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# Clean Transportation Program Workforce Workshop

Proposed Funding Ideas, Concepts, and Activities

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Fuels and Transportation Division

February 10, 2023 | 9:00 am



# Agenda

## Part 1: ZEV and ZEV Infrastructure

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Clean Transportation Program and Workforce Portfolio
3. Proposed Funding Concepts, Ideas, and Activities
4. Presentations and Panel Discussion
5. Q&A/Public Comment

## Part 2: EVITP Assessment and Update

1. Presentations and Panel Discussion
2. Q&A/Public Comment
3. Adjourn



# Housekeeping

- Workshop is being recorded
- Workshop Event Webpage:  
<https://www.energy.ca.gov/events>
- Virtual Participation through Zoom
  - Q&A period after the main presentation
  - Raise Hand or Q&A feature
  - Telephone participants:
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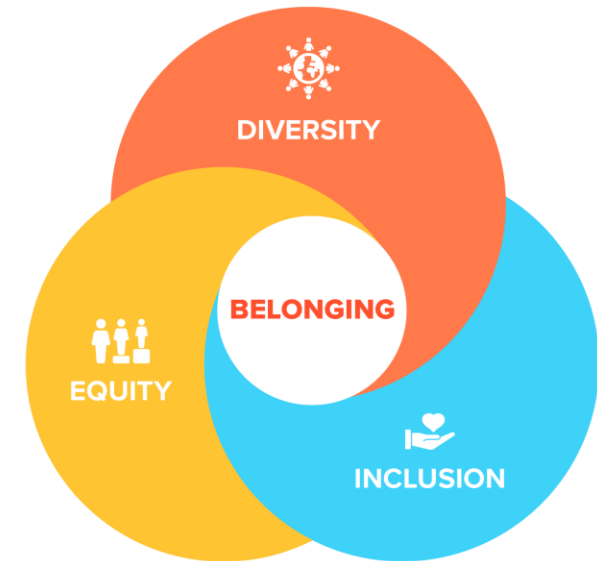


# Commitment to Diversity

The CEC adopted a resolution strengthening its commitment to diversity in our funding programs. The CEC continues to encourage disadvantaged and underrepresented businesses and communities to engage in and benefit from our many programs.

To meet this commitment, CEC staff conducts outreach efforts and activities to:

- Engage with disadvantaged and underrepresented groups throughout the state;
- Notify potential new applicants about the CEC's funding opportunities;
- Assist applicants to understand how to apply for funding from CEC's programs;
- Survey participants to measure progress in diversity outreach efforts







# Diversity Survey



Scan the code on a phone or tablet with a QR reader to access the survey.

Survey Link: <https://forms.office.com/g/TeJZYZe9Jk>

## One Minute Survey

The information supplied will be used for public reporting purposes to display anonymous overall attendance of diverse groups.

Zoom Participants, please use the link in the chat to access the survey or scan the QR code on the left of the screen with a phone or tablet to access the survey.

Survey will be closed at the end of the day.



# Find a Partner on EmpowerInnovation.net

Empower Innovation strives to accelerate your clean tech journey with easy access to funding opportunities from the CEC and other funding providers, curated resources and events, and connections to people and organizations.

## **FIND A PARTNER**

Announce your interest in this funding opportunity and message other interested parties to find potential partners.

## **RESOURCES & TOOLS**

Browse the collection of resources for clean tech innovators including Resource Libraries, Funding Sources, Tools, and Databases.

To search for funding opportunities, please go to this link:

<https://www.empowerinnovation.net/en/custom/funding/directory>

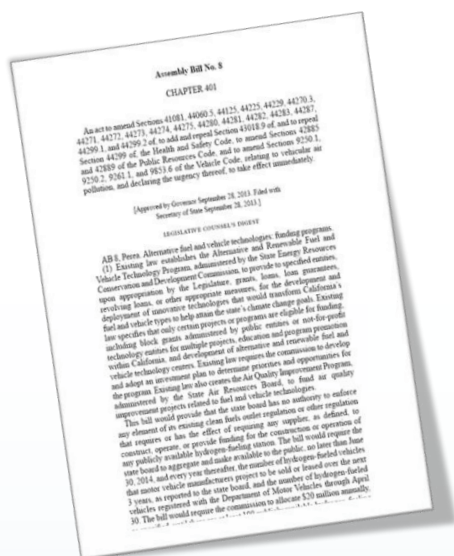
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[https://www.empowerinnovation.net/en/contact\\_us](https://www.empowerinnovation.net/en/contact_us)



# Clean Transportation Program

- Transportation sector responsible for significant greenhouse gas emissions and public health impacts.
- Pollution burdens fall disproportionately on vulnerable and disadvantaged communities.
- Clean Transportation Program created to invest in a cleaner, healthier transportation system.
- Provides up to \$100 million per year. Set to expire at end of 2023.
- CEC is seeking program reauthorization and extension to 2035 through the legislative process this year.

