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IN THE MATTER OF:

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NOTICE OF REMOTE ACCESS WORKSHOP

RE: Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Project Tracker

Notice of Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Project Tracker Workshop July 19, 2023

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The California Energy Commission (CEC) will host a workshop to solicit public input on an Electric Vehicle (EV) Infrastructure Project Tracker tool. This EV Infrastructure Project Tracker is intended to consist of a database and online dashboard that collects and tracks the progress of EV infrastructure projects from start to finish to create transparency and help state agencies and stakeholders better understand how long it takes to complete an EV charging project and identify bottlenecks. The EV Infrastructure Project Tracker will include project permitting and construction statistics from EV charging projects funded by the CEC. Grant recipients may be required to report relevant data to the CEC as a grant requirement in future Clean Transportation Program solicitations.

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

Agenda

This workshop will include a staff presentation proposing a draft EV Infrastructure Project Tracker scope and required data fields and a public question and comment period. CEC staff requests public input on whether appropriate information technology products to build the EV Infrastructure Project Tracker are commercially available and any other feedback.

A detailed agenda will be posted prior to the workshop at https://www.energy.ca.gov/events.

- 1. Welcome and logistics
- 2. Introductory comments and background
- 3. Staff EV Infrastructure Project Tracker concept presentation
- 4. Question and Answers
- 5. Public comment
- 6. Close and next steps

Background

Installing EV charging can be a lengthy and unpredictable process that often requires new utility electrical service, construction managed by both the customer and utility, and permitting by the local Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ). Early evidence suggests that delays in the planning, permitting, construction, and energization processes may present a barrier to meeting California's zero-emission vehicle and infrastructure goals. Customers and regulators lack insight into how long these processes take, if and how they vary between regions, and how they can be accelerated.

The CEC proposes to develop an EV Infrastructure Project Tracker, which will consist of a data collection portal, database, and a public web dashboard that tracks the deployment of CEC-funded EV charging projects through various stages. This includes timelines for various steps in the project process including site control, permitting, construction, utility construction, and final site energization. The EV Infrastructure Project Tracker will compile summary statistics on permitting and construction timelines across California and display these statistics publicly. Projects not funded by the CEC could voluntarily opt-in to participate. A scalable beta version will be implemented first to collect lessons and implement refinements before scaling.

Remote Attendance Instructions

Remote participants may join via Zoom by internet or phone.

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Public Comment.

The CEC encourages the use of its electronic commenting system. Visit the <u>23-TRAN-02 e-commenting page</u> for this docket at

https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/EComment/EComment.aspx?docketnumber=23-TRAN-02. Enter your contact information and a subject title that describes your comment. Comments may be included in the "Comment Text" box or attached as a downloadable, searchable document in Microsoft® Word or Adobe® Acrobat®. The maximum file size allowed is 10 MB.

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

Written comments may be submitted to the Docket Unit by 5:00 p.m. on August 8, 2023. Written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (including address, phone number, and email address) will become part of the public record of this proceeding with access available via any internet search engine. Written comments may also be submitted by email. Include docket number 23-TRAN-02 and EV Infrastructure Project Tracker in the subject line and email to docket@energy.ca.gov.

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Availability of Documents: Documents and presentations for this meeting will be available at https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=23-TRAN-02.

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