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Block Grant for Electric Vehicle Charger)	NOTICE OF WORKSHOP
Incentive Projects)	RE: Block Grant Incentive Project
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Notice of Staff Workshop on the FresYES Incentive Project Under the Block Grant for Electric Vehicle Charger Incentive Projects Throughout California

California Energy Commission staff will conduct a public workshop for the FresYES Incentive Project, the first incentive project under the Block Grant for Electric Vehicle Charger Incentive Projects Throughout California funded by the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program. The commission is seeking input from stakeholders to inform the FresYES Incentive Project. Commissioners from the California Energy Commission may attend this workshop. The workshop will be held on:

September 28, 2017

10:00 a.m. - Noon

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

Central Region Office, VTC Room

1990 E. Gettysburg Avenue

Fresno, California 93726

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Background

Assembly Bill (AB) 118 (Núñez, Chapter 750, Statutes of 2007), created the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program (ARFVTP). The statute authorizes the Energy Commission to develop and deploy alternative and renewable fuels and advanced transportation technologies to help attain the state's climate change policies. AB 8 (Perea, Chapter 401, Statutes of 2013) reauthorized the ARFVTP through January 1, 2024.

As of March 2017, the Energy Commission has invested nearly \$80.1 million through the ARFVTP for almost 8,700 charging outlets at public and private sites in California.

To provide more focused plug-in electric vehicle (PEV) infrastructure projects that will target more specific projects and gaps in charging availability, the Energy Commission issued Grant Funding Opportunity (GFO)-16-603 to seek a block grant recipient to design and implement up to \$200 million in grant funds through various PEV charger incentive projects throughout California. The Center for Sustainable Energy (CSE) was awarded at the Energy Commission's April 2017 business meeting.

Energy Commission staff worked with CSE to develop the FresYES Incentive Project to prepare Fresno County with adequate infrastructure to support vehicle growth through 2025 and provide a solid foundation for increases that will result from any influx of funding for vehicle incentives.

The details of the FresYES Incentive Project include the following:

- \$4 million funding available with \$7,000 rebates for dual port stations and \$4,000 rebates for single port stations
- Project region of Fresno County, installations must be inside Fresno County
- Only Level 2 charging stations are eligible
- \$60,000 annual applicant cap for the FresYES Incentive Project
- One site per application with a max of 10 new ports per site
- Eligible applicants include private companies and public agencies
- Eligible sites include commercial, workplace, and multi-unit dwellings. Personal residences (single-family homes) are excluded
- Charging station requirements include
 - SAE J1772 connector
 - Power output of 6.2kW or greater
 - Must be networked
 - Must be Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory (NRTL) Certified
 - Must be ENERGY STAR® Certified
- Stations must include at least a one year network service agreement
- Stations must be installed and operating within six months (180 days) of rebate reservation date
- Ability to receive funding from both the FresYES Incentive Project and the Charge Up! Program

Public Comment

Oral comments: Staff will accept oral comments during the workshop. Comments may be limited to three minutes per speaker. Any comments may become part of the public record in this proceeding.

Written comments: Written comments should be submitted to the Dockets Unit by **5:00 p.m. on October 3, 2017**. Written comments will be also accepted at the workshop however, the Commission may not have time to review them before the conclusion of the workshop.

Please note that your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g. your address, phone, email, etc.) become part of the viewable public record. This information may become available via Google, Yahoo, and any other search engines.

The Energy Commission encourages use of its electronic commenting system. Visit the website at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=17-EVI-01>.

This will take you to the page for adding comments to this docket. Please enter your contact information, any organization name, and a comment title describing the subject of your comments. You may include comments in the box titled "Comment Text" or attach a file in a downloadable, **searchable format** in Microsoft® Word (.doc, .docx) or Adobe® Acrobat® (.pdf). Maximum file size is 10 MB.

Written comments may also be submitted by emailing them (include the docket number 17-EVI-01 and Block Grant for Electric Vehicle Charger Incentive Projects in the subject line) to the Docket Unit at:

docket@energy.ca.gov

If you prefer, you may send a paper copy of your comments to:

California Energy Commission
Docket Unit, MS-4
Re: Docket No. 17-EVI-01
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

Public Adviser and Other Commission Contacts

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If you have a disability and require assistance to participate, please contact Poneh Jones at poneh.jones@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-4425 at least five days in advance.

Media inquiries should be sent to the Media and Public Communications Office at mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-4989.

If you have questions on the subject matter of this workshop, please contact Brian Fauble at brian.fauble@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-3974.

Remote Attendance

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Availability of Documents

Documents and presentations for this workshop will be available online at:
<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=17-EVI-01>.

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