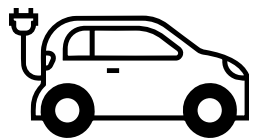






# 2022 – 2026 Total Investments

## Total: \$2.9 Billion\*

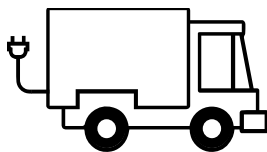


**\$900 M**

Light-Duty  
EV Charging  
Infrastructure

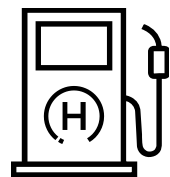
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**\$384 M**  
NEVI



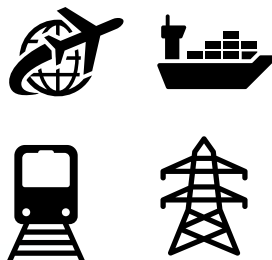
**\$1.7 B**

Medium- and  
Heavy-Duty  
ZEV  
Infrastructure



**\$ 90 M**

Hydrogen  
Refueling  
Infrastructure



**\$97 M**

Emerging  
Opportunities



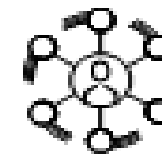
**\$15 M**

Low Carbon  
Fuels



**\$118 M**

ZEV-Related  
Manufacturing



**\$10 M**

ZEV  
Workforce  
Development

\*Subject to future Budget Act appropriations. Does not reflect reductions for CEC administrative expenses.



# Workforce Portfolio



- California Community Colleges
- California Employment Training Panel
- California Public School Districts
- Employment Development Department
- California Workforce Development Board
- California Seaports
- Industry
- Original Equipment Manufacturers
- ZEV Employers





# **Proposed Funding Ideas, Concepts, and Activities**



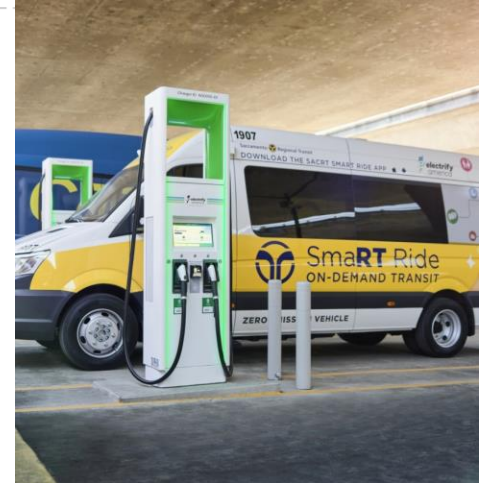


# Concept 1: National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure (NEVI) Training

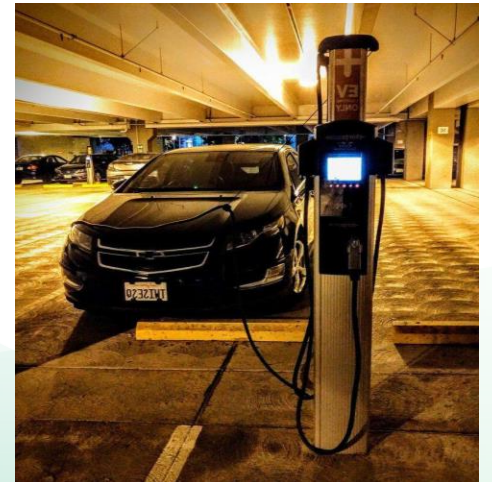
- A trained and available workforce is a consideration in a successful NEVI project delivery and EVSE deployment.

## Guiding Questions:

1. What types of training and workforce development activities should be eligible?
2. How can CTP investments leverage existing public, private, and local resources?



Source: Sacramento Area Council of Governments



Source: Newsdata, LLC



# Concept 2: Expand the Electric School Bus (ESB) Training Project

- Training for public school fleet technicians and bus operators
- CEC initial investment of \$1 million; 45 schools trained to date

## Guiding Questions:

1. How can the ESB training project support state and federal investments in school bus deployments?
2. Is there a need for an online, introductory ESB Training Project for all school bus stakeholders?
3. What partnerships should the CEC cultivate in supporting bus deployments and training?
4. Should funding for the ESB Training Project include train-the-trainers, instructors, and faculty as eligible?



Source: CA Energy Commission





# Concept 3: IDEAL Community Workforce Development to Support Reliable Infrastructure

- Maintain high up time and reliability for EV chargers in communities.
- Train local workforces to operate, maintain, and service EV chargers.
- Support priority populations and communities in this work.



Source: AFDC

## Guiding Questions:

1. How can local communities' partner with charger OEMs, EV charger developers, site hosts, and others to maintain high reliability?
2. How should funding be distributed to local communities for this training and for workforce development?



# Concept 4: Open Workforce Training and Development Concepts

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- Open to concepts and ideas not identified in the four (4) concepts proposed by staff.
- All ideas will be considered by staff.



# Concept 5: EVITP Partnership Projects

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To be addressed in Panel 2.



# **Panel 1: ZEV Workforce Assessments and Perspectives**





# Presentations

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- Advanced Transportation and Logistics Training Projects (Jannet Malig)
- Evergreen Economics (Jesse Emge)
- ABB e-Mobility Service and Training (Bobby Pillot)



