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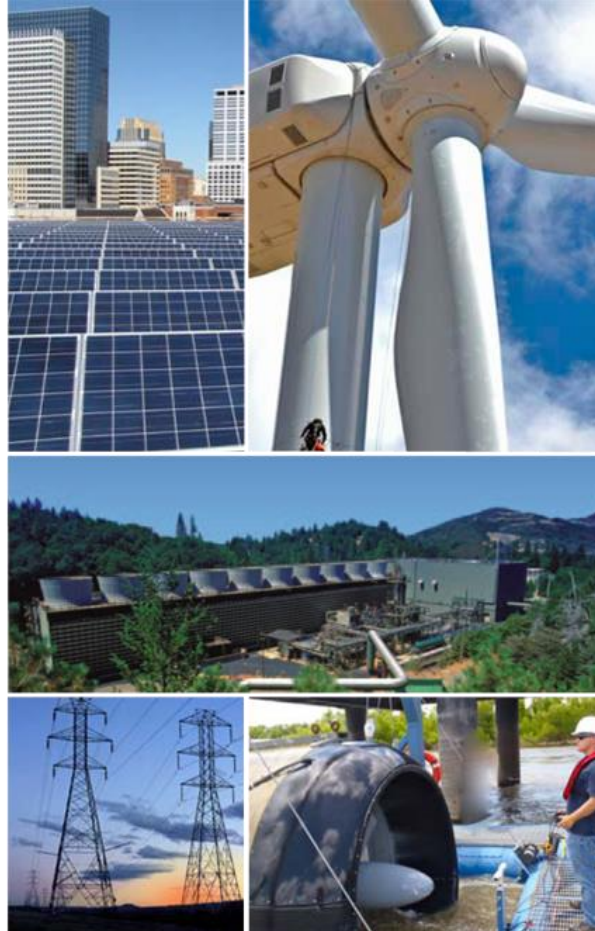
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# Sustainable TRANSPORTATION



