Fast Chargers, including the one that I'm
18 describing from Electrify America, but also two
19 from the EVgo network.

20 Specifically to Electrify America, there
21 are ten DC Fast Chargers at ten parking spaces to
22 serve ten vehicles, despite the fact that each
23 charger has two connectors. So in total at this
24 EA installation there's one CHAdeMO connector and
25 19 combined charging system connectors in total.

1 And for the ten, they are split between the power
2 capacities that they're capable of serving with 8
3 150-kilowatt DC Fast Chargers that are CCS alone
4 and 2 350-kilowatt DC Fast Chargers that are able
5 to serve CCS and CHAdeMO, where one of them is,
6 and if you squint here, a 2 CCS charger and one
7 of them is a CCS and a CHAdeMO charger.

8 And so given this amount of potential
9 confusion, how would be quantify the capabilities
10 of these assets to serve California vehicle
11 drivers' needs?

12 So let's take a step back. The electric
13 vehicle infrastructure projections model
14 quantifies the EVSEs, namely the Level 1 and
15 Level 2 EVSE, and DC Fast Chargers needed to
16 serve the power capacity demanded by an EV given
17 an individual vehicle driver's energy
18 requirements, how that demand for an EVSE or
19 charger would coincide with other drivers in the
20 county and, third, accounting for increasing
21 power ratings over time.

22 So to quantify the capability of this
23 Electrify America installation in this context,
24 let's consider that a 350-kilowatt station
25 serving the very right-most parking space on the

1 previous page depicted here on the left. So
2 looking at the PlugShare details the charger has
3 a power rating of 350 kilowatts. And assuming no
4 losses in the AC-DC conversion the 350-kilowatt
5 rating could be the feeder size for that charger,
6 meaning that only one car that might need 350
7 kilowatts of input power would be able to serve
8 that -- be served by that charger at a given
9 time.

10 So for the sake of clarifying, what if
11 there were two chargers -- there were two parking
12 spaces situated around that DC Fast Charger,
13 where, for example, a Porsche Taycan could charge
14 at 350 kilowatts, as it's expected to do so in
15 the media, and a LEAF were to park at the other
16 parking space serving -- being served by that
17 charger? And if both the Taycan and the LEAF
18 were requesting their respective connectors full
19 output power, how would be account for that
20 charger?

21 So for EVI-Pro to correctly account for
22 that demand, both chargers, both the 350-kilowatt
23 CCS and the 50-kilowatt CHAdeMO, would need to
24 serve their full output power, meaning that the
25 charger would need to be federal with

1 infrastructure that can support the sum of 350
2 kilowatts and 50 kilowatts. So in other words,
3 in order for this charger to count as two the
4 feed would need to serve the full power demanded
5 by the two vehicles if they were to come and
6 arrive at this charger at the same time.

7 So the idea of delivering power demanded
8 by the EV is even more important when considering
9 a case where power is fed among several
10 connectors and shared among a given EVSE. This
11 is often the case for Level 2 EVSEs with multiple
12 J1772 connectors, as displayed on the right.

13 For example, what if this charger was
14 installed at a workplace where two coworkers' EVs
15 demanded the full capability of the J1772 at 19.2
16 kilowatts and both were to plug into this EVSE,
17 perhaps installed in the middle of two parking
18 spaces? If the EVSE shares 19.2 kilowatts among
19 both of those two coworkers' vehicles that EVSE
20 would have to power share and only be able to
21 meet half of the EVs' demand, in other words,
22 19.2 divided by two. Therefore, the loading at
23 those two vehicles would be reduced compared to
24 what they actually needed which might induce the
25 demand for another EVSE,

1 Taking a step back out of these details,
2 it's important to consider how parking
3 configurations and power sharing and the
4 connector capabilities are described. And so
5 when we are counting EVSEs and chargers, this
6 quantification should account for, first, the
7 maximum connector capacity and account for, for
8 example, reductions in throughput that would
9 delay service given the parking configuration or
10 power management objectives because that would
11 induce the demand for an additional charger. And
12 in addition, actual user behaviors with this
13 infrastructure should be accounted for.

14 If you have read the EVI-Pro report from
15 2014, this management of the infrastructure has a
16 high influence on the sharing potential of the
17 equipment and, thus, the network size that's, in
18 total, needed for the state.

19 Sorry.

20 So the power feeding in the charger is a
21 core concept of the second part of the
22 assessment, the make-ready electrical equipment.
23 So in the bullseye shows at the beginning of the
24 slides, the make-ready electrical equipment could
25 be synonymous with the infrastructure because it

1 underpins and supports the chargers and EVSE.
2 The make-ready is all of the electrical equipment
3 up to but excluding the EVSE or the charger and
4 terminates at the EVSE's junction box. In
5 programs, this definition commonly includes
6 electrical panels, conduit and wire, meters,
7 service drops, and secondary service
8 transformers.

9 However, we have heard anecdotally,
10 particularly in large DC Fast Charger plazas or
11 for prospective heavy-duty charging fleet
12 installations that the make-ready has also needed
13 to include upgrades to the primary circuit or
14 even the substation, especially where capacity is
15 aged or limited.

16 Note that there are two configurations of
17 make-readies here showing a premise meter and an
18 EVSE meter, or an EV service meter, which relate
19 to the existing service being the focus of the
20 charging installation or a separate service
21 dedicated to electric vehicle load alone. In
22 both of these cases, submetering of EVSE or
23 charger-specific loads is technically feasible
24 today and it's described in more detail on the
25 next page.

1 From a program standpoint, we indicate
2 the effect of the SB 350 transportation
3 electrification programs where cost that were
4 previously dedicated to an individual customer
5 that were located specifically behind their meter
6 are now eligible for recovery in distribution
7 rates across many customers in a non-dedicated
8 fashion.

9 Thinking about data collection, make-
10 ready electrical equipment data is extremely
11 difficult to acquire due to the site-specificity
12 of design and the fact that no, to our knowledge,
13 databases exist of charging infrastructure
14 buildouts describing a component-level analyses.
15 The integration capacity analyses published by
16 the utilities, mentioned earlier, are a good
17 start. However, they're not specific enough to
18 support a full component-level analysis at the
19 statewide level.

20 The last specifically-identified aspect
21 of the analysis is supporting hardware and
22 software. For scoping at this time, we interpret
23 this to mean the supporting in hardware and
24 software of the EVSE or charger itself and not
25 specifically the hardware and software of a make-

1 ready infrastructure.

2 And so as show on this slide on the right
3 we highlight several physical and transactional
4 functions which we can examine the hardware and
5 software and understand the needs of the charging
6 equipment. As an example, listed here, potential
7 hardware and software analyses could include the
8 compatibility of chargers, charging controls,
9 electrical safety, meter accuracy, network
10 connectivity, load efficiency, secure
11 authentication, secure payment, and other items
12 that are not listed. We're open to stakeholders'
13 comments on what additions could be considered
14 here.

15 Following the previous reference to EVSE-
16 based submetering, I show an example of how
17 hardware and software could be overlain onto
18 these infrastructure elements. So, for example,
19 if the EVSE had the capability of measuring
20 charging load itself, it could communicate to a
21 variety of actors, including a local energy
22 management system, and communicate through a
23 service meter back to the utility in order to
24 associate that EV-specific submeter to a
25 customer's account.

1 In addition, it could communicate to a
2 meter data management agent or an automaker
3 original equipment manufacturer to similarly
4 associate with a service meter and communicate
5 subtractive billing with a utility, or in the
6 case of utility submetering, the counting of that
7 EV load could be directly associated with the AMI
8 and reported back to the utility's meter data
9 management system.

10 The goal here for hardware and software
11 is to organize and complement existing efforts,
12 for example, those promulgated by the Division of
13 Measurement Standards and local governments or
14 permitting departments. But we also want to
15 provide a common resource for stakeholders who
16 have yet to implement electrification in an
17 organized fashion. And so we list here examples
18 of government agencies and industry associations
19 which are promulgating relevant standards through
20 their jurisdictional efforts.

21 In particular, a key here is the need to
22 identify the needed hardware and software for
23 future vehicles and close any analytical gaps to
24 ensure that our future charging infrastructure is
25 effective in meeting upcoming requirements that

1 can be anticipated and for planning future
2 infrastructure procurements.

3 And so this takes us kind of a little bit
4 of a wrap-up where we need to work with common
5 definitions. And so build on prior analysis
6 shown in the prior slides, these represent --
7 these initial ideas represent the Commission's
8 experience, research and review of technical
9 reports and utility programs. But in order to
10 move towards a common dictionary, we are
11 preliminarily focusing on the output of the
12 Interagency Vehicle Grid Integration
13 Communications Protocol Working Group and their
14 draft final VGI Glossary of Terms. And while it
15 is not finalized or adopted by the CPUC, it
16 serves as a useful starting point to propose
17 definitions.

18 And so the Energy Commission staff will
19 plan to refer to portions of the VGI Glossary and
20 refine and further develop those terms as part of
21 the AB 2127 analysis to make sure that
22 stakeholders are able to understand what we're
23 discussing.

24 And before we transition into the
25 discussion groups, it's worth talking about how

1 these interactions between factors are working
2 together. It's important to use something like
3 the VGI Glossary as a dictionary. But it's
4 important, even more so, to understand how to
5 speak with these terms in the way that we use
6 nouns and verbs to form sentences and paragraphs
7 and the conveying of coherent thoughts. So in
8 this manner, it's important that we account for
9 the interactions between the factors that I
10 described and counting them within the system's
11 approach that I described this morning.

12 Fundamentally, infrastructure needs are a
13 subset of the vehicles used, the overall travel
14 demanded, and other factors. And infrastructure
15 decisions, like power, location and utilization,
16 are subject to tradeoffs. And likewise, vehicles
17 that are used are subject to modal shifts and the
18 technologies that are commercially available.
19 And so even at a higher level the types and
20 locations of economic activity will be the
21 fundamental drivers of travel demanded.

22 And so therefore, it's important to
23 consider infrastructure as part of a broader set
24 of vehicles and travel. And so we think that a
25 pathways and systems' analysis is critical to

1 account for these factors. Our researchers
2 earlier had highlighted this and I'm hopeful that
3 everyone is starting to understand the importance
4 of these.

5 But as you might recall from the EVI-Pro
6 analysis, one pathways analysis that was
7 described in that report was the alternative
8 pricing scenario where we were able to model a
9 difference in preference based on the price of
10 Level 2 and public DC Fast Chargers, which would
11 quantify the differences in deployment between a
12 colocation of high-power chargers or heavily
13 distributed lower-power chargers at individual
14 residences.

15 Examining infrastructure pathways is
16 warranted, not only in the context of the
17 transportation system in which it is serving but
18 also the energy systems that actually support the
19 infrastructure. And so AB 2127 accounts --
20 allows the Commission to analyze elements of
21 infrastructure aside from the three items defined
22 previously, chargers, make-readies, and hardware
23 and software.

24 As described earlier, when accounting for
25 a charging assets ability to serve the demand of

1 an EV, several assumptions must be made -- taken
2 into account, for example, the constraints of the
3 site or objectives in the users' behaviors,
4 parking configurations, and the grid itself.
5 Thus, the product differentiation depicted here
6 of different charging solutions currently
7 available on the market is the natural result of
8 these constraints of available power, parking
9 configurations, and the user's intent.

10 For example, these charging solutions,
11 for example, the Envision Solar one on the left,
12 the FreeWire Mobi immediately to the right, or
13 the EV Smart Technologies lamppost charger don't
14 have make-ready requirements at all. Because of
15 these, they have substantially different use,
16 insulation and power operational requirements
17 that can be deployed to support the EV targets
18 that we have and decarbonization goals at a much
19 different rate than conventionally-designed
20 infrastructure, and so they require different
21 analysis.