# Training the ZEV Workforce



Advanced Transportation  
and Logistics



POWERED BY  
California Community Colleges

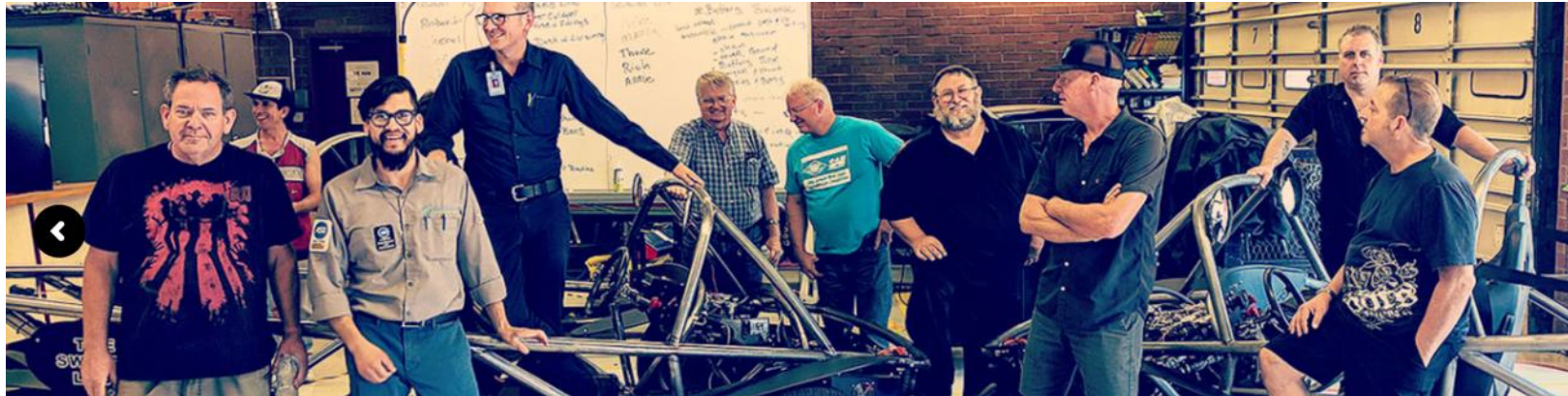
## ATL Programs

- Electric, Hybrid, and Hydrogen Fuel Cell Programs
- Gaseous Fuel Programs for Heavy Duty Vehicles
- Gaseous Fuel Programs for Light Duty Vehicles
- Intelligent Transportation Systems Programs
- Railroad Operation Programs
- Aeronautics and Flight Technology Programs
- Motorcycle Maintenance Programs
- Automotive Clean Air Car, Emissions Programs
- Photo Voltaic, Concentrated Solar, Geothermal, Wind Technology, Renewable Energy Programs
- Logistics Programs





# ATL | CEC Partnership



Working together to prepare a highly skilled, clean energy workforce in California

- Updated equipment
- Trained faculty
- Revised curriculum

# ZEV Emissions Training Enhancement Program

**15**

Community colleges funded; many in disadvantaged communities in California

**2,077**

Students per year benefit from purchased equipment and new curriculum

**160**

Community college faculty trained in ZEV technologies

**261**

Incumbent transit workers trained in ZEV technologies



# ZEV High School Pilot Project



**51**

High school programs  
funded; most in  
disadvantaged communities



**6,087**

Students per year enrolled  
in automotive courses with  
new EV curriculum



**63**

High school and community  
college partner faculty  
trained on EV build  
(electricity, wiring,  
mechanics)



# Electric School Bus Training Project



**154**

School district  
technicians trained

**14**

Community college  
faculty trained

**4**

Electrical courses  
developed

- High Voltage Familiarization
- Heavy Duty Electrical 1
- Heavy Duty Electrical 2
- EV Supply Equipment and EV Charging Systems



Advanced Transportation  
and Logistics

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# Forecasting Workforce Needs and Gaps:

Developing Data-Driven Policy in Data Sparse Environments

*Feb 10, 2023*

Jesse Emge, PhD  
Evergreen Economics



# Workforce Needs and Gap Assessment

## Objective:

- Develop simple CEC facing tool, which;
  - Forecasts labor demand to build and maintain the AB2127 EVSE Network, and supply, including,
    - By occupation
    - By state, county, metropolitan, and equity communities\*
  - Explores current labor market conditions and occupation data, including:
    - Current labor statistics such as wage and employment numbers.



# Estimate Workforce

- Leveraged existing research/data to understand:
  - Relevant EVSE occupations
  - Effort to build individual chargers
- Incorporated CEC EVSE development AB2127 forecasts
- Data is limited, incomplete, or unavailable



# Example Output

Occupation	FTE For Example Charging Scenerio			
	2030		2035	
	Level 2	DC	Level 2	DC
Civil Engineers	2,978	94	6,612	195
Compliance Officers	2,509	84	5,572	175
Construction and Extraction Occu	6,370	241	14,143	501
Construction Managers	6,370	241	14,143	501
Cost Estimators	2,978	94	6,612	195
Electrical and Electronics Drafters	4,632	83	10,286	171
Electrical Engineers	2,978	94	6,612	195
Electricians	6,370	312	14,143	649
Mechanical Engineers	2,978	94	6,612	195
Occupational Health and Safety S	2,978	94	6,612	195
Surveyors	2,978	94	6,612	195



# Next Steps

- Collect, maintain, incorporate new data regarding:
  - Refined construction effort based on actuals
  - Maintenance effort and occupations
  - EVSE Utilization and charger “health”
  - Location and timing of rollout



**Thank you!**

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## ABB E-mobility – Global Footprint

Smart, reliable EV charging technology, backed by deep experience and service excellence.

**1 Million**

### EV CHARGERS

Sold worldwide, including 50,000 DC fast chargers across 85+ countries.

**Up to 450kW**

### WIDE PRODUCT RANGE

From AC to DC fast charging, tailored to destination, public, commercial and fleet charging operations

**13**

### YEARS' EXPERIENCE

Deploying advanced, connected EV charging systems in every environment – for networks, fleets, OEMs and utilities.

**1800+**

### TALENTED EMPLOYEES

Dedicated to ABB's E-mobility business including more than 100 in North America from R&D to service.