# Renewable ELECTRICITY GENERATION



# Energy Saving HOMES, BUILDINGS, & MANUFACTURING

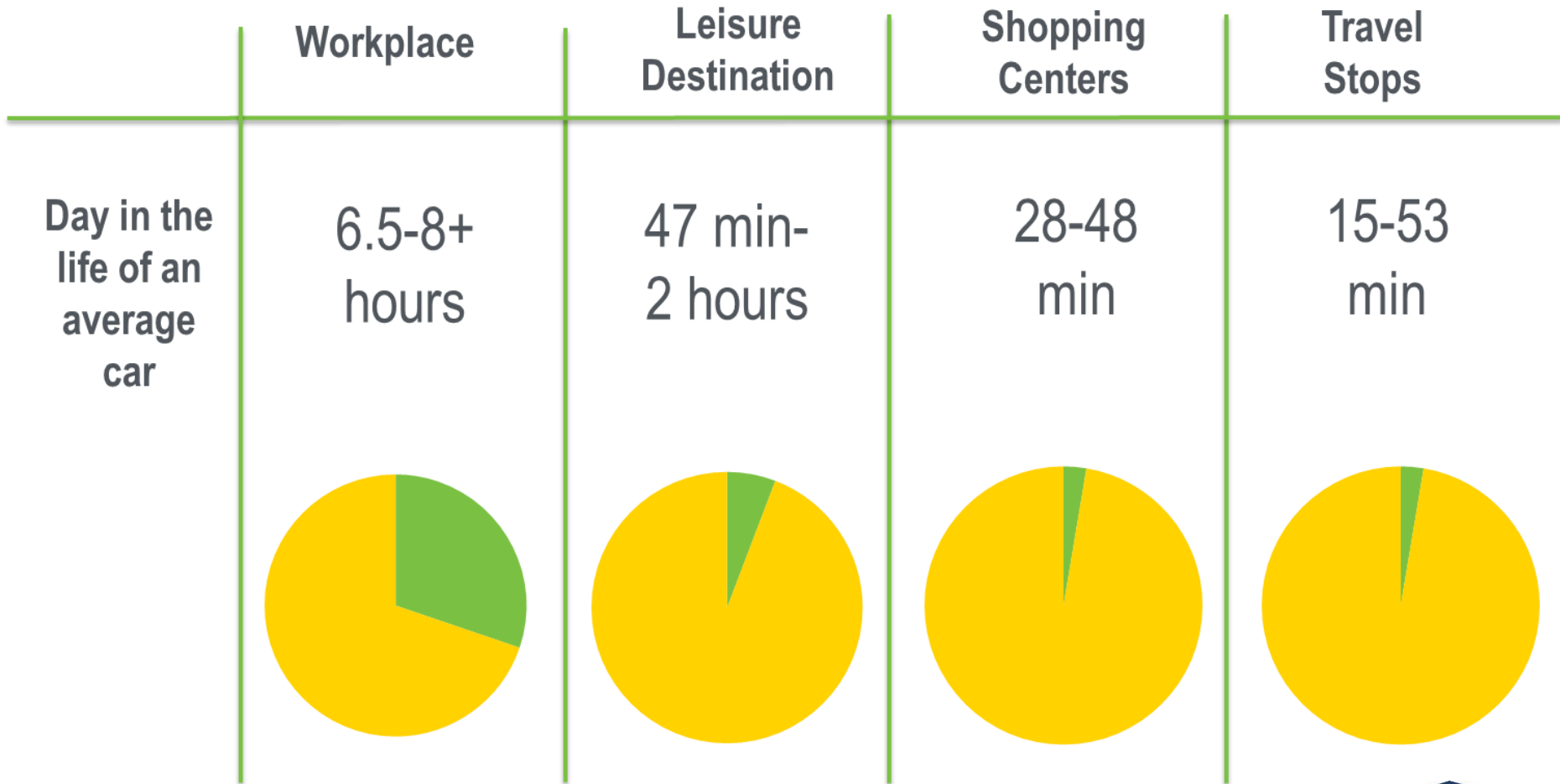


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# EV Everywhere Grand Challenge: affordable & convenient PEVs by 2022

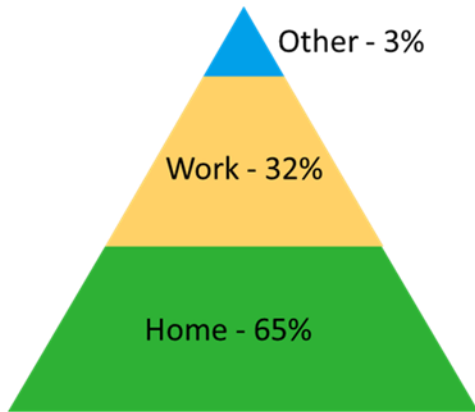


# The workplace presents a prime charging opportunity



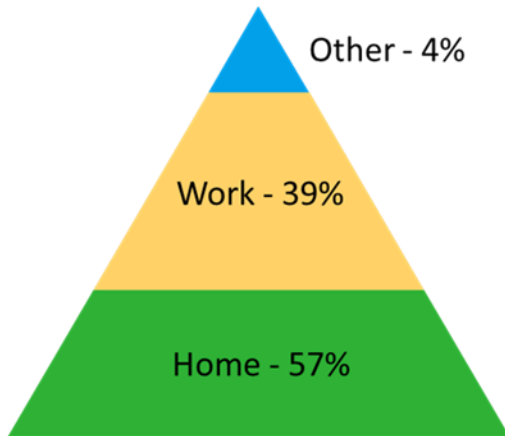
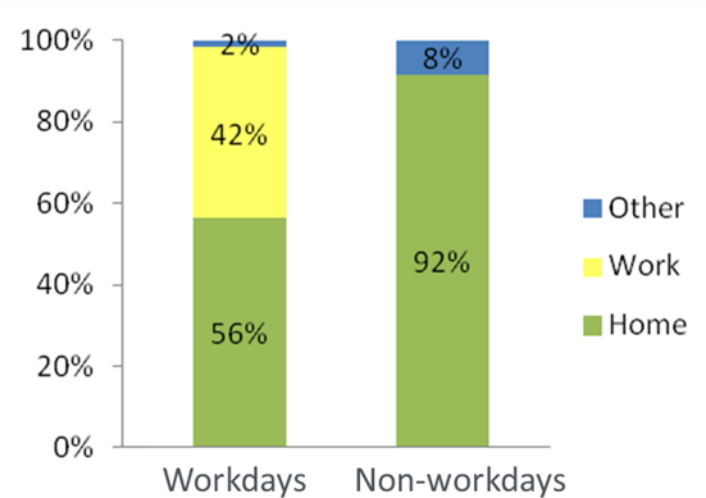
# The workplace is utilized as prime charging opportunity