22 Furthermore, Staff believes that it's
23 prudent to respond to concerns highlighted in
24 other forms about the resilience to the grid for
25 electric vehicles. And so I highlight the

1 definition of transportation electrification from
2 the Public Utilities Code to remind you that
3 transportation electrification means the use of
4 electricity from external sources of electric
5 power, including the electric grid. This is
6 important to describe the importance of emerging
7 charging pathways that use electricity from
8 external sources, including DERs, like storage or
9 even fuel cells.

10 And lastly, our analysis of other
11 programs was important -- given an analysis of
12 other programs, it's important to track the pace
13 and breadth of programs to determine if the
14 investments are keeping up with serving the needs
15 of new EVs in the system.

16 And so to transition, we're going to have
17 a few moments of public comment, again moderated
18 by Kim, our Legal Intern.

19 MS. HO: At this time we have about five
20 minutes to open the floor up to discussion.

21 The first question is about enhancing our
22 community process and contribution for the VGI
23 Glossary of Terms.

24 And the second question refers to how can
25 we establish agreements in setting common

1 definitions, vehicle and sectoral terminologies,
2 and shared resources?

3 So if anyone has comments, questions, now
4 is the time.

5 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So, Karim, I think there
6 are two mikes on the table somewhere, so free to
7 use the ones that are situated at your table.

8 MR. FARHAT: All right. Hi everybody.
9 Karim Farhat from PG&E. So I have two comments
10 which I will make, hopefully quickly.

11 The first one is both, in our opinion,
12 both the terminology and the accounting
13 methodologies when it comes to EVs and EVSEs
14 should be aligned with whatever exists in the DER
15 ecosystem. So we need to make sure that the
16 terminologies that we're using with other DERs
17 are consistent to the extent possible with the
18 terminology that we're using with EVs. And the
19 same also applies to the accounting
20 methodologies.

21 Now we do realize that, you know, EV and
22 EVSE have specific unique aspects associated with
23 them and that's fine. If there is no terminology
24 or accounting methodology that exists today
25 within the DER ecosystem, then we can do that but

1 we need to make sure that whatever exists can be
2 leveraged.

3 So a couple of examples on that is, for
4 example, ideally, we wouldn't have anything in
5 terms of terminology or accounting methodology
6 that would contradict what exists in the MUA and
7 how the multiuse application describes DERs.
8 Another example is smart invertors. So all of
9 these, we need to make sure that there's
10 alignment in terminology and accounting
11 methodology between them.

12 Comment number two, I know I really
13 appreciate the way that you have detailed kind of
14 how things can go wrong in the accounting of the
15 resource. In my mind there might be terminology
16 that is related to accounting the resource
17 specifically, and there might be terminology that
18 is more related to describing things accurately,
19 but it doesn't necessarily affect the accounting
20 of the resource; right?

21 So, for example, if I'm talking about two
22 ports and I'm only accounting for one of them,
23 that obviously accounts my ability to do
24 forecasting for the resource. But if I'm calling
25 the EVSE a charger or I'm calling a charger an

1 EVSE, that's more of an accuracy of the
2 description but it doesn't necessarily affect the
3 accounting itself.

4 So for the sake of simplifying this
5 effort, again, to the extent possible, given the
6 breadth of studies that we have seen this
7 morning, maybe we can -- both are important but
8 maybe we can prioritize, focusing on the
9 terminology that if we get wrong, then the
10 accounting would be wrong. And then for the
11 terminology that is related to accuracy, that
12 would be like second here.

13 Thanks.

14 MR. CRISOSTOMO: And, Karim, if you have
15 any specific decisions or papers that describe
16 the MUA and DER definitions, please let us know.

17 MR. FARHAT: Sorry. On that note, I
18 would refer to the MUA proceeding final report
19 that was published. There is, I think, some
20 description. Maybe it's not a final report but I
21 know that there's an MUA proceeding and there's a
22 report that was issued there. I'm happy to
23 follow up in details of what that report is. But
24 there is some description that existed in that
25 report. It will be like a good first step to

1 just like make sure that whatever is there is not
2 kind of free invented.

3 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Thank you.

4 Ray?

5 MR. PINGLE: Hi. Ray Pingle, Sierra
6 Club.

7 So it may be that the collective we needs
8 to keep a superset of all the detail needed, both
9 for utilities, for charging, for users and so on,
10 but then develop specific subsets depending on
11 who the audience is. So if you're a driver there
12 may be certain amounts of detail you don't need
13 to use but certain things, you really, you want
14 to know if a resource is going to be shared or
15 not, for example. You want to know if there's
16 one or two parking spots available to that EVSE.
17 So the idea is to have a superset but then subset
18 for different users.

19 MS. HO: We have time for maybe one or
20 two more questions.

21 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay. Thank you for
22 those comments.

23 Okay, so the reason why we set up the day
24 and the room in this format was to kind of lead
25 up to this point. Coming from an overview from

1 the legislation context, from regulatory agencies
2 on their implementation on charging
3 infrastructure programs and vehicle regulatory
4 programs, going deeper into why we need to
5 organize data, analytical examples, and most
6 recently, defining terms, we want to go -- we
7 went through these in order to -- in order for
8 you to think about how all these systems are
9 starting to interact and lead into this working
10 session.

11 And so the purpose of this data
12 collection deep dive is threefold: first, to
13 provide answers to the data requirements that are
14 listed in the matrices that were served through
15 the service list earlier this week; second, to
16 allow for stakeholders to suggest resources that
17 would improve the viability of our analysis,
18 including volunteering yourself or colleagues to
19 assist with further discussions in the case that,
20 for example, no public information is available
21 since it is confidential and proprietary; and
22 then third, to identify important considerations,
23 concerns or challenges with this analysis.

24 And in order to do so, we've broken you
25 up into different vehicle segments. And I'm

1 hoping that you've already chosen a seat at the
2 appropriate table for light-, medium- or heavy-
3 duty vehicles. And during this breakout session,
4 you'll actually see toward that second point a
5 clipboard circulating that looks like that,
6 allowing you to identify yourself as a
7 participant in the AB 2127 process.

8 Furthermore, we thought it would be
9 important and effective for people to actively
10 participate in a way that was simply not reading
11 assumptions into the microphone at a queue. We
12 thought that would be pretty boring for folks.
13 So during the next 90 minutes, we're going to
14 break this into two parts.

15 Energy Commission staff will facilitate
16 each of the areas for the different on-road
17 vehicle sectors, again, light-duty vehicles,
18 medium- and heavy-duty vehicles. And we're using
19 some terminology from the Federal Highway
20 Administration posted in the middle of the room
21 to delineate the different vehicle segments.

22 We'll have facilitators and notetakers
23 from the Commission, myself and Kim in light, Tim
24 Olson and Wendell Krell in the medium-duty
25 vehicles, and then Ben De Alba and Adeel Ahmad

1 from -- in the heavy-duty vehicle section. We're
2 all staff in Fuels and Transportation Division.

3 And there will also be staff working from
4 the R&D Division and Energy Assessments Division
5 keeping track of specific notes that they work on
6 in terms of site analysis or EVSE technologies or
7 forecasting.

8 So we'll be breaking out into about an
9 hour into facilitated sessions and then reconvene
10 to offer summary reports, based on this breakout.
11 During this, we will identify information gaps
12 and analytical needs and additional questions and
13 ideas upon which we can follow up.

14 And so at this time, we're going to kind
15 of get started. But as an example of how we'll
16 be working with the matrices that you have in
17 hand that you picked up in the foyer and the
18 boards that are posted in the room on foam core,
19 there are three major questions that you'll be
20 responding to in the vehicle sector that you're
21 interested in.

22 As Wendell described at the beginning in
23 the morning, the matrices are organized by
24 infrastructure assessment element, chargers,
25 make-readies, hardware and software and other

1 programs. And then for each of those parameters
2 that drive infrastructure needs, we'll be looking
3 at three major questions.

4 First, is the information available? If
5 yes, please list any sources that you'd like to
6 suggest, or, no, identify means to collect the
7 information. And we'd like to see any market
8 information, reports or databases offered.
9 Again, we're not necessarily starting from
10 scratch but we want to hear what you guys are
11 interested in, not to give out all the answers.
12 We didn't want to minimize the need for
13 stakeholder input by leaving things mostly blank.

14 Second, we'd like to detail the inputs
15 that would affect the need for the different
16 infrastructure elements that I've named before.
17 And as examples, in the second column there are
18 specific parameters that can be important factors
19 in determining infrastructure requirements and
20 different pathways.

21 Third, we'd like to identify
22 considerations that we should keep in mind as
23 potential pitfalls or suggestions to refine our
24 analysis and improve its relevance and make
25 suggestions about how to analyze a particular

1 section of the infrastructure assessment.

2 And fourth, on your handouts there are --
3 there's a blank row, just to represent that we do
4 not intend to suggest this is an exhaustive list
5 of everything that we could analyze but are
6 you -- it's supposed to symbolize how you're able
7 to provide additional suggestions for information
8 to collect.

9 And so while, during this hour, we won't
10 necessarily need to go through every single line
11 item, we want this to be a free-flowing
12 discussion facilitated by the Commission staff
13 where the facilitators will be taking notes and
14 tracking the discussion on the foam core boards.
15 And you can keep notes on your own in the
16 handouts that we've printed out.

17 So at this time, we can break out and
18 then try to reconvene in about an hour. But
19 before we do that, are there any key questions?

20 MR. FARHAT: Sorry, Noel, not a question,
21 just a comment. I just want to make sure that I
22 spoke very accurately on the comment that I made
23 before, so let me just be very specific.

24 My comment about the alignment between
25 EVs on -- and other DERs on the accounting

1 methodologies and the terminology was specific to
2 the VGI aspects of the EVs. Obviously, the EV
3 space is side. It's much wider than VGI. So I
4 was only referring to, as long as we're talking
5 about EVs and modeling of EVs as a grid resource
6 and within the VGI ecosystem, then this is where
7 I'm talking about the alignment.

8 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay. Understood.

9 Tim, do you have a question?

10 MR. OLSON: Yeah, more of a suggestion.

11 This is Tim Olson, Energy Commission.

12 Given not many people here at the medium-
13 duty table, there's a lot of common ground with
14 medium- and heavy-duty. And it might be worth
15 combining those areas for --

16 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah. It's been half-
17 an-hour since we've reconvened at lunch and we
18 haven't gotten everyone back. So why don't we
19 make some room and rub elbows with your heavy-
20 duty brethren and sisters and combine that. We
21 could also pick up an additional table if that
22 would make more room. But I agree. Thank you
23 for that, Tim.

24 Any other -- oh, yeah. And before we
25 break out, and I will note that our light-duty

1 table will be transcribed, we'd like to make sure
2 that our WebEx remote attendees are engaged and
3 are able to contribute, albeit remotely. And so
4 we invite everyone participating on WebEx to
5 follow these instructions that will be posted up
6 here for the next hour where they can chat ideas
7 through the chat feature, and we will include
8 them as part of our notes. And depending on the
9 volume of such chats into the conversation, we'll
10 be able to have our WebEx guru Micah running
11 those chats into the live working group itself.

12 So after you guys resituate the table, we
13 can get started.

14 Any other questions before we go? All
15 right, let's go.

16 (Colloquy)

17 MR. RAFATI: Hi. I'm Tony Rafati with
18 San Diego Gas and Electric. I am the Policy
19 Manager for our Transportation Electrification
20 Group. And my interest is in the light-duty
21 charging infrastructure needs to align with the
22 scope of our application that we would like to
23 propose to the Public Utilities Commission.

24 MS. STRUTNER: Hi. My name's Maddy
25 Strutner. I work with SDG&E, as well, in the

1 transportation sector. I'm an Analyst. And my
2 ideas kind of align with Tony's.

3 MR. JENN: Hi. Alan Jenn. I am at UC
4 Davis and interested in electrification of light-
5 duty vehicles.

6 MR. DAYHIM: Muhammed Dayhim, SCE. I
7 forecast the EV adoption. I will be interested
8 to see how CEC IEPR Demand Forecast Group, how we
9 will utilize this study.