# ABB E-mobility Technology leadership in the US

More than a decade of pushing the boundaries of E-mobility in the US



First CCS1 charger

2013

San Diego, California



First 150 kW charger

2017

Fremont, California



First 350 kW charger

2018

Chicopee, Massachusetts



MW charging announced

2022

Portland, Oregon

ABB E-mobility has 200+ employees in the U.S. dedicated to design, development, operations service and training; backed by a global business of 1,800 employees worldwide that supports an installed base of 1 million chargers.

# ABB E-mobility Services & Training

**Manufacturer certified / trained workforce & experienced leadership delivers operational excellence**



## Established Training Certification

- 361 EVSE technicians trained in U.S. since 2021
- Standardized online training
- Hands on product in-person training
- Customized service training programs
- Train third-party service providers
- Plan to train 200+ techs annually



## Network operations and software expertise

- 90+% of service work is non-electrical, on computer using Linux at EVSE site
- 24/7/365 service call center to receive service /repair requests



## Knowledgeable, trained technicians across geographic regions

- **1 field technician needed for every 400 EV chargers**
- est. CA needs 625 EVSE service techs by 2025.



# ABB E-mobility Training

Delivering e-mobility workforce success



Prepare workforce for tech support of industry-leading EV chargers



Support high performing charging systems at every site



Ensure safety from site design through life-cycle operation



Earn training certifications for each course

## Online & Hands On Training

- Specifications and configurations of the charger products and systems
- Pre-installation best practices
- Installation process
- Charger operations
- Commissioning process
- Site acceptance
- Remote services
- Safely opening charging units
- Component inspections
- Circuit board identification
- Wiring specifics (AC and DC)
- Operations
- Maintenance and parts

## ABB Training Outcomes

- Key charging product and system components
- Proper commissioning initiation and execution
- All areas of safety as they pertain to the electrical connection and charging system
- Safe and proper electrical procedures and relevant PPE equipment
- Installation methods and best practices
- Start-up, operation and shut-down of chargers
- Sound service and maintenance strategies
- ABB E-mobility service organization and tools
- Diagnostic and trouble-shooting tools
- Upon completion techs will be able to identify most issues and bring them to resolution.

# ABB E-mobility Product and Service Training



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ABB E-mobility technical training programs deliver critical knowledge to an ever-growing EV infrastructure workforce.

Course number	Course Name	Duration	Delivery format
DCWBL-101	Level 1 DC Wallbox Training	1 day	Virtual
HVC-D-101	Level 1 HVC Depot Box Training	1 day	Virtual
HVC-P-101	Level 1 HVC Pantograph System Training	1 day	Virtual
T5X-101	Level 1 Terra 53/T54/T54HV Training	1 day	Virtual
TXX4-101	Level 1 Terra 94, 124 184 Training	1 day	Virtual
THP-101	Level 1 Terra HP High Power Training	1 day	Virtual
DCWBL-201	Level 2 DC Wallbox Training	2 days	Instructor-led/Lab
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# EVSE Technician Skills

Tremendous opportunity to upskill & transition workers in short training timeframe



- Attention to detail.
- Mechanic & computer aptitude.
- Daily solo travel to different EVSE sites.

- Familiarity with technical concepts and electrical terminology.
- Basic electrical safety training on systems up to 480 V.
- Comfort using Linux on computer.

- Minimum 3 months experience working on equipment systems up to 480 V.
- NFPA 70E arc flash training.

# EVSE Workforce Development Recommendations



- Recognize that EVSE maintenance and service skills are unique and may not require licensed electricians
- Intentional focus to upskill / transition ICE mechanics & techs
- Grants to businesses for EVSE maintenance specialty training for employees
  - Outreach about & catalogue of workforce development support programs to CPOs, fleet operators, EVSE service providers
- Funding for technical schools & community colleges to purchase EVSE equipment / infrastructure for training
- Inventory of EVSE training programs & apprenticeship opportunities
- EVSE manufacturer certified training necessary to ensure reliability and meet up-time requirements
  - Consider recertification / continuing education every 2-3 years as technology regularly evolves



# Panel Discussion

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# **Panel 2: EV Infrastructure Training Program Assessment and Update**





# Presentations

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- South Coast Air Quality Management District (Patricia Kwon)
- Project Development Platform (Ramsay Stevens)
- EVITP (Bernie Kotlier)