Overall Charging Frequency by Location (to scale)

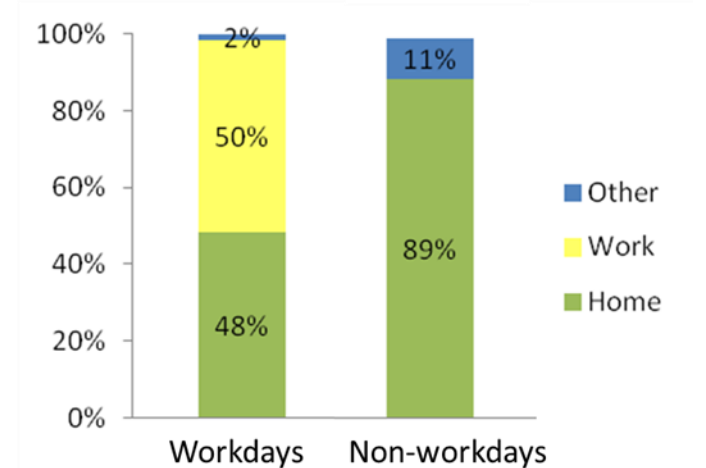


**Nissan Leaf**

Percent of Charging Events by Location and Day



**Chevrolet Volt**



# Workplace charging benefits employees and employers

## Employee Benefits

- Increase range confidence by filling an infrastructure gap
- Increase electric vehicle miles traveled
- Increase PEV awareness and understanding
- Provide a primary charge point for multi-unit/urban dwellers

## Employer Benefits

- Incentivize employees
- Complement sustainability efforts
- Signal corporate leadership



# Bottom line: workplace charging = more PEVs

An employee with access to workplace charging is **20x more likely** to drive electric than the average worker.