10 MR. PALMERE: Mark Palmere, CEC. I work
11 on our Light-Duty Vehicle Demand Forecast in the
12 Energy Assessments Division. And I guess I'm
13 here to just answer any questions you might have
14 about what we use for our forecasting and our
15 methodology, if anyone is -- was wondering here.

16 MR. FARHAT: Hi everyone. Karim Farhat
17 with PG&E. I'm on the Clean Transportation
18 Strategy Team. And we're here, like my sister
19 IOUs basically articulated, we're interested,
20 obviously, in the EV infrastructure and to see
21 how we can help and learn about how to better
22 model these.

23 MR. FUNG: Hi. I'm Matt Fung with the
24 California Energy Commission's Research and
25 Development Division. I help administer the VGI

1 aspect of EPIC program. And I'm interested to
2 see, where are the data gaps that research can
3 help fulfill?

4 MR. TAL: Gil Tal, UC Davis.

5 MS. WILLIAMS: Marissa Williams,
6 California Air Resources Board. I work in the
7 Advanced Clean Cars Branch under Joshua
8 Cunningham, who presented this morning. So we're
9 here, interested in CEC's efforts on EV
10 infrastructure assessments to align with our
11 vehicle regulatory efforts.

12 MS. JAW: Kathy Jaw, California Air
13 Resources Board. Interested in everything that
14 can get us to the 5 million, which is including
15 the EV infrastructure.

16 MR. WOOD: Eric Wood, NREL.

17 MS. BHAMBRA: Banpreet Bhambra for CARB.

18 MS. GARCIA: Hi. I'm Katherine Garcia
19 with Sierra Club California. I'm here with my
20 colleague, Ray Pingle, and so he's at the heavy-
21 duty table and I'm at the light-duty table. We
22 both work very closely with leading programs for
23 increasing electric vehicle infrastructure, both
24 -- for both heavy-duty and light-duty, but I'm
25 specifically interested in light-duty

1 infrastructure for low-income communities.

2 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay. So were people
3 able to look at the matrix beforehand and do they
4 have any reactions or items that they are
5 particularly interested in before we start off on
6 any particular segment?

7 So each of these is kind of organized in
8 a way to understand how external factors, aside
9 from the actual infrastructure itself,
10 infrastructure element itself, is being driven
11 with a new policy or regulatory requirement for
12 energy storage advances in costs from like a
13 demand-driven standpoint. And so there are many
14 things that we have to account for as a driver of
15 demand. That was like a common element in each
16 arenas or element areas of the infrastructure
17 assessment.

18 So why don't people provide some ideas or
19 for examples of what is driving charger demand?
20 We've heard a lot of them today. So I don't want
21 to restrict the conversation to what we have on
22 the page but there's a lot of brain power in this
23 group and I want to be open to what you guys are
24 thinking.

25 Staff from ARB, can you start us off?

1 Like what are the key regulations that are
2 affecting demand for new electric vehicles and
3 help us start off?

4 MS. WILLIAMS: This is Marissa. Are we
5 good? I guess not. This is -- okay. This is
6 Marissa Williams from the California Air
7 Resources Board.

8 On the light-duty side, as the
9 presentations this morning mentioned, there are
10 two regulatory efforts that the Advanced Clean
11 Cars Branch is leading, the first one being
12 Advanced Clean Cars 2 which is looking at new ZEV
13 requirements post-2025, so this would --
14 assessments going out to 2030 would definitely
15 be -- we would want to be looking at
16 infrastructure needs beyond the 2025 assessment
17 that was previously done.

18 And then we also have our Clean Miles
19 Standard Program which is looking at regulatory
20 efforts, which may include ZEVs, as well, for TNC
21 applications.

22 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So Marissa is saying
23 number of chargers derived from regulatory
24 requirements imposed under the Advanced Clean
25 Cars Rule and the Clean Mile Standard Rule. So

1 taking that one down and I'll follow up with
2 that.

3 So have -- what are the key kind of
4 timeframes for driving the actual number of
5 vehicles that would be coming out of these
6 regulations? Is that -- are those vehicle
7 quantities available yet? So I'm looking at
8 the -- is the data available?

9 MS. WILLIAMS: Yeah. I mean, for new
10 regulatory efforts for moving from 2025 to 2030,
11 that's under regulatory development. So there
12 might be some preliminary projections on vehicles
13 that we might assume from new regulatory efforts.
14 And then we have our current regulation, the
15 Advanced Clean Cars Program, that has ZEV
16 requirements. But I think as Joshua mentioned,
17 that's always a moving target, as well, because
18 there are multiple pathways for the OEMs to get
19 credits.

20 So, yes, yes and no. we do have some
21 projections of where the vehicle numbers are and
22 probably to 2030, which would be for the
23 assessment.

24 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Great. So that's a
25 perfect lead-in.

1 So tell us more about the types of
2 vehicles that might be considered and how you
3 might be accounting for infrastructure credits as
4 part of, for example, the Clean Mile Standard?
5 Because those are really important parameters
6 based on what your objective is. So if it's to
7 achieve a certain number of vehicles deployed,
8 that will drive infrastructure requirements, of
9 course.

10 And as we've discussed in EVI-Pro Version
11 1, there's a huge sensitivity to the number of
12 Level 2 chargers, depending on if you're going to
13 maximize eVMT overall.

14 And for CMS, you're really interested in
15 the number of fast chargers; right? So
16 understanding whether the TNC vehicles are full
17 battery-electric vehicles or plugin hybrids plays
18 into that, as well.

19 So let's put down assumed fleet
20 composition; right? Would you add any other
21 major factors?

22 And then for the final column, let's --
23 or, Gil, do you want to say something?

24 MR. TAL: Some datapoints to your column.
25 So as Joshua said, we know that we'll have about

1 1.2 million cars to 1.5 by 2025. We know that we
2 will have -- probably half of them are plugin
3 hybrids. You know, you can go to the forecast
4 and get a little bit better number but based on
5 the credits of the ZEV mandate. Out of the half
6 that are BEVs, we will have probably three-
7 quarters are Teslas, so we'll have about 250,000
8 cars around California that can use DC Fast
9 Chargers that are not Tesla in 2025, cannot get
10 into the exact numbers but that's more or less
11 the ballpark numbers, and about 50 that can use
12 the 350-kilowatt hour -- kilowatt chargers.
13 That's my guess.

14 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So would it be
15 appropriate to kind of abstract, long-range BEVs
16 with fast charging capabilities are a key kind of
17 influencer of charging infrastructure demand?

18 MR. TAL: Well, we have only the DC fast,
19 not Tesla, are the one that this -- all of the
20 chargers that we are investing in, or going to,
21 all of the DC Fast Chargers. So, yeah. Um-hmm.

22 MR. RAFATI: So this is Tony from SDG&E.
23 I think it would make sense to make this
24 dataset -- or looking at this data will make more
25 sense to make it a regional approach because I

1 know, at least from our service territory, we're
2 not at 50-50, we're at more like 60-40 and moving
3 towards the best--

4 UNIDENTIFIED MALE: (Off mike.)

5 (Indiscernible.)

6 MR. RAFATI: Yeah. Yeah. So it would
7 make sense to look at it for each service
8 territory to see what it looks like.

9 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah. So I think that
10 echoes what Sarah Rafalson from EVgo was really
11 interested in.

12 MR. RAFATI: Yeah.

13 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So maybe we can create a
14 new data requirement?

15 MR. RAFATI: As far as the new ARB
16 regulations, I think one thing that is going to
17 help drive the need for chargers is the new LCFS
18 regulation change where it's going to create a
19 new vehicle rebate that may potentially lead into
20 the increased sales figures.

21 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Sorry, Tony, I'm going
22 to have to catch up. So service territory level
23 demand, we don't have that information yet;
24 right?

25 MR. RAFATI: Well, we do --

1 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Or for the existing
2 data, we would.

3 MR. RAFATI: -- have assumption. The
4 existing, we do, yeah.

5 MR. CRISOSTOMO: You're pointing which
6 way? Oh, I'm sorry.

7 (Off mike colloquy.)

8 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Sorry. So for existing,
9 we do. For new, no, we'll need to make some
10 assumptions about customer preferences, for
11 example --

12 MR. RAFATI: Sales trends.

13 MR. CRISOSTOMO: -- incentives,

14 MR. RAFATI: Yeah, incentives and new
15 models coming on.

16 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So let's -- so the
17 incentives and sales trends, customer interests
18 might be an analytical consideration; right?

19 MR. RAFATI: The model availability.

20 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Model availability.

21 MR. RAFATI: Yeah.

22 MR. CRISOSTOMO: What other factors
23 might -- what specific kind of data inputs, what
24 might we be interested in understanding service
25 territory level demand? It's really BEV versus

1 plugin hybrids or other things?

2 MR. RAFATI: That and the percentage
3 Tesla cars because I think sometimes we include
4 all the Tesla models as part of our service
5 territory demand and that may skew the numbers
6 either way because they've going to -- they have
7 their own dedicated network. So maybe some sort
8 of a special treatment would make more sense.

9 MR. FARHAT:

10 What's the horizon for the study that we're
11 talking about here? Like if we're talking about
12 projections up to 2030 then a lot of the --
13 there's going to be a lot more EV models on the
14 road that, you know, above and beyond Tesla. But
15 if we're talking for the coming two years, then
16 Tesla might still be a dominant player.

17 So I'm just curious to know, like what
18 time horizon are we talking about here?

19 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah. So while we're
20 going to kind of close the spigot off by May,
21 we're interested in any information that would be
22 available for beyond that timeframe, obviously.
23 And so if there are product turnouts that -- for
24 example, Ford has set a goal to have, what, like
25 20 or 30 models or 20 BEVS maybe by 2025 or

1 something. If it goes beyond 2030 or has like a
2 plan in advance of 2030, we're interested in any
3 information that we can get available to us. But
4 the 2127 requirement requires us to look at
5 infrastructure needs to 2030.

6 MR. FARHAT: Okay. So we're basically
7 looking at until at least 2030 by requirement of
8 the study itself.

9 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah.

10 MR. FARHAT: Okay.

11 MR. CRISOSTOMO: And then, Tony, you were
12 mentioning something else, LCFS.

13 MR. RAFATI: Yes. The new LCFS -- what
14 is the name of the rebate? Yeah, Clean Fuel
15 Reward Rebate that's being worked on right now
16 that's supposed to go live sometime in Q4 of 2019
17 will provide an upfront incentive for the
18 purchase of new electric vehicles that could --
19 that should likely be considered if we're looking
20 at projections of the number of cars and the
21 number of stock in California by 2030.

22 I'm going to put that in my other
23 program's box.

24 MR. RAFATI: Okay.

25 MR. CRISOSTOMO: When will those roll

1 out?

2 MR. RAFATI: Oh, the target is Q4 2019
3 before we go live. I'd like to emphasize the
4 word target.

5 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Are there specific
6 pieces of information that you're going to be
7 collecting out of that program that would help
8 inform how those incentives would drive adoption?
9 Numbers of DC Fast Chargers funded? Numbers of
10 vehicles adopted? Numbers of people enrolled
11 rates? What are the metrics that we would -- we
12 could count on?

13 MR. RAFATI: That is still being worked
14 out with all the stakeholders, so there's not a
15 lot of information there.

16 I think one key element that can be used
17 is the rebate can be used to create cost parity
18 between similar models of electric and ICE sooner
19 than we anticipated. I know there are
20 assumptions about cost parity coming in 2024 or
21 2025. But adding an additional \$2,000 incentive
22 could change that target.

23 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So cost parity would be
24 the cost of the electric vehicle and then the
25 cost for a similarly situated --

1 MR. RAFATI: Similarly situated, yeah.

2 MR. CRISOSTOMO: -- ICE vehicle?

3 MR. RAFATI: ICE vehicle.

4 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So those are -- so two
5 parameters to help inform that could be those two
6 things?