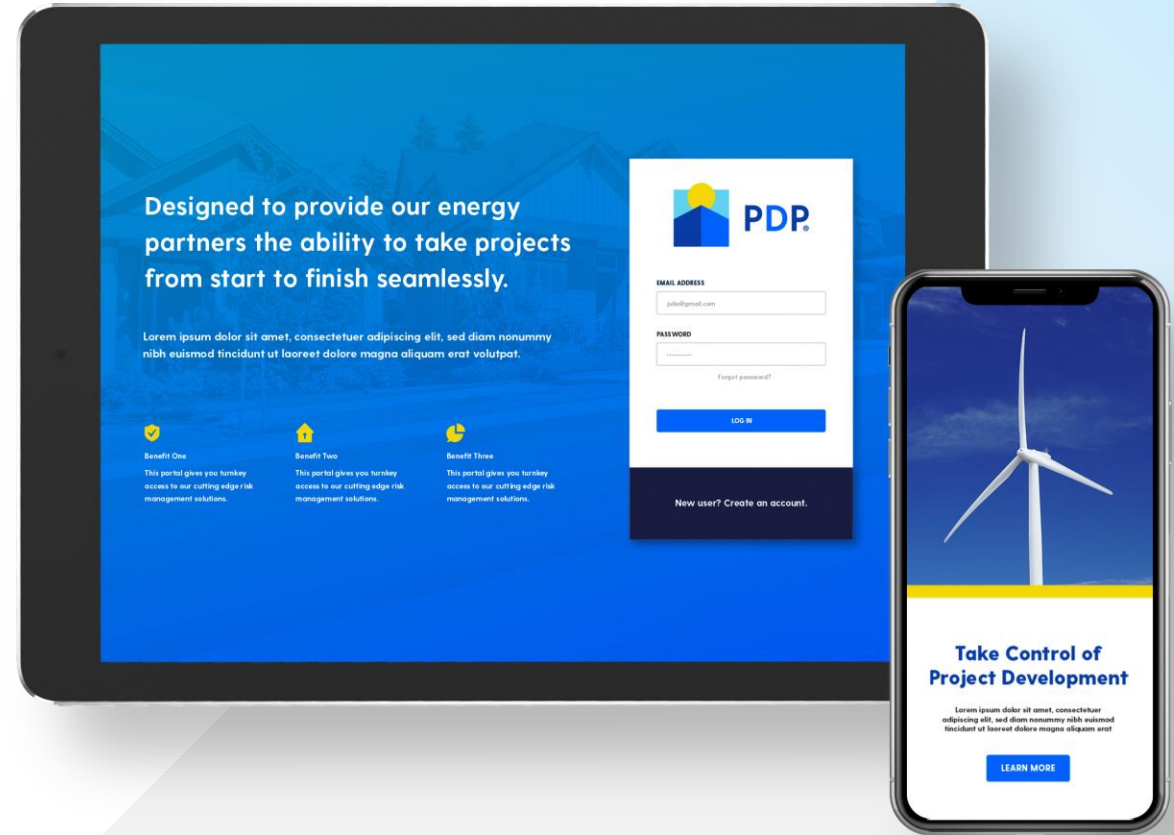
# Working with Electrical Contractors to Drive EVSE Deployment

February 10th, 2023



# What is PDP and who is It For?

The Project Development Platform is a software and consulting powered program dedicated to supporting Electrical Contractors who are members of the National Electrical Contractors Association in the development, management, and delivery sustainable energy construction projects.



# The Value of Electrical Contractors in the EVSE Project Development Process

- Early and Critical Insight on Best Practices  
Siting, Infrastructure, Technology, and Safety
- One-Stop Efficiency  
Engineering, Procurement, and Construction
- Customer Confidence  
Contractor and Team Reputation
- Comprehensive Maintenance Partners  
From Design to Operation
- Community Impact  
Local is Best





A construction worker wearing a white hard hat, safety glasses, and a high-visibility vest is working on an electrical panel. The worker is wearing a blue t-shirt and has a tattoo on their left arm. The panel is open, and the worker is reaching inside. The background shows green trees and a clear blue sky.

# Responsible Contractors

- **Efficacy & Safety**  
Developers and customers know their projects are being built responsibly
- **Highly Skilled Workforce**  
Apprentices & State Certified General Electricians
- **Price Competitive & Scalable Partners**  
Competitiveness and professionalism ensure honest, reliable, and efficient pricing
- **Reducing Long-Term & Market Risk**  
Utilizing responsible contractors is a secure way to protect projects and the market overall



A person wearing a white lab coat is shown from the chest up, leaning over a table. They are holding a pencil in their right hand and are in the process of marking or drawing on a large sheet of paper, likely a technical drawing or blueprint. The background is a dark, blue-tinted image of the person's hands and the drawing. The overall scene suggests a professional or technical environment.

# EVSE Infrastructure is Advanced Energy Work

*Complex, Intensive, and May be Hazardous*

# How Contractors see the market Today

- Public policy and incentives are driving the market to a new level
- \$10B in Projected Funds in CA
- Significant utility infrastructure and service upgrades required
- Customer Product/Technology Fatigue
- More responsible commercial market participants (EVITP Standardization)



# How Contractors see the market Tomorrow

- Continued Workforce Standards needed to promote Quality Projects, Products, and Contractors
- V2G/V2X will drive Project Design and Economics
- Dedicated, High-Value, and High-Impact Workforce
- Faster and Higher Voltage Charging
- Microgrids Everywhere





# Contractor Recommendations

## Accelerating EV & EVSE Adoption

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- Expedited Permitting for EVITP Approved Contractors
- One Stop Shop for State, Local, and Utility Incentives
- Explicitly Incentivize V2G/V2X



# Contractor Recommendations

## Community Impact & Uptake

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- Enhanced Consumer Protections for Equipment & Public Chargers
- Encourage SME & Local Leadership
- Engage Communities in Workforce Training & Certification

# Thanks

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Ramsay Stevens

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# CALeVIP Workforce Insight

Feb 10<sup>th</sup> 2023



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# CALeVIP Contractors & Workforce Overview

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## EVITP Anecdotes:

- **EVITP has been confusing process to date**
- **Access to EVITP exam stated as one issue (now fixed with online exam)**
  - CALeVIP partnered to host physical exam in Imperial County (2022)
- **Exam cost perceived to be high (\$275)**
- **Translation not previously available**
- **Electrical Contractors racing to get at least one EVITP-certified electrician**
- **One recent project did not know about EVITP-requirements until it was too late (did not get rebate check)**