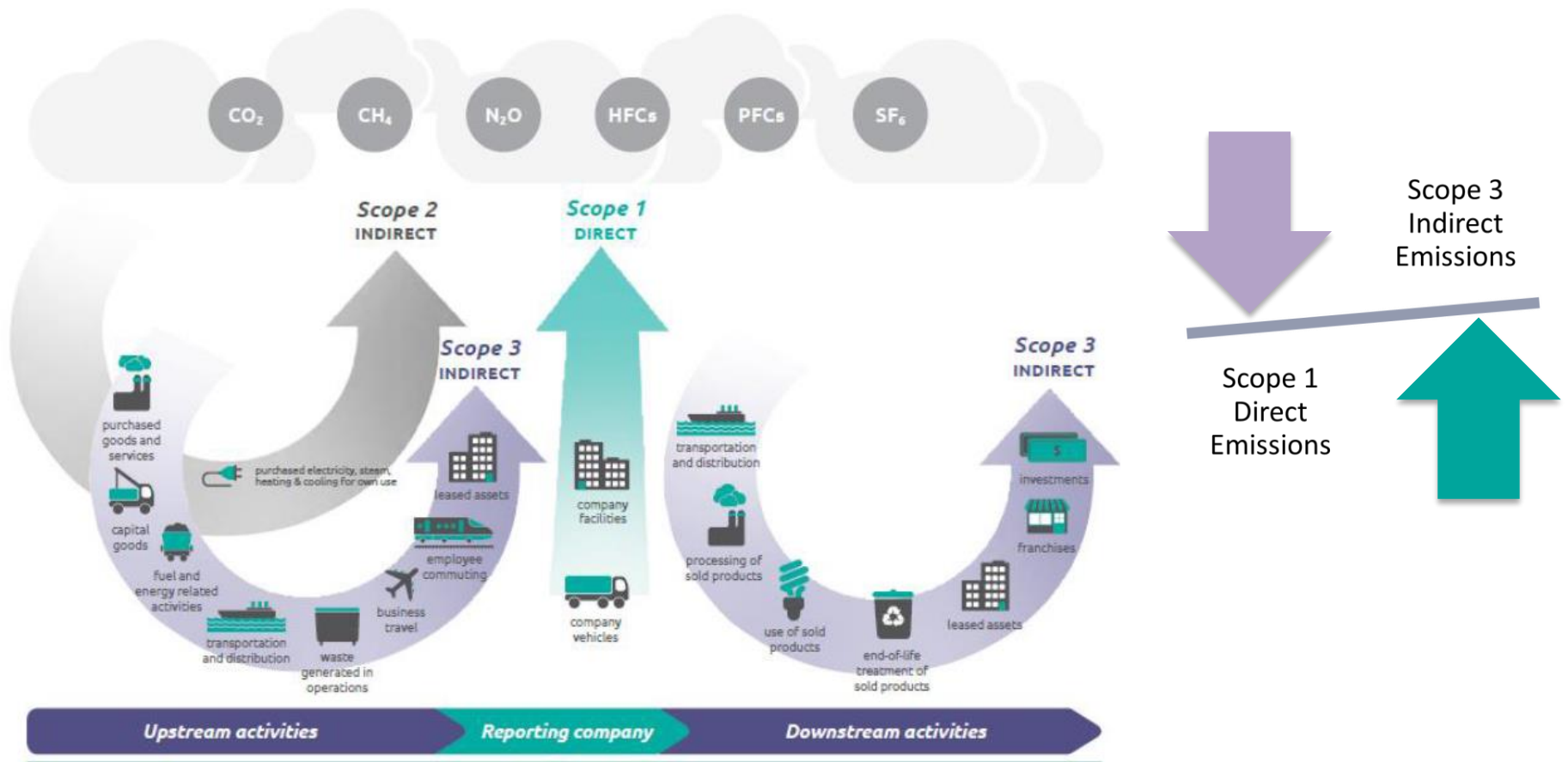


How do the goals of workplace charging fit with the goals of building efficiency?

Does workplace charging increase the energy efficiency of my building?