7 MR. RAFATI: Well, it's the availability
8 of new incentives to drive down the cost.

9 MR. FARHAT: Yeah, and actually along the
10 lines of cost, maybe not only the, you know, like
11 the capital cost of investing in the car but also
12 the total cost of ownership. So you can start
13 from it all the way upstream by saying it's going
14 to be the carbon pricing which is going to affect
15 the gasoline price, which eventually is going to
16 affect the total cost of ownership for the
17 behaviors, and then the customers are going to
18 make decisions accordingly. So it starts with,
19 basically, carbon pricing.

20 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay. I'm going to add
21 that to another kind of line item, carbon pricing
22 that would affect TCOE?

23 MR. FARHAT: Yeah. I mean, carbon
24 pricing, especially as it relates to how it's
25 going to affect the gasoline price and the total

1 cost of ownership.

2 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So, Karim, I'm going to
3 make you go through this with me. So is the data
4 available on such greenhouse gas features for us
5 to do that?

6 MR. FARHAT: I'm sure there's some form
7 of data but I'm not aware of any specific source.

8 MR. CRISOSTOMO: What would we be looking
9 for, dollars per ton and then translating that
10 into avoided emissions for EV versus conventional
11 vehicle; right? How would you go through that
12 analysis?

13 MR. FARHAT: I mean, purely
14 hypothetically, and I could be completely off on
15 this, but --

16 MR. CRISOSTOMO: No judgment here.

17 MR. FARHAT: -- I would basically say
18 it's basically looking at how the, you know, how
19 the carbon pricing broadly or loosely is going to
20 affect the cost of gas as opposed to the -- you
21 know, and then you compare the cost of gasoline
22 to the cost of electricity. And then from there,
23 you would do a total cost of ownership
24 calculation and then you prove that, you know, an
25 EV has a much lower total cost of ownership than

1 an ICE. And that, you would say then, is going
2 to drive more and more customers to adopt.
3 Hypothetically, that's how I would go through the
4 chain of reasoning about it.

5 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Do people have thoughts
6 on Karim's -- the strengths or weaknesses of
7 Karim's back-of-the-envelope methodology? What
8 should we kind of keep in mind if we were to do
9 such an analysis? Gas price fluctuations?
10 Whether or not customers prefer TCOE as key input
11 for their vehicle choice?

12 Mark, maybe you could talk to that a
13 little bit, based on your research from the CVS?

14 MR. PALMERE: Yeah. So our -- we do have
15 a vehicle survey that's published -- or conducted
16 several years, usually it's about every three or
17 so years. And one thing we do is calculate
18 parameters that give -- sort of reveal customers,
19 at least their stated preferences, on how
20 important each variable or each attribute is in
21 their decision making.

22 So, for example, here, one of them is
23 fuel type. And we look at how important, you
24 know, the type of fuel it uses is. Then we also
25 have, for example, fuel prices. And then just,

1 you know, overall price, pretty much every
2 vehicle attribute.

3 But, yeah, that is something that we have
4 and we're conducting the current version of the
5 survey this year. And, yeah, we do find it very
6 useful for sort of understanding how -- what
7 consumers value the most.

8 And in our past surveys, I can say this,
9 we're still working on the current one and don't
10 have the results, but in the past, we found fuel
11 prices are actually not as important as some
12 other things. For example, overall price, you
13 know, even if over time it would save them money,
14 consumers do seem more interested in the actual
15 price they're paying along with the rebate and
16 what they're getting back, not the idea of
17 cheaper fuel over time.

18 And then, of course, on the other side,
19 range, and range is also very important.

20 I guess that's a long way of saying, yes,
21 that we do look at how important fuel type is to
22 consumers and just how, like not considering the
23 cost or anything else, just the idea of
24 electricity versus gasoline versus, you know,
25 flex fuel, hydrogen, all that, how important

1 those are to people. And we do it by number of
2 vehicles they own, so we can distinguish a one
3 vehicle household to a two or three a household.
4 So we see like one-household vehicles are less
5 incented for EVs just because usually EVs are
6 bought -- are owned in conjunction with at least
7 one other vehicle for longer transits and stuff
8 like that.

9 I think I identified myself. This is
10 Mark Palmere.

11 MS. GARCIA: So just adding onto that,
12 this is Katherine from the Sierra Club, I know
13 that the Union of Concerned Scientists has a
14 calculator that kind of gets to this point of the
15 cost of gas versus the cost of electricity but
16 they don't actually -- they do it at a national
17 level, and so they talk about costs but they also
18 talk about how clean the fuel is. So whereas in
19 California, we have a lot of renewable energy and
20 then it kind of compares that to some other
21 states that rely on coal. And then their point
22 is that, you know, they kind of break it out
23 nationally. So that's just one instance.

24 But when I think of total cost of
25 ownership, I also think of, you know, maintenance

1 costs and how some EVs are cheaper. So when you
2 said -- I don't know if that's another item to
3 talk about as an incentive.

4 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah. So it is a viable
5 thing to talk about. But it would be good to
6 think about how TCOE is considered in the lens of
7 infrastructure. So thinking through that, how
8 would you kind of go about not only thinking
9 about the operational costs of the vehicle itself
10 but put an infrastructure and charging bent on
11 that? Do you have any initial ideas?

12 MS. GARCIA: So I didn't think I'd -- I
13 wasn't going to elaborate on this particular line
14 item. But you're right, I mean, infrastructure,
15 thinking about -- yeah, infrastructure is the
16 topic, and so that would make sense for total
17 cost of ownership.

18 MR. DAYHIM: This is Muhammed Dayhim for
19 SCE. Thank you, Mark, for explaining about the
20 total cost of ownership.

21 So demand forecasting, they do a great
22 job, they design a survey. I think one of the
23 biggest issues right now, and since we are here,
24 is the range anxiety. That's one of the main
25 barriers of EV adoption. And especially as Tony

1 mentioned about the regions, specifically in
2 Southern California, that's one of the issues.
3 And SCE and I'm sure other IOUs are working very
4 hard to build more infrastructure. And having
5 more infrastructure, especially on public
6 workplace, also multi-dualing -- first, let me
7 actually talk about some workplace and multi-
8 dualing. We are pushing really aggressively to
9 install more charges which also help us to shift
10 the load to the daytime. It will help us to
11 procure true renewable sources.

12 And also, on the multi -- the second
13 barrier, which I think is also very important, is
14 lack of infrastructure, especially in multi-
15 dualing. They do have that issue.

16 And also, another one is the lack --
17 customer awareness. I think customer awareness
18 is pretty correlated with infrastructure. So
19 many people do not know about EVs but if they see
20 more EVs, more chargers around their
21 neighborhood, they will become more interested in
22 purchasing and trying to learn more about,
23 especially -- so also, Edison is working, also
24 building infrastructure in disadvantaged
25 communities as well. Around 49 percent of our

1 chargers are installed in disadvantaged
2 communities so far.

3 MR. TAL: I was just asking kind of an
4 open question, if installing half of the chargers
5 in disadvantaged communities will increase EV
6 adoption or would slow EV adoption?

7 MR. DAYHIM: That's a very good question
8 that can bring up -- technically, it will
9 increase, if you're asking. It will increase the
10 EV adoption, having more, especially so many
11 people are not living in disadvantaged
12 communities but they do work in disadvantaged
13 communities, so they charge their cars. So this
14 is very helpful to have more -- this is more
15 workplace charging, so whoever is interested to
16 buy electric car, they will have that
17 infrastructure, have it available.

18 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So let's go kind of
19 through that provocative question that Gil is
20 describing.

21 MR. TAL: Let's stay with the one before
22 because I have more provocative questions,
23 even --

24 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Well, let's go with the
25 disadvantaged communities' one.

1 MR. TAL: You want to start with that?
2 Because I think that I'm looking for eight, nine
3 years for evidence that range anxiety reduces EV
4 adoption, and I don't have any evidence for that,
5 for sure not with 200-mile plus BEVs and PHEVs
6 and multi-car households.

7 So we have to -- that's what I was trying
8 to say in my presentation, we have to challenge
9 our assumptions first and put a number to them
10 because we don't have evidence for that yet.

11 So which one you start with?

12 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So let's start with --
13 before we go into the disadvantaged communities'
14 sub question, let's kind of challenge ourselves
15 and ask: Are the chargers needed? Because you're
16 suggesting that they're not. So how --

17 MR. TAL: Not that they're not needed but
18 we need to put numbers on all of our assumptions,
19 how many are needed and for whom and so on.

20 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So let's go through that
21 exact one. The data requirements are -- let's
22 say that again. How many are needed and for who?

23 MR. TAL: Yes, and for whom, yeah. Out
24 of the accepted -- let's say that we'll have 5
25 million cars by 2030, that's a good goal to have,

1 how many people will need public infrastructure
2 out of these 5 million cars?

3 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So I'm capturing local
4 numbers of chargers, of what type, for which
5 users. Is that a logic model or is that some
6 sort of forecast? Is that available? Have you
7 answered that question?

8 MR. TAL: No, I haven't answered it. I
9 can't answer it. I can -- I answered it last
10 time in 2014 and you need to update all the
11 assumptions to come up with a good number for
12 today. We totally underestimated the range of
13 the cars coming back then and that's the main
14 difference that I think we need to change.

15 We also overestimated how people would
16 use fast chargers. And now we know a house will
17 do 200 -- an average household in California is
18 doing 5 trips over 200 miles a year and they're
19 doing it with the largest vehicle in the
20 household, not with the most efficient vehicle in
21 the household. So altogether, we way
22 overestimated demand for chargers in 2014.

23 MR. WOOD: Eric Wood, NREL.

24 Do we know, Gil, who's going to buy these
25 5 million EVs or did we know in 2014 who was

1 going to buy them if they were going to have
2 chargers?

3 MR. TAL: That's another great question.
4 Yeah, we were wrong about that, too. We thought
5 that electric cars are like smart phones,
6 everyone will buy one and we will get to the 5
7 million. Now we know that half of the new cars
8 in California are purchased by 15 percent of the
9 households and they will buy two or three or four
10 plugins between now and 2030. And they will sell
11 to the secondary markets. So this entire story
12 of who will own them, we have no good model for
13 that, nothing. We can say who will buy them
14 again and again and again but how they will
15 trickle, I don't have a good model for that.

16 MR. FARHAT: Noel, after you -- do you
17 still want to go through the disadvantaged
18 communities? I have like a very, very broad
19 point that I want to do which goes into multiple
20 buckets here, but I don't want to circumvent the
21 discussion on the disadvantaged communities.

22 MR. CRISOSTOMO: I do want to get to
23 yours, Karim. I think that was sufficiently
24 controversial, such that I want some answers on
25 it.

1 Since we are -- so in the context, I
2 don't know if you saw this, but in our flow of
3 data collection we do have the IEPR that will
4 capture a lot of this information for AB 2127.
5 We're also tasked with our Benefits Assessment
6 for the Alt Fuels Program. And as part of that,
7 SB 1000 requires the Commission to look at
8 disproportionate installation of infrastructure
9 in certain communities or lack of infrastructure
10 and to make recommendations to correct such a
11 disproportionate deployment.

12 And so if we're simply looking at numbers
13 of chargers per PUMA, public use micro access
14 data geography, is that a bad thing to do? Is
15 that useless?

16 MR. FARHAT: How many electric cars you
17 will have in each PUMA or how many cars in
18 general will you have in each one of them? How
19 many new cars will you have in each one of them?
20 If you will install 1,000 chargers for 500 cars
21 model 1996, that's useless. So by using PUMA as
22 our level of analysis, we are skewing the match
23 of electric cars per charger.

24 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So you're saying where
25 are new cars adopted?

1 MR. TAL: Electric cars. Plugin cars.

2 MR. CRISOSTOMO: New electric cars. And
3 secondary or just --

4 MR. TAL: By 2025, let's say we will have
5 5 million cars. At least 2 million of them will
6 be already with a second owner, maybe more.