# EVITP Update







# What is the Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Training Program (EVITP)?

A non-profit, volunteer, brand neutral, national EV industry collaborative training program launched at the University of Michigan in 2012. EVITP addresses the technical requirements, **safety imperatives**, and performance integrity of industry partners and stakeholders including:

- Automobile Manufacturers, and Battery Makers
- Investor-Owned and Municipal Utilities
- Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment/EVSE (“Charging Station”) Manufacturers
- State and Local Electrical Inspectors
- Electrical Contractors and Electrical Workers
- First Responders



# EVITP Founding Partner Advisors







# EVITP Course Information

- 20 hour training course with proctored certification exam
- Demand-based online training and online exam
- \$275 total fee includes instruction, quizzes, exam proctoring, certification, record keeping, website, certification verification, maintenance and administration
- EVITP main office in Royal Oak, Michigan (Detroit area) near the auto industry. Taught in Canada, too







# Eligibility: Qualified Electricians

## Minimum Requirement for EVITP Certification:

- In states where required, electricians must be licensed or certified. **In California the requirement is: State Certified General Electrician**
- In other states without state-wide licensure of electricians, enrollees must have completed at least 8,000 hours of documented on-the-job electrical construction training

*A key to EVITP success is that the training builds on the platform of qualified electricians' extensive knowledge, skills and experience.*



# **EVITP 4.0 Curriculum** *(Updated 2020)*

## Comprehensive Residential, Commercial, Industrial & DCFC EVSE Infrastructure Training

- Level 2 (220V) Residential Charging
- Commercial / Institutional Level 2 Charging
- DC Fast Charging
- Medium & Heavy Duty Commercial / Institutional
- Site Assessment and Load Calculations *(Core w/ Code)*
- Includes 2017 and 2020 National Elec. Code (NEC)
- Maintenance, Troubleshooting and Repair
- Wireless Inductive Energy Transfer



## EVITP Status Update - Electricians



- Now: 2,733 EVITP-Certified electricians in California (2-22-22)
- Approx. 1,600 when AB-841 passed in 2020 - a 70% increase
- Sufficient to install 1.2 million EVSE ports by 2030?
- 848 EVITP-Certified electricians, 652 non-EVITP electricians, and 1,109 electrical apprentices would install 1,252,992 charging stations in seven years
- That's 2,609 electrical workers, out of a total of 38,408 or 6.8% of the existing electrical workforce
- The 848 EVITP-Certified electricians represent 32% of the current 2,733 EVITP-Certified electricians in California
- More than 3 times the number needed



## EVITP Status Update – Contractors

- Now: 201 EVITP-Approved Contractor/Employer
- More than double the 2020 number
- Coverage up and down the state
- Map pins are office addresses, not service areas
- New contractor survey data to be included this spring includes counties, category and scope of work
- Electrical Contractors have a C-10 license
- (No “C-10 electricians”)
- (No “certified EVITP Contractors”)