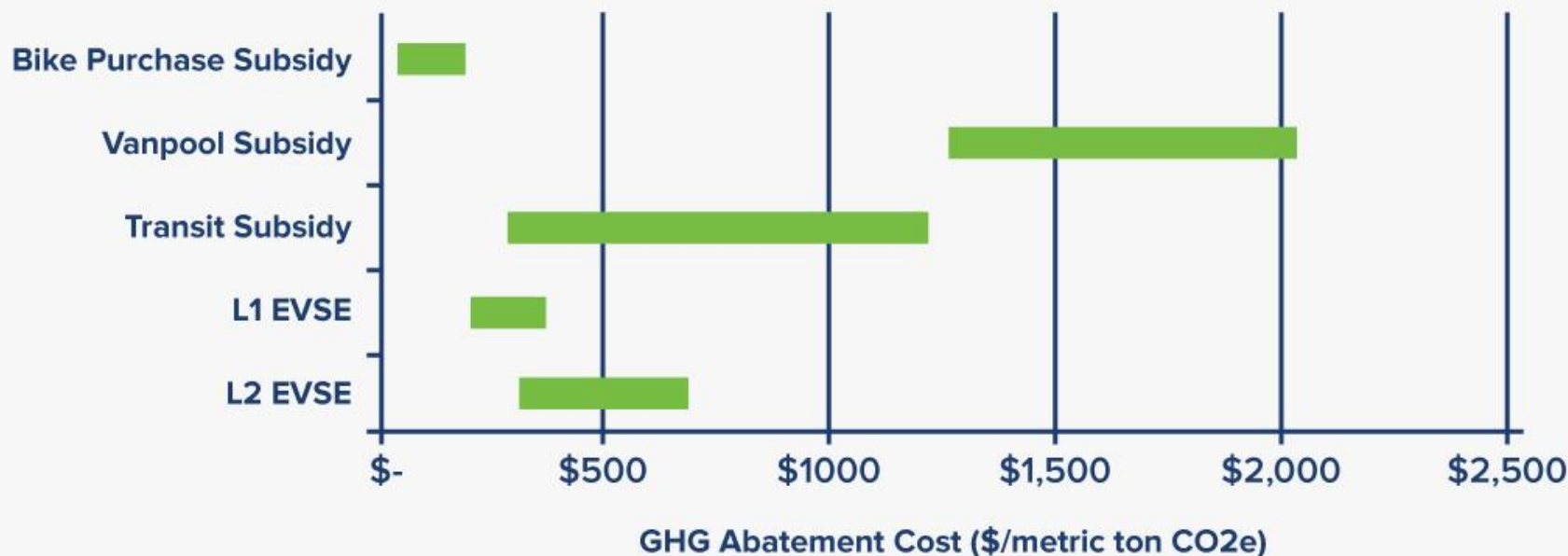


# Where does workplace charging fit in GHG accounting?

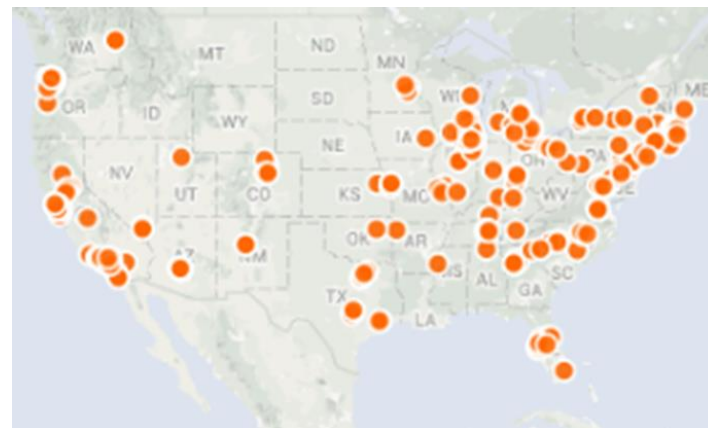
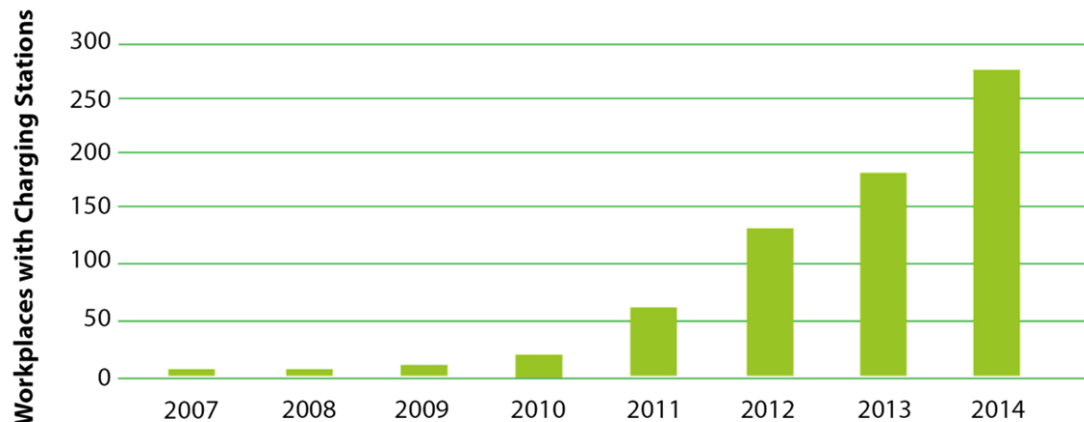


# How does workplace charging compare to other ways of reducing GHG from employee commutes?

## GHG Abatement Costs for Various Subsidized Sustainable Commuting Options



# Goal: Increase the number of employers offering charging by tenfold by 2018 (500 partners)

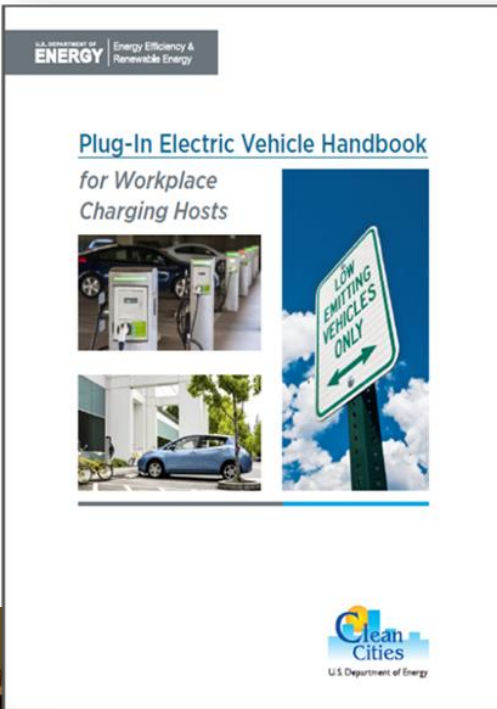


**195+** Partner employers committing to provide employee EVSE  
**3,500+** EVSE installed or planned  
**350+** Worksites

# Snapshot of 195+ partners



# DOE provides tech assistance, best-practice sharing forum & recognition



- Employer Resources
- Employee Outreach Toolkit
- Webinars
- Workshops
- Quarterly Newsletters
- One-on-One Technical Assistance



# Key Resource Highlights

[www.electricvehicles.energy.gov](http://www.electricvehicles.energy.gov)