7 MS. GARCIA: But adding onto what Gil was
8 saying, you know, there are already currently
9 plugin hybrids that are being sold on the
10 secondary market. And if there are chargers in
11 the disadvantaged communities, then we can ensure
12 that the owners of those plugin hybrids will be
13 charging them, rather than just filling up with
14 gas. So I do think it's valuable to have the
15 disadvantaged community outlying, even though we
16 know that later on down the line when the
17 conversations are on SB 1000, it will also be
18 addressed.

19 MR. PALMERE: And the other -- another
20 point, Mark Palmere again, this is speculative,
21 not really based on our survey but just
22 intuitively, if there are, you know, chargers in
23 newer places, then people will be more likely to
24 buy a PEV. Like it's just like if there's no --
25 they're not going -- it's like a chicken and the

1 egg situation where they're not going to buy --
2 where they'd be less likely to buy a PEV when
3 there are no chargers and they're less likely to
4 install a charger when there are no PEVs. So
5 it's like you have to get it going.

6 But, yeah, in regards to our model, we
7 looked at it at a statewide level. So, yeah, I
8 mean, that's something that our model is, you
9 know, working on because right now we look at,
10 you know, average time to station, average time
11 to charger. And in San Francisco there's -- you
12 know, it's going to be like a minute or two. But
13 in a more disadvantaged of more rural area, it's
14 going to be a lot more.

15 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So I quickly tried to
16 capture the discussion where we need to identify
17 where buyers would be. We need to understand the
18 secondary buyers or plugin hybrid electric
19 vehicle drivers or the low-income drivers'
20 preferences to maximize their electric miles, and
21 markets describing the need to near societal
22 norms that isn't possible unless infrastructure
23 is provided. So I think that's a good kind of
24 bow on the disadvantaged community one.

25 I think, Karim, I don't know if Alan was

1 before you or after you but --

2 MR. JENN: Yeah, although this is kind of
3 jumping back to a subpoint to where they are
4 located now or needed.

5 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Um-hmm.

6 MR. JENN: So I think there's a sort of
7 fair bit of data and modeling on a lot of the
8 public infrastructure but not so much on
9 understanding how home charging is used. And so,
10 you know, for example, in LCFS the utilities, the
11 way you guys calculate based off of separately
12 metered vehicles and then extrapolate that to the
13 rest of the vehicles, right, that represents, you
14 know, less than one percent of those vehicles. I
15 don't know if any of the utilities can speak to
16 the things that you guys are doing maybe to
17 better understand the home charging patterns?

18 But, yeah, I think that, you know, in a
19 lot of the academic modeling and studies, we need
20 to do a better job of validating how that sort
21 of, you know, 50 to 80 percent of people who are
22 doing this are actually behaving.

23 MR. FARHAT: So on the last point about
24 like, you know, how the EVs are actually
25 behaving, maybe the one data point that I can

1 provide there is that you can track some of that,
2 not necessarily only through a meter, but you can
3 also track it through the EV itself through
4 something like telematics. And we are getting
5 data on how the EVs are behaving from the BMW
6 pilot by the virtue that these cars are
7 controlled by telematics so we kind of know when
8 they are charging, when they are discharging.
9 The meter is not the only way to track the
10 behavior of the -- the charging behavior of the
11 EV.

12 And you know, I think this is like kind
13 of a field that is still evolving and we're still
14 learning from the different pilots that we have.
15 This the whole point, that we have a pilot.

16 MR. DAYHIM: I just one more point.
17 Muhammed Dayhim from SCE.

18 So there is a joint IOU load -- electric
19 vehicle load research report. It's about a few
20 years, we published that. It's public. And this
21 report will be published the end of the month,
22 the updated one. So we studied and we looked at
23 our EV load shapes which are the residential
24 based on those EV rates we have from all of the
25 IOUs and we publish that every year.

1 MR. TAL: Can you say something about the
2 data source for it?

3 MR. DAYHIM: It's our own AMI data for
4 each AMI data. So we publish that every year.

5 MR. TAL: Yeah. But how do you know, if
6 I drive my Toyota Prius plugin or --

7 MR. DAYHIM: No, no. At home.

8 MR. TAL: -- how much I charging it?

9 MR. DAYHIM: It looks --

10 MR. TAL: At home.

11 MR. DAYHIM: -- at home. So those are
12 the -- there's a rate called EV-1 rate for us, so
13 we know if they have an EV. It's a separate
14 meter, so, yes.

15 MR. DAYHIM: But we have that data, so --

16 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So let's do Karim real
17 quick.

18 And then I also want to get your thoughts
19 on how we can collect information on make-readies
20 because that's really hard.

21 And if people had ideas about hardware
22 and software for future vehicles, I think
23 those -- that's a conversation that's pretty
24 ripe. For example, all the new wireless charged
25 vehicles that are coming online and automated

1 vehicles are expected in this timeframe. We
2 should pay some time to it.

3 But, Karim, go ahead.

4 MR. FARHAT: Okay. So I have two. They
5 were now, they're two broad points. And they
6 might be a little bit too academic but bear with
7 me here.

8 It might be only me but I think, I
9 personally think there might be a lot of value to
10 identify, first, like if we have some form of a
11 very simple flowchart that says this is the data
12 that we want to actually model and then from
13 there work backwards into like, you know, because
14 I am trying to get this number, this is what I
15 need to calculate to be able to get this number,
16 and then along the way, just like understand what
17 assumptions we're making. Because now we have a
18 list of factors but I don't exactly know how
19 those factors are -- each one of those factors
20 are being modeled and how they're resulting in an
21 output.

22 So if you can also have some form of a
23 flowchart or like, you know, a simple flowchart
24 that says this is how the different data are
25 going to be feeding into a model and this is the

1 ultimate output, that would be helpful.

2 The second one is, also, I feel like some
3 parts of the conversation that we've been having
4 today were around like this is what should
5 happen, right, and it's driven by regulation,
6 like this is what we actually want to happen.
7 And other parts of the conversation are around
8 this is what we think is going to happen but
9 we're not really sure.

10 So again from a modeling perspective, it
11 might be helpful to identify what part of this
12 analysis we want to be prescriptive where we say
13 this is what we want to achieve, this is what
14 should happen, and what part of that analysis we
15 want to be descriptive where we say we're
16 basically, you know, just making a speculation
17 here but we're not exactly sure what is going to
18 happen? Because a lot of that will then bake
19 into understanding whether some policies are
20 going to be input into the analysis or are we are
21 going to take the analysis and then inform policy
22 as an output? So descriptive versus perspective
23 and like, you know, are policies and regulations
24 input into this analysis or are we using this
25 analysis to inform policymaking?

1 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Just to respond to that,
2 I'm putting them at the top since those are a
3 little bit of meta treatment of the data. I
4 agree that they are legitimate needs, we just
5 haven't figured out what information we have to
6 put into a modeling framework but we will be
7 working on that.

8 And agreed, yes, we'll be taking
9 scenarios from ARB in terms of trying to meet our
10 40 percent greenhouse gas emission goals
11 example -- for example, but we'll also be
12 describing the future based on things that are
13 kind of market based and coming down the pipeline
14 in terms of product, so it will be both.

15 MR. FARHAT: And just to make sure, this
16 is not like really meant as a criticism at all.
17 I think that a port for 2017 to 2025, like the
18 previous study kind of alluded at that, where we
19 said, look, this is what we are assuming. We're
20 assuming a future where we have 5 million EVs
21 and, accordingly, this is how we're making that
22 analysis.

23 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Um-hmm.

24 MR. FARHAT: I think it would be helpful
25 to just make that more explicit --

1 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Sure.

2 MR. FARHAT: -- and like make it just up
3 front that these are the assumptions that we're
4 saying should happen and, accordingly, we're
5 going to predict everything else.

6 MR. TAL: I would like to follow up on
7 Karim because I absolutely agree that we need to
8 start with the basic question of when we would
9 like people to charge? If we want them, for
10 example, to take more of the duck curve in 2030,
11 we would like to invest more in workplace charger
12 or charging while at work. If in some areas of
13 California, we would like them to do more
14 overnight, we need to help installing home
15 chargers.

16 So we need to start with them and then go
17 to where. And I think is the where is where we
18 need to put most of our effort, more than how
19 many. Because, for example, with the DC Fast, we
20 have these LCFS credits that are by capacity or
21 by usage and it's very important to inform, you
22 know, the right location, not just where the
23 capacity is.

24 So start with when, go to where, and only
25 then go to how many, in kind of prioritizing this

1 question.

2 MR. FUNG: This is Matt Fung with the
3 Energy Commission.

4 I guess kind of just playing off of what
5 Gil was saying, not only that, I think the next
6 question after that is how to do it, as well? So
7 that might be jumping the gun into the hardware
8 and software portion as to how do we or what
9 hardware or software requirements do we need for
10 the charging infrastructure in order to make all
11 that happen so they can smart charge or have
12 bidirectional charging, as well?

13 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So thank you, Matt, for
14 that transition.

15 In a few minutes let's go through some
16 examples of smart charging and vehicle-to-grid,
17 because that's a hardware and software thing. So
18 let's kind of take a higher level step first.

19 So maybe we could ask: What are the smart
20 charger functions that automakers and EVSPs are
21 planning for? I think that's actually one of the
22 listed things in the hardware and software
23 section. It might even be less specific than
24 that. Yeah, hardware and software design
25 objectives.

1 So, Matt, do you want to take us through
2 an example? What would make an electric vehicle
3 charger smart?

4 MR. FUNG: So an electric vehicle being
5 smart is, probably an example would be having the
6 compatible communications with -- starting with
7 an electric vehicle that can accurately and
8 safely communicate the driver preferences between
9 the EV and the EVSE. And then further upstream,
10 the EVSE being able to accurately and safely
11 communicate the grid signals, grid pricing, as
12 well as the driver preferences upstream, as well.

13 So that's just kind of in a quick
14 nutshell what I kind of imagine a smart EVSE to
15 be.

16 (Pause)

17 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So communicate driver
18 preferences between the EV and EVSE and grid
19 preferences and pricing from the EVSE to the
20 aggregator or the grid.

21 So is a demand for these functions kind
22 of listed anywhere? Do we know where the market
23 is headed in terms of which vehicles would have
24 this or which utilities need this, et cetera?

25 MR. FUNG: Oh, I think at least in terms

1 of the vehicle OEMs, the VGI Working Group final
2 report has a list of auto OEMs that are -- that
3 list out which communication protocols they're
4 going to be using. I believe a couple of auto
5 OEMs have product roadmaps that they've
6 described. It's all kind of out there but not in
7 one centralized place.

8 And if anyone else has any other
9 references, I'm more than willing to listen.

10 MR. JENN: Is this through OVGIP?

11 MR. FUNG: OVGIP is one of the
12 communication methods. There's OCPP. There's
13 Open ADR. There's SEP 2. There's ISO 15118.
14 There's a whole host of communication protocols.

15 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So let's -- sorry for
16 the interruption.

17 So auto OEMs' plans for products, EVSPs'
18 plans for products would be a good source of
19 information to gather. And then the parameters
20 that you're discussing are the different points
21 of communication; right? So what were those
22 again?

23 MR. FUNG: So the different points of
24 communication would be from vehicle to EVSE, EVSE
25 to aggregator or a third-party, third-party or

1 aggregator to utility, and then EVSE to utility.

2 MR. TAL: And I've noticed that on your
3 presentation you're missing -- I think that if we
4 go 2030, EVSEs are going to be old -- smart EVSEs
5 are going to be old technology.

6 MS. GARCIA: Old technology?

7 MR. TAL: Old technology, yes. We can
8 move all the smart part into the vehicle, same as
9 BMW is already doing, and save this double
10 storage that we need smart EVSE with cellular
11 connection and computers and everything and then
12 a car that is as smart as this with cellular
13 connection.

14 So all of the EVSE capabilities can be
15 part of the vehicle and save a lot of money, not
16 that ChargePoint would like to me to say it but
17 it's the reality.