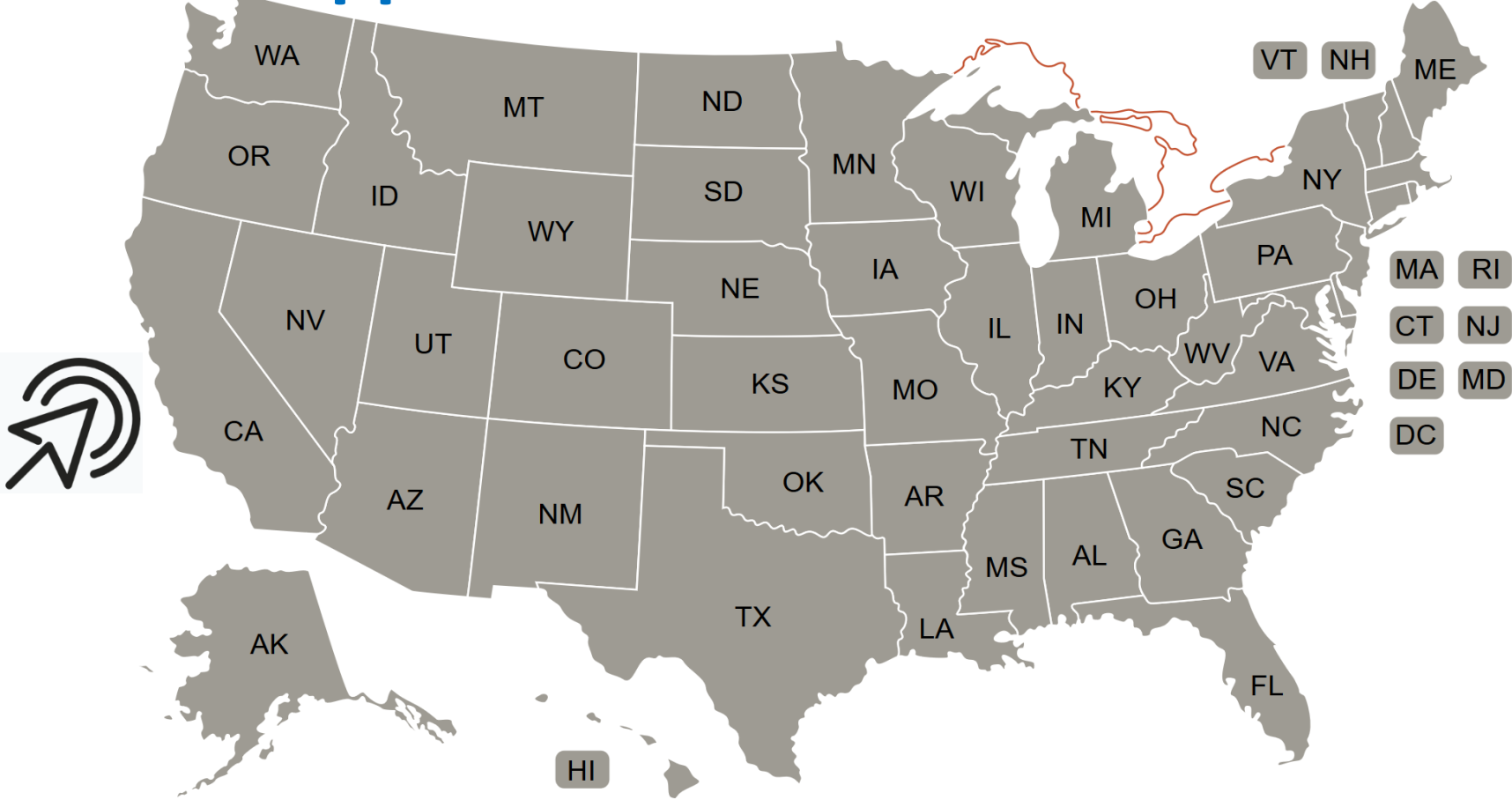


  <https://evitp.org/find-a-contractor/>

**Find A Contractor**

Find a contractor in your area that utilizes EVITP certified installers for your next Residential, Commercial, Public or Fleet project.

# EVITP-Approved Contractors in All 50 States







# In CA: 201 Electrical Contractor/Employers

## A-1 Electric Service Co., Inc.

4204 South Sepulveda Boulevard, Culver City, CA, 90230, USA

310-204-1077

310-204-6880

[spieper@a-1electric.com](mailto:spieper@a-1electric.com)

<https://a-1electric.com/>

Contact: Scott Pieper

## A-C Electric Company

2921 Hanger Way, Bakersfield, CA, 93380, USA

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<http://www.a-celectric.com>

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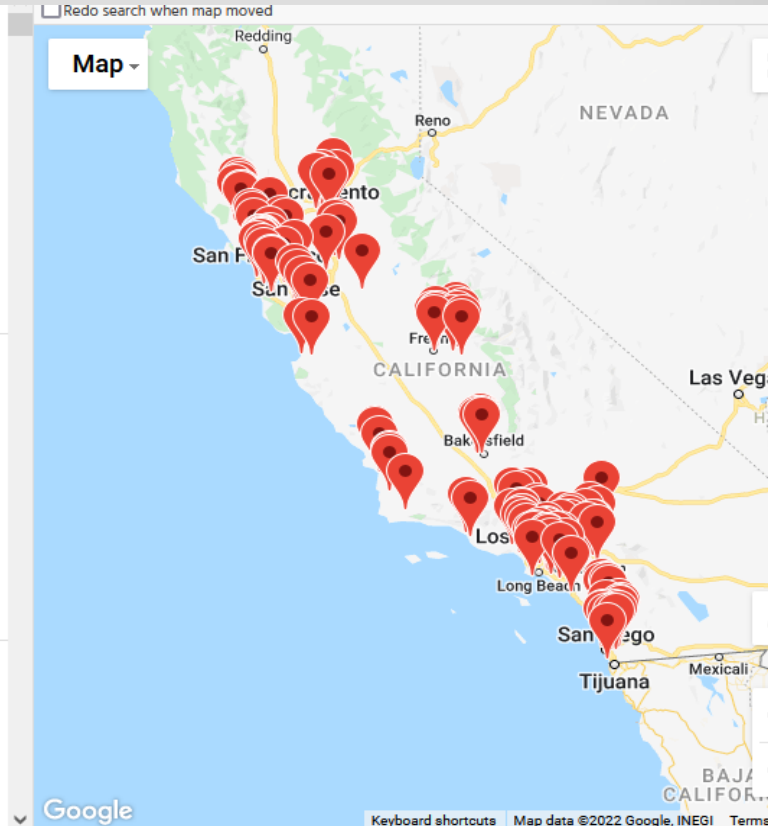
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76 Hill Street, Daly City, CA, 94014 USA

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650-755-2975

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Map Pins Indicate Offices, Service Areas Much Larger  
Employ 2,700+ CA EVITP Electricians





# **Update: New EVITP 5.0 Curriculum**

## **Comprehensive Residential, Commercial, Industrial & DCFC EVSE Infrastructure Training**

- Based on the 2023 National Electrical Code (NEC)
- Latest Vehicle Applications
- Newest EVSE Equipment and Systems
- Whole Section re. Bi-directional Charging
- Updated Utility-related Information
- More Troubleshooting, Maintenance & Repair
- Utilizing Video Instruction Segments
- No Fee Increase - Zero Inflation - **Spring 2023 Intro**



## Update: EVITP's D.E.I. Reflects the Trade

- Outreach and training starts with pre-apprenticeship
- This is where real electrical career opportunities begin
- Prepares candidates for apprenticeship entry and success with math and communication skills
- It's a very different electrical trade





- EVITP met the Bloomberg scholarship goal: At least 50% BIPOC & Women in 24 U.S. cities, nationally
- While EVITP does not certify apprentices, EVITP draws from a pool of electricians that is fed by apprenticeship
- **In California, major urban electrical apprenticeships exceed 50% BIPOC and women.** The largest apprenticeship in the U.S. is in Los Angeles which is 81% BIPOC & Women





# Updated Web Tools at <https://evitp.org/>

The screenshot shows the homepage of the EVITP website. At the top left is the EVITP logo with the text "Electric Vehicle EVITP™ Infrastructure Training Program". To the right of the logo is a navigation menu with the following items: "Home" (highlighted in a red box), "About Us", "Training", "Find A Contractor" (with a star icon), and "Contact Us". Below the navigation menu is a large, high-quality photograph of a white electric vehicle charging cable being plugged into a charging port on a silver car. The background of the photo is blurred, showing what appears to be a parking lot or charging station area. Below the photograph, the text "EVITP" is centered in a large, bold, black font.

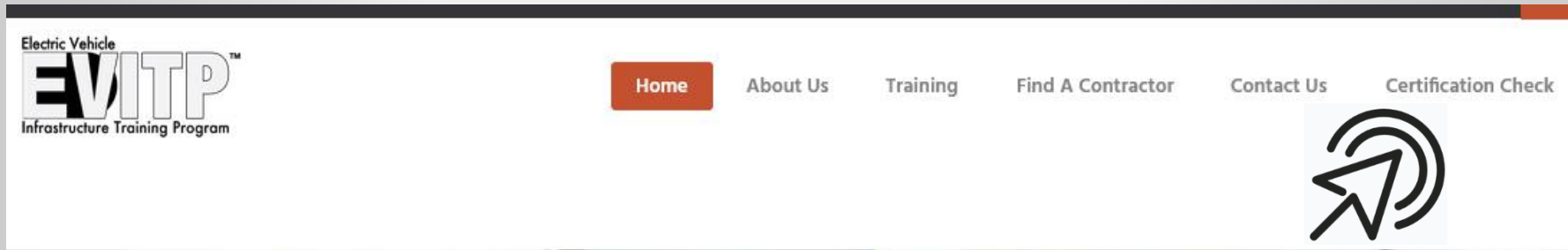


<https://evitp.org/>

(Paper Document Not Accepted)

**Electrician**

**Certification Check**



## Training

Comprehensive classroom and hand-ons training for EVSE Installers.

[Learn More](#)





## EVITP Takeaways

- EVITP does not train or certify contractor/employers
- There is no such thing as a "certified EVITP contractor"
- EVITP only trains and certifies state certified general electricians - the people who actually do the hands-on electrical work
- **Hiring a contractor who is EVITP-Approved does not meet an EVITP requirement.** The entity responsible for meeting EVITP requirements checks electrical workers on the project to confirm they are EVITP-Certified, on the job full time, and not just dropping in. Done conveniently via the Certification Check function at [EVITP.org](http://EVITP.org) - even on a mobile device. (Paper certification doc's not accepted)





*Thank You*

Questions?

Electric Vehicle Infrastructure  
Training Program (EVITP)



# EVITP Comments from Stakeholders

- Does EVITP training include ultra-fast charging?
- Does curriculum include EVSE service and maintenance?
- Examination locations are limited and inaccessible.
- We can't find EVITP electricians in rural areas.
- Is EVITP curriculum accessible to non-EVITP examinees?
- An applicant for a state funding incentive program claims that they are exempt from the EVITP requirement because they are a licensed C-10 contractor. True or false?
- Is EVITP training available in Spanish?



# Concept 4: EVITP Partnership Projects (Discussion)

## Concept 4A: EVITP Training and Certification

- Support electricians for EVITP training and certification with the Employment Training Panel (ETP) and the Workforce Development Board (CWDB).

## Concept 4B: Contractor State Licensing Board (CSLB) Surveys of General/Electrical Contractors

- Partner with CSLB in their survey, feedback, and engagement processes to gather feedback and support growth of EVITP certified electricians.

## Concept 4C: CEC Survey of Funding Recipients

- Survey recipients of CEC's EVSE solicitations and incentive projects to inform future policies and investments related to EVITP.

## Concept 4D: CEC Workforce and EVITP Web Portal

- Present clean transportation workforce information, data, and resources, including EVITP-specific information, EVITP weblinks for training and certification, and EVITP FAQ links on the CTP website.

# CALeVIP Workforce Insight

Feb 10<sup>th</sup> 2023



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# CALeVIP Contractors & Workforce Overview

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## EVITP Anecdotes:

- **EVITP has been confusing process to date**
- **Access to EVITP exam stated as one issue (now fixed with online exam)**
  - CALeVIP partnered to host physical exam in Imperial County (2022)
- **Exam cost perceived to be high (\$275)**
- **Translation not previously available**
- **Electrical Contractors racing to get at least one EVITP-certified electrician**
- **One recent project did not know about EVITP-requirements until it was too late (did not get rebate check)**



# Q&A and Public Comment

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## Zoom Participants

- Use the “raise hand” feature to make verbal comments
- Use the Q&A feature to type in your question

## Telephone Participants:

- Dial \*9 to raise your hand
- Dial \*6 to mute/unmute your phone line

## Written Comments

<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=20-ALT-01>

**Deadline for comment: Friday, February 24, 2023**



# Submit Comments to Docket 20-ALT-01

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## Electronic Commenting System

Visit the comment page for this docket at:

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## Comment by E-mail

E-mail: [docket@energy.ca.gov](mailto:docket@energy.ca.gov)

Subject Line: "CTP Workforce"

**All comments due by February 24th, 2023**



**Thank you!**