18 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So that's an
19 uncertainty; right? So will EVSE capabilities
20 be -- okay, so that's the question: Will EVSE
21 capabilities be clinically implemented in EVs by
22 OEMs.

23 MR. FARHAT: So this might be going back
24 to my flowchart suggestion, but like, you know,
25 not to beat that horse, but like totally agree

1 and appreciate how hardware design objectives and
2 software design requirements are important for EV
3 adoption but I'm just not sure what role they
4 play and how we are going to model them in IEPR.
5 So while I understand that they're relevant --

6 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Um-hmm.

7 MR. FARHAT: -- in the broader like, you
8 know, EV deployment and EV infrastructure
9 deployment, I'm just not sure if this is
10 something that we want to put in a modeling study
11 and how would that be captured?

12 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Oh, yeah. So to
13 clarify, the transportation demand models, like
14 EVI-Pro and BEAM, definitely have some -- Eric,
15 correct me if I'm wrong -- basic assumptions
16 around compatibility and like charger power
17 requirements that are just imputed.

18 But I recall seeing things in earlier
19 versions or reports about BEAM where Colin was
20 actually able to model the sharing of a charger,
21 assuming that it could be -- like it's plugs
22 could be swapped, right, over time. And so EVSE
23 management technologies and hardware requirements
24 are relevant for that modeling because it affects
25 the sharing potential and load capabilities.

1 MR. FARHAT: So it would basically be
2 more along the ways of saying like, you know,
3 we're going to make an assumption that this
4 capability exists and then after, remodel that
5 capability and look at its implication as we step
6 back and we say, well, for this capability to
7 actually exist, this is the hardware and
8 software --

9 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah.

10 MR. FARHAT: -- implementation of it.

11 MR. CRISOSTOMO: And then similar to or
12 as a parallel track to EVI-Pro, we're doing some
13 independent analysis of, for example, thought
14 experience -- thought experiments for automated
15 vehicles. What if we had workplace chargers that
16 were wireless and had, by 2021, automated
17 vehicles re-parking themselves because they're
18 Level 4 and could operate in parking lots pretty
19 seamlessly? That could increase utilization by
20 many factors; right?

21 And so there's a bit of an unimplemented
22 set of functions --

23 MR. FARHAT: Yeah.

24 MR. CRISOSTOMO: -- that can be
25 prescribed into a model.

1 Eric, do you want to add something?

2 MR. WOOD: No. I think that that
3 captures it well. And I think the sharing
4 potential is a pretty key one that maybe wasn't
5 very well resolved in the first version of EVI-
6 Pro. So this idea that you could get multiple
7 charge events on a workplace charger is something
8 that we didn't get into very deeply in the first
9 round. And I think Noel makes a good point about
10 automation potentially enabling that.

11 MR. FARHAT: So on that note then --

12 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Sorry. Could you say
13 that last part again?

14 MR. WOOD: I was just saying, I think you
15 made a good point about automation, driving
16 automation potentially enabling better
17 infrastructure sharing.

18 MR. FARHAT: So on that note then, Noel,
19 I just want to basically mention that it might be
20 helpful to refer back to the same VGI Working
21 Group final report by the PUC because they did
22 have some conclusive statements about hardware
23 requirements in future proofing. Even though the
24 software piece of it and mandating-specific
25 software was inclusive, I think they had solid

1 recommendations or like, you know, final
2 recommendations on the hardware requirements. So
3 it will be interesting to take that into account.

4 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah. I will note,
5 however, that the scope of that report had been
6 kind of whittled down to just conductive, just
7 publicly-shared EVSE, I believe, for light-duty
8 vehicles. And so our task, as we've described,
9 goes beyond that narrow segment of vehicle
10 equipment, vehicles and equipment, so we'll have
11 to take that as one part of a broader analysis.

12 So we have maybe five minutes. Let's
13 talk about some make-readies. I'm going to put
14 the utilities on the spot.

15 Muhammad, do you want to talk about
16 Charge Ready or, Tony, do you want to talk about
17 Power Your Drive, what you guys have found, how
18 to do analysis at the, at least, county or
19 utility level and how we might scale that to the
20 state?

21 MR. RAFATI: For Power Your Drive, I
22 think it's such a unique program that may not be
23 the best model to apply to a public charging
24 model because -- go ahead.

25 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Why do you think it's

1 only public charging?

2 MR. RAFATI: Well, I guess the PYD was
3 one of the first programs out of the gate. And
4 you know, we have a specific rate that has to be
5 supplied. SDG&E owns end to end and we maintain
6 the equipment, which is a big plus for the
7 customers. And I'm not really like too heavily
8 involved with the PYD implementation but I know
9 that the utility offering an end-to-end solution
10 is a very attractive model for businesses to have
11 charging at the --at work. I think when the
12 utility walks in and says, hey, we're going to
13 come in, we're going to implement everything and
14 you guys just use it after we're done, it makes
15 sense for them.

16 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay. I think there was
17 actually a line item about -- excuse me, sorry,
18 I'm going to borrow that -- customer preferences
19 for make-ready equipment design, so I'll take
20 that down.

21 But I should also note that we're looking
22 at all types of infrastructure, not just public
23 in AB 2127, if that wasn't clear for everyone.
24 We're looking at behind-the-fence customer-sited
25 infrastructure, also in addition to private

1 plaza-type or workplace-type chargers, so
2 everything is fair game.

3 But you're saying -- so where can we find
4 more information about this? Semi-annual
5 reports?

6 MR. RAFATI: Yes. We have a report
7 coming out at the end of this month.

8 MR. CRISOSTOMO: I know cost per port has
9 been a really key metric that's been contended a
10 little bit.

11 MR. RAFATI: Yeah. The report comes out
12 at the end of this month.

13 MR. RAFATI: Yeah. There's -- the Energy
14 Division had some requirements of that.

15 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Any key takeaways around
16 size or location or type of installation that are
17 key takeaways at this point?

18 MR. RAFATI: No. I think I'll leave it
19 to the report.

20 But I think one of the things that we've
21 talked about is the utility ownership in areas
22 like multi-unit dwellings make sense because
23 that's a big barrier to entry. And it goes back
24 to this how modeling of people charging their
25 vehicles at home but if you live in an apartment

1 that you don't have access to charging, then
2 where do you park -- where do you charge then?
3 Which creates a whole range anxiety because if
4 you don't have it at your workplace, at least in
5 our service territory, the public charging is
6 nonexistent. So if you don't have it at home or
7 work, then you're not going to have one.

8 (Off mike colloquy.)

9 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah. Can you say that
10 again please?

11 MR. TAL: Yeah. I think that we can get
12 5 million cars without selling a BEV to someone
13 who has no overnight charging or workplace
14 charging. We should consider how many of these
15 extreme cases we actually would like to serve.
16 Is it a good use of our DC Fast charging?

17 MR. RAFATI: Well, I guess it goes back
18 to the bigger question of are we trying to get to
19 the policy goals of Senate Bill 32? Because 5
20 million would be probably not enough to reach the
21 Senate Bill 32. I think SCE had some paper out
22 that they wanted, what, 7 million in your service
23 territory alone.

24 MR. CRISOSTOMO: No. It's statewide.

25 MR. RAFATI: Oh 7 million. So it's 2

1 million over the 5 million goal, so --

2 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Wait. Gil, you said
3 something useful that I didn't capture correctly.
4 You're asking how many vehicles do we want to
5 serve without home --

6 MR. TAL: How many --

7 MR. CRISOSTOMO: -- and dedicated
8 charging?

9 MR. TAL: How many BEVs that have no
10 home -- overnight, I'm not saying home, overnight
11 or workplace chargers? We would like to serve
12 BEVs like that, we would like to serve. Is it a
13 good policy goal to sell BEVs that will be solely
14 served by DC Fast Chargers? They will only be
15 able to charge to 80 percent or they will hang on
16 the charger for hours. They will -- it just
17 sounds to me like a very, very expensive
18 solution. And maybe we don't want to electrify
19 so many of those.

20 MR. PALMERE: Yeah. If I could really
21 quickly, I know we're running out of time, Mark
22 Palmere again, going off his point, one of the
23 data sources we do use is the American Community
24 Survey. And it has a lot of, you know, detailed
25 demographic information. So we and -- I mean,

1 it's public data so any of you guys can look at
2 it, too, look at, you know, what percentage, what
3 is like the housing distribution statewide? And
4 it's -- you know, when you look at all the people
5 that do live in multi-unit dwellings, it's still
6 we have over half live in single-unit dwellings.

7 So, I mean, not that public charging is
8 unimportant but, I mean, there's still a big
9 untapped market of people who could install home
10 charging, kind of what I believe Gil was getting
11 at.

12 MR. TAL: Half of the people and 80
13 percent of the cars.

14 MS. GARCIA: I do think there's a good
15 reason to install multi-unit dwelling because, as
16 Gil was saying earlier, most people do not charge
17 every night, they charge every three days. And
18 so if there is a good selection of -- if there
19 are a few chargers in multi-unit dwellings, then
20 that can be rotated among the group of people
21 that live around the multi-unit dwellings.

22 MS. JAW: This is Kathy from ARB.

23 I guess it's more of over policy
24 questions that our ultimate goal was past 2030
25 and meeting the 2030 goals and potentially 2050

1 and how we get there. And so it's maybe short
2 term, cost effectiveness, but long term, where we
3 need to go, that's everything, like need to take
4 into consideration, not necessarily just the
5 2030.

6 (Pause)

7 MR. TAL: So I would like -- I just think
8 it's a very, very good comment.

9 And kind of just as, you know, a thought
10 exercise, electrifying the first 5 or 10 million
11 cars in California is a very, very different task
12 than electrifying the last 10 million. So we
13 have, let's say, about 25 million and our
14 discussion today is the first 5, and we want to
15 carry, let's say, to the first 10, it's a very
16 different task than trying to electrify the last
17 10 million cars in California. The guy with the
18 no park -- no charging and no parking, the pickup
19 truck in Humboldt County in the middle of the
20 night, when we go for the last 10 million, we
21 need probably a different discussion on the
22 infrastructure so we kind of remember that.

23 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah. That's a total
24 valid point. Kathy's point is absolutely right,
25 too. That's where the curve ball that I tried to

1 throw with the DER-based EVSE is one that could
2 kind of disassociate the idea that every
3 installation needs a make ready and needs to
4 impose a lot of costs because it's fixed
5 infrastructure, because it's a demand charging
6 subject to principal agency problems, et cetera.
7 So that's one of the reasons why component cost
8 trends and alternatives are listed in this list
9 of parameters.

10 But, yeah, we want to be sensitive to,
11 yes, the transformation that's required and the
12 fact that policies or the proposition that
13 policies might change according to who we're
14 trying to electrify. It's absolutely going to be
15 a difficult problem for the whole 25th through
16 30th million EVs, 30-millionth EV in California.
17 It's a different problem.

18 Any other thoughts about make-readies or
19 other topics? This is a good kind of popcorn
20 discussion. Any key sectors of the light-duty
21 infrastructure segment that people want to focus
22 on for this first year? What are good ripe
23 pieces of information that we can use early on?

24 Eric?

25 MR. WOOD: I think we haven't talked a

1 lot about TNCs yet in this section and that was
2 pretty prominent this morning. I'm not sure how
3 to start that conversation but it seems worth
4 pointing out.

5 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So let's go with the
6 softball. Are Level 2 chargers useless for TNCs?

7 MR. WOOD: Is that a question I'm
8 supposed to answer or we're going to answer
9 later?

10 MR. CRISOSTOMO: It's for anyone.
11 Because what we've been hearing --

12 MR. WOOD: I would say, no, if it's at a
13 spot where they can overnight charge. Yeah.
14 Like getting them residential charging might be
15 more important than having a strong fast charger
16 network. But it goes back to the business model
17 of some of the people that are driving electric
18 TNCs, right, the Maven EVgo model really
19 incentivizes a lot of fast charge usage right now
20 but we don't know what businesses might exist ten
21 years from now.

22 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Just because I'm out of
23 space, I'm going to put L2 versus DC Fast Charger
24 discussion in hardware and software, so --

25 MR. WOOD: And there's probably a

1 parallel discussion to the personal EV adoption
2 question on what rideshare demand is going to
3 look like and how much mode share that will have
4 five, ten years from now, as well. And that
5 seems like it might be out of scope, actually,
6 for this kind of effort to address. We might
7 need to rely on other studies or other working
8 groups to try to address that mode-share
9 question.

10 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So you said, what's the
11 profit motive for the network that they're
12 offering, services too? And what is the personal
13 ability or reason for their preference to adopt
14 an EV in the first place. And you said something
15 else after that.

16 MR. WOOD: Just the overall mode-share
17 demand for ride-hailing is a big uncertainty in
18 this kind of analysis, so what -- not only what
19 types of charging or ride-hailing a driver might
20 prefer but how many ride-hailing drivers are
21 going to be in the state five or ten years from
22 now and how much trip demand is there going to
23 be?

24 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So how are we going to
25 get that data?

1 MR. WOOD: I don't know.

2 MR. CRISOSTOMO: ITS? You guys are
3 getting a good contract from CARB; right?

4 MR. JENN: No contract with --

5 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Three Rev?

6 MR. JENN: No contract with ARB but we do
7 have some data about TNC usage but it's you know,
8 probably a potential. But we can probably talk
9 about how to make that work.

10 So, yeah, sorry.

11 And the other thing going back to this
12 question about Level 2s versus DC Fast, and this
13 sort of points to the necessity to have both the
14 empirical charging data and also sort of talking
15 to the actual drivers as to the difference
16 between what they actually need and how they're
17 using it and the perception of what they need and
18 what they think they need can play a different
19 role in whether or not there is acceptance of
20 those vehicles and TNC services.

21 MR. TAL: I'd like to add one point on
22 TNC and Level 2. I absolutely agree, overnight,
23 Level 2 TNC can save a lot of DC Fast charging
24 events. And that's a call back to the need to
25 include home charging as part of the analysis.

1 You can install more chargers at home and then
2 you need less DC Fast Chargers. But if you don't
3 include home in the policy and the analysis,
4 you're just going to install more DC Fast
5 Chargers and you don't have the ability to
6 balance it.

7 So Level 2 TNC at home is a valid policy.

8 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Um-hmm.

9 MR. RAFATI: I think we should look at,
10 also, as part of this analysis, at how many TNC
11 drivers have access to home charging or have
12 their own home where they could install equipment
13 live in a multi-unit dwelling that has equipment
14 for Level 2.

15 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay. In the interest
16 of time, unless there's any other burning topics
17 to discuss, we're going to reconvene with the
18 other group and then do some summary report outs.

19 Do I have any volunteers for doing a
20 report out?

21 Karim, I saw a hand.

22 MR. FARHAT: Not volunteering. Question:
23 Is there going to be an effort to document or
24 like, you know, is there going to be any form of
25 document of the data sources that eventually the

1 CEC collects for this effort so that, you know,
2 all other parties can leverage, as well, in their
3 own analysis? That would be extremely helpful.
4 So not only the analysis itself but the data
5 sources that you guys have used for that?

6 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Yeah. So to the extent
7 that they're nonconfidential and can be shared,
8 yeah, our goal is to be as transparent as
9 possible. We're a public agency.

10 So, okay, let's pause here and then we'll
11 reconvene. If you need to go to the restroom, go
12 now and then we'll come back.

13 (Off the record at 3:28 p.m.)

14 (On the record at 3:39 p.m.)

15 MR. CRISOSTOMO: If you could take your
16 seat, we'll start to close the day with summaries
17 from the breakouts, and then any additional
18 questions that you guys have.

19 MR. OLSON: Okay. We're going to -- the
20 mikes are not on.

21 (Off mike colloquy.)

22 (Pause)

23 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay, everyone, if we
24 can get back to a seat so that we can do some
25 summaries and then quickly close the rest of the

1 day with any open questions, we can hopefully get
2 you guys out of this meeting a little bit early.

3 So for each breakout group, maybe we can
4 start with the medium- and heavy-duty section,
5 I'd like to help catch up the folks who were
6 participating remotely with the learnings that
7 were discussed coming from the poster session
8 with perhaps a highlight of the follow-ups to
9 collect additional information and any new
10 analytical needs that were identified.

11 Tim, would you like to take the mike?

12 MR. OLSON: Yeah. So the way we -- oh,
13 here we go. Can you hear me there?

14 So the way we started the medium-
15 duty/heavy-duty was just providing a little bit
16 of overview of where we are in the development
17 and the market penetration of those vehicles.
18 And part of that is we're definitely not as
19 advanced compares to light-duty, as everybody
20 knows. And the deployment is heavily
21 incentivized right now with -- primarily by ARB
22 and the vehicle incentives.

23 We think there are about maybe 1,700 to
24 1,800 all-electric trucks and buses in the
25 marketplace. And for the most part those are

1 in -- the data that we've been gathering and the
2 market penetration is primarily medium-duty Class
3 4 through 6 vehicles and a smattering of some of
4 the Class 7 and 8 all-electric.

5 And so that's the initial learning
6 experience we're basing our work on here. And,
7 of course, we're expecting that to expand over
8 time.

9 And so we asked, you know, when you kind
10 of look at this from the standpoint of what's
11 triggering, what do we really need to know in
12 terms of data now and then over time? And one of
13 those factors is do we -- what do we need to know
14 about the growth rate, the number of vehicles and
15 where they're located, physical location?

16 We know that transit is a big market
17 penetration, and all-electric school buses. We
18 know that there's some school buses that a few of
19 the ports are kind of pushing the envelope on
20 this with a lot of different kind of new
21 products, but all-electric yard tractors, cranes,
22 some other, some drayage trucks. But there's a
23 significant -- out of those 1,700 vehicles,
24 there's one significant player and that's FedEx,
25 close to 1,000 vehicles coming on the market,

1 just with FedEx package delivery in California,
2 managed by FedEx. And then there's -- part of
3 that is a lease program under Ryder Trucks.

4 The build time on those trucks and those
5 buses, from what we're hearing, is that -- and
6 the average for diesel, by the way, is around 150
7 days to 240 days. We're hearing with all-
8 electric, it's more like 400, 500, 600 days. So
9 this point made earlier, you've got to have the
10 infrastructure in place a year to a year-and-a-
11 half, two years in advance of the vehicles, we
12 still have some time but we really have to start
13 tomorrow.

14 We also kind of posed these questions
15 that were what do we know about the location?
16 Well, it depends on those, for the most part,
17 fleets. And we don't have a lot of information
18 about drive cycle. We're making -- we're getting
19 some information. We're making some guesses to a
20 certain extent, meaning is there a specific
21 route? Is there a -- is it a regional haul?
22 With Class 4 through 6, it tends to be regional
23 haul and/or specific route.

24 We also -- kind of the foundation of this
25 was what do we know about the capacity for

1 charging for individual and collective number of
2 vehicles at these sites? And what's the
3 anticipated expansion and growth? So I'll kind
4 of walk through some of the data sources we
5 talked about and how we can get additional data.

6 But we wanted to know from that, who
7 would be the suppliers? We went into this kind
8 of corporate, who are the EVSE companies for the
9 medium- and heavy-duty? And are there new
10 players? And we think there are going to be
11 some, even though this is, really, still a
12 startup market.

13 And we also wanted to know from that,
14 from the profile of the use charging of
15 electricity, what the potential timing of that is
16 on a daily basis and what that impact might be on
17 the grid and what impact that might be in terms
18 of storage, electricity storage, or revenue
19 streams that might come from ancillary grid
20 services or week-ahead/day-ahead imbalance
21 markets on renewables? So these are obviously
22 going to be bigger chargers and we were looking
23 for data sources for that.

24 We asked a question about can we get a
25 better knowledge and understanding of how this

1 might affect disadvantaged communities and income
2 from where the vehicles are operating and
3 charging? And also, will lower-income people
4 benefit from the actual vehicle somehow? I
5 suspect transit is one of those areas, meaning
6 lower emissions in that local area, or there
7 could be other benefits.

8 We also asked this question of we
9 identified a number of sources, how do we
10 optimize getting that information and what's
11 really important?

12 And we -- there are a number of other
13 kind of questions but I want to kind of walk
14 through some of the kind of data requirements.
15 We have them here listed as data requirements.
16 And for the most part these things are -- this
17 market penetration is driven by government
18 interventions, but those government interventions
19 are a source of data too. So some of these are
20 requirements of these fleets or these vehicle
21 owners and they're in the form of the ARB's truck
22 and bus rules. I don't know what's the actual
23 title of it but it's the pending upcoming
24 regulations that will compel a certain number of
25 vehicles that have to be all-electric.

1 Do you want to make a comment for --

2 MR. ARNEJA: Just listing some of those
3 off, approved last December was the Innovative
4 Clean Transit Regulation. Currently, waiting for
5 the second Board hearing would be the Zero-
6 Emission Airport Shuttle Bus Regulation. Later
7 this year is going to be the Advanced Clean Truck
8 rulemaking. And further down the timeline are
9 drayage regulations and other potential fleet
10 regulations.

11 MR. OLSON: And so there's data
12 requirements on all that and there's a potential
13 to share that from our AB 2127 planning
14 standpoint.

15 We also deploy money here, and so do --
16 so does the ARB, so do air districts. And we are
17 starting to attach data gathering requirements to
18 those -- getting those incentives, and that's
19 another kind of cross-reference.

20 We think that there's some other
21 information that we know people are gathering.
22 The ports and their clean air initiatives require
23 data and there's going to be some cross-
24 referencing there from the things like the Port
25 of Long Beach Blueprint.

1 And we also think that there's a way to
2 complement that with some tax data or -- that
3 might be equivalent to what the Board of
4 Equalization collects on fuel taxes. And that's
5 one way we've tracked kind of petroleum and fuel
6 but we need to look into that.

7 And we also know that the utilities,
8 particularly the investor-owned utilities, have
9 data sources that could be very valuable to all
10 of us. So there's -- and that could be in the
11 form of the integrated resource plans that each
12 utility has to produce as part of the SB 350
13 requirements. And IOUs have to do this. The
14 publicly-owned utilities, which is about a
15 quarter of all the electricity sales in the
16 state, can. Well, they need some guidance on how
17 to do that. That guidance would be from the
18 Energy Commission.

19 Yeah, go ahead, Wendell.

20 MR. KRELL: And we also talked about
21 going outside of California and getting federal
22 assistance on some free data out there, the
23 National Transit Database, and other potential
24 sources on the federal level, but also going to
25 outside of the government and going to private

1 entities that are for-profit. And of course,
2 that make take more time and money if the data is
3 worth it but there's entities out there like
4 Trucker Path that tells every trucker where the
5 next rest stop is and whether they've got showers
6 or plugin capabilities, things like.

7 So we've identified several different
8 data sources, some of which are good now, some of
9 which may take a year, some of which may take
10 money.

11 MR. OLSON: And then there, let's see if
12 there's some other -- I'm looking at -- we used
13 kind of one of these as an expansion of --
14 potentially, LCFS credit data could be another
15 channel as credits generated or capacity credits
16 generated. And there's some other programs, the
17 SB 454, the AB 617, the Volkswagen mitigation
18 money that are being deployed down to local
19 levels, emphasis on medium- and heavy-duty, at
20 least for the Volkswagen money for local. And so
21 there's a coordination task there that would
22 occur with all those different sources.

23 And what else do we have?

24 And then, of course, some of the air
25 districts, particularly South Coast, has some

1 requirements on data collection through either
2 fleet rules or indirect review rules, those kind
3 of things that you're going to see coming forward
4 here very shortly.

5 So we have lots of sources. And it may
6 be just a task, and I'm not saying it's an easy
7 task, but it's going to be a task of coordinating
8 and sharing some of that.

9 We think there are also lots of private
10 confidential data. And we talked about this idea
11 of kind of a similar program to what we have here
12 at the Commission called the Petroleum
13 Information Reporting Act.

14 In this case it would be focused on
15 electric, or it might even be broader to other
16 transportation alternative fuels. And that type
17 of system is set up like this. We gather private
18 confidential data in a very granular form and
19 then we analyze that but only report it in
20 aggregate to the public. And that could be a way
21 of getting more granular on, particularly, things
22 like cost and profits and that type of thing.

23 So those were kind of data-related things
24 that we talked about, and then whether they're
25 available or not? And not too many things that

1 are not available, it's because we haven't asked
2 yet or we haven't set up a program yet. The
3 difficulty in getting it, we're going to have to
4 go through some experimental stages on that.

5 Let's see what else.

6 In terms of we asked questions about --
7 we went into some detail on cost discussion. And
8 there was generally a feeling that, because we're
9 at startup, the costs that are out there now may
10 not reflect market maturity and that we're going
11 to have to do some gathering of information over
12 time to understand what triggers cost reductions
13 on infrastructure, the make-ready, different
14 components, Noel, that you outlined. And that,
15 yeah, we kind of walked through some of those
16 data sources that we had here.

17 And there's going to be probably a need
18 for some kind of tracking and analysis of that
19 periodically over time. And that cost could be
20 not only operating cost and capital cost but it
21 could be the cost to the consumer and the end
22 user.

23 We also -- let's see, what else do we
24 have on our list here?

25 We also talked about this where would the

1 charging occur? Because medium-duty, heavy-duty,
2 you've got transit, you've got trucks, these are
3 going to be primarily fleets, probably a lot of
4 what we call the behind-the-fence or depot
5 charging, not publicly accessible. And so
6 there's this kind of question of, for expansion
7 of that, utilities definitely have a roll in
8 that, understanding what the cost and expansions
9 might be, what that grid impact might be, and
10 that we think utilities are a big source of data
11 to help us with that.

12 We also want to explore whether there's
13 any potential for crossover charging from one
14 submarket to another. Not clear on the surface
15 here whether that's a possibility but that's
16 something that we think might be worth exploring.

17 And let's see, what else do we have here?

18 Some of those things might be, you know,
19 are truck stops suited for any of this type of
20 work, looking at an expansion? Some of it might
21 be this kind of question: Is there existing
22 capacity? What kind of upgrades have to occur?
23 Who actually covers that cost?

24 And Tony Brasil, at the front, in one of
25 the earlier presentations was saying that it

1 looks like LCFS credits alone could cover the
2 bulk of the cost of this. And I think that's an
3 assertion that's worth examining closely as we
4 get more data. If it is, that's a pretty
5 significant incentive and --

6 MR. CRISOSTOMO: All right. So do people
7 have any additions from the group or reactions
8 from the light-duty sector that you want to add?

9 MR. OLSON: One other thing would be we
10 may have -- it's probably a good idea to couple
11 all these data sources with onboard data
12 collection, and maybe for certain types of
13 submarkets or vehicle profile, vehicle drive
14 cycles.

15 So anything else?

16 Wendell, do you have anything else, or
17 any of the rest of the group, that you wanted to
18 add?

19 Overall, here's one of the things that I
20 posed to the group. Is it worth having kind of a
21 workgroup created around this, that we don't just
22 want to send out forms and say fill out the form
23 and don't ask questions? Is this worth a
24 workgroup to provide input into this process
25 continually and for us to provide feedback? And

1 there was kind of an agreement, yeah, you need
2 something like that, particularly with industry
3 people.

4 MR. CRISOSTOMO: So that's a good
5 transition. And I appreciate Paul, from ARB's
6 Advanced Clean Truck Regulation Team, here. It's
7 definitely an opportunity to pursue in the
8 workgroup that you guys lead and the need to
9 coordinate. So we look forward to engaging.

10

11 Bob, did you want to say something? Can you
12 get to a mike?

13 MR. MCBRIDE: The most exciting thing I
14 heard was the CALSTART and the HV program working
15 together to conjoin the vehicle and
16 infrastructure incentives. That sort of got
17 lost. That was one of the first comments so it
18 sort of got lost.

19 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay, so I guess I can
20 review some of the light-duty sector stuff.

21 So kind of meta need that was found was a
22 desire for all these parameters to be mapped in a
23 flowchart to understand how they lead into one
24 another and connect affect each other, and the
25 need to be clear about what we are prescribing in

1 the future versus describing in terms of what is
2 being observed in the market today. Because as
3 we do analysis, it's potentially blending those
4 two scenario-planning efforts with existing
5 circumstances in the market. So it's important
6 to be up front and transparent about how the
7 modeling is taking into account expectations
8 versus reality.

9 I agree with what, Tim, you were saying.
10 There's a lot of questions about where chargers
11 should go if they are needed and who could be
12 using them. And because those are such broad
13 questions, they apply to things like TNCS which
14 was a major focus on the morning, serving multi-
15 unit dwellings, serving workplaces or
16 disadvantaged communities. And so each of those
17 sectors are subject to kind of -- should be
18 subject to stress testing or preconceived notions
19 of solutions that are appropriate for those
20 areas.

21 There were some controversial statements
22 that were challenging our ideas of whether or not
23 a TNC could -- or only could use a DC Fast
24 Charger to support their fueling needs because
25 that's kind of the existing thought in the market

1 right now. There are also ideas thrown out kind
2 of debating what are the trickle down effects for
3 the secondary market and how can we use that
4 information about the used vehicles' purchasers,
5 where they live, and which utility territories
6 they live in to understand how infrastructure or
7 incentive market interventions can assist with
8 their adoption?

9 There was a good point around -- of a
10 need to look at cost and how planning for this
11 first set of 5 million vehicles might be
12 different than the last 5 million vehicles in the
13 state and the need to think about the tradeoffs
14 and the location of needed charging and the
15 costs, which raises equity questions.

16 And then related to hardware and software
17 and the other programs, there was a good
18 discussion about the need for the hardware and
19 software elements to play into when -- or to play
20 into how vehicles are able to use chargers
21 because functions built into the chargers or the
22 vehicles affect how usable the charger is, and
23 thus the benefits in terms of electric miles
24 served.

25 And that led into a discussion about the

1 ease of use for customer in terms of smart
2 charging and where communications are going to
3 support things like renewables integration of
4 time-of-use responsiveness.

5 Yeah, and then there was a lot of
6 questions about where we'd get the information.
7 We might need to do some surveys or create new
8 analysis ourselves, but there were some good
9 pointers to new datasets that we can account for.

10 Would anyone else from the group add to
11 that? Okay.

12 At this point, we're done with the kind
13 of formal parts of the day before our closure
14 with more information about how to provide
15 comments, so we'll open up the mike for any
16 public comments right now.

17 Hannah?

18 MS. GOLDSMITH: Thank you. Hi. Hannah
19 Goldsmith with the California Electric
20 Transportation Coalition. I just first wanted to
21 thank the Energy Commission for putting this on
22 today and starting this process. I think it will
23 be really valuable.

24 And then I want to kind of echo the thing
25 that Tim said about having a continuing working

1 group on data collection. This is something that
2 CalETC and the utilities and automakers and
3 others have brought up in the VGI context. But
4 generally on infrastructure, it's just really
5 important to ensure we're all on the same page
6 and that we know what information is out there
7 and what information we don't have and work
8 together to move forward.

9 And then the last, yeah, the last thing I
10 wanted to say is just kind of on assumptions.
11 Many of the assumptions that we use today might
12 be based on the experience of early adopter EV
13 drivers. And I think we need to be conscious of the
14 fact that that isn't necessarily going to be the
15 way that EVs are used in the future. And things
16 that early adopters are willing to put up with
17 are not going to sustain a long-lasting and
18 accelerated market.

19 And so that ties into the availability of
20 public infrastructure for the light-duty side and
21 the need for that, and I'm just underscoring its
22 importance, as well as, of course, the ability to
23 charge at the workplace. But we do need to think
24 about future experience of EV drivers, both on
25 the light- and medium- and heavy-duty side and

1 what that looks like and how to ensure that we're
2 supporting the market.

3 So thank you.

4 MR. OLSON: And, Hannah, you were
5 suggesting that workgroup include both medium-
6 duty, heavy-duty and light-duty too?

7 MS. GOLDSMITH: Yeah, I think that would
8 be most valuable. I would leave it up to you, if
9 you want to like divide it up. But there is --
10 there are a number of topics that overlap between
11 the two that are lessons learned that could be
12 gained on the medium- and heavy-duty side from
13 the light-duty side. So it might make sense to
14 have it be one working group that meets and
15 discusses, you know, both topics in parallel or
16 one after the other or something.

17 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Thank you, Hannah.

18 Any other comments, generally, about the
19 day?

20 MS. GIYENKO: Elena Giyenko. I just have
21 a general suggestion. This is the first workshop
22 and I plan on participating more.

23 I think I'm kind of like who are we
24 missing here? Who is not -- who are not here?
25 And apparently, I noticed that there are no

1 trucking association representatives, there are
2 no people that this eventually will, you know,
3 know, like who will be impacted in the future.
4 So maybe like invite, like engage them more.

5 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Thank you for that
6 comment.

7 Do we have any OEMs in the room at this
8 point? I know we had GM earlier.

9 Yeah, Ian?

10 UNIDENTIFIED MALE 3: I just want to
11 follow up on that comment. I think it's not just
12 the OEMs and the fleets but it's -- we're talking
13 a lot about infrastructure, so it's the site
14 owners and operators.

15 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay. So --

16 MR. KRELL: Noel, just quickly, just for
17 the room, we know that there, at the highlight,
18 there were 75 people online watching this, so
19 there may be trucking agencies and somebody else
20 out there with interests that have got their ears
21 on this.

22 MR. CRISOSTOMO: Okay. So this is the
23 final slide. This is next steps for written
24 opportunities to file information for us.
25 Comments on the workshop, on any of the material,

1 or questions that were highlighted throughout the
2 say, whether it be the ones that were written in
3 the deck or posed during discussions of the
4 scoping matrix or thoughts that were offered
5 verbally can be submitted in those comments.
6 They should be submitted by the close of business
7 on March 29, which is a little bit more time than
8 we usually give for IEPR comments. Please use
9 the Commission's online electronic docketing
10 system. You can simply upload a .pdf into that
11 online interface.

12 Looking forward, there will be additional
13 workshops under our AB 2127 implementation work
14 related to the off-road, port and airport
15 electrification sectors. And other IEPR
16 workshops alluded to at the beginning of my
17 presentation will be scheduled for the second
18 quarter this year. And if you didn't already
19 know, AB 2127 materials are going to be served to
20 four LISTSERVs identified there, the IEPR
21 Transportation, AB 118, Alt Fuels Diversity, and
22 the Disadvantaged Community Advisory Group. So
23 please sign up for any one of those if you are
24 interested in AB 2127 implementation.

25 To the points that were just raised, if

1 you know that -- if you know of manufacturers or
2 fleet operators or enthusiastic site hosts, if
3 you know of them, those types of stakeholders who
4 would benefit from attending these workshops or
5 engaging in the Energy Commission's effort,
6 please do let us know. You can drop a card of
7 list their name on the clipboard that has been
8 going around. We would appreciate that because
9 these are mostly common stakeholders -- or the
10 people who are in the room are common
11 stakeholders but we definitely want to hear back
12 from those other ones that were identified.

13 And so to close, thank you for coming.
14 This has been a, really, information firehouse
15 day and we're going to try to collect as much
16 information for our first 2127 for the IEPR. But
17 as described earlier, we'll be working throughout
18 the IEPR process for the next couple of years on
19 this first analysis and we look forward to
20 working with everyone on it.

21 And with that, I'll close the meeting,
22 unless there's any other comments. All right.
23 Thank you very much, everyone.

24 (The workshop adjourned at 4:13 p.m.)

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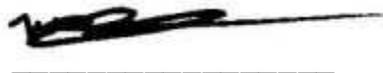
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