## Install & Manage Workplace Charging

- ✓ Assess demand with sample employee survey
- ✓ EVSE incentive database and equipment guides
- ✓ Sample Request for Proposal
- ✓ Workplace-focused guidance on ADA and signage
- ✓ Employer-informed resources on program administration, registration, liability, pricing and station-sharing policy

## Promote Workplace Charging

- ✓ Employee outreach toolkit
- ✓ Workplace Ride & Drive guide
- ✓ Vehicle cost and emissions calculators and Find a Car tool





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# Plug-in Vehicle Charging at VEIC

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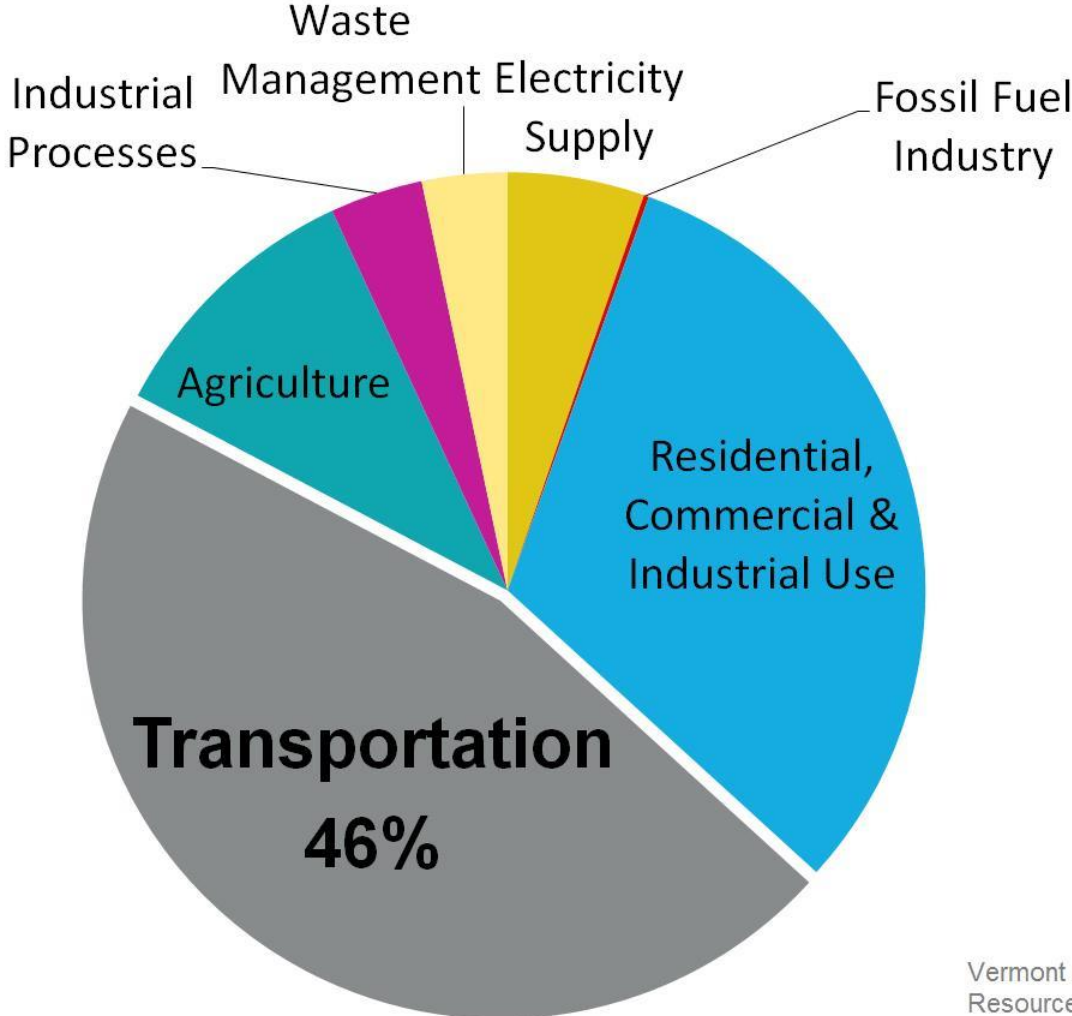
# About VEIC



- Mission driven non-profit
- Energy efficiency & renewable energy programs
- 350+ employees
- Locations: VT, DC, NJ, OH
- [www.veic.org](http://www.veic.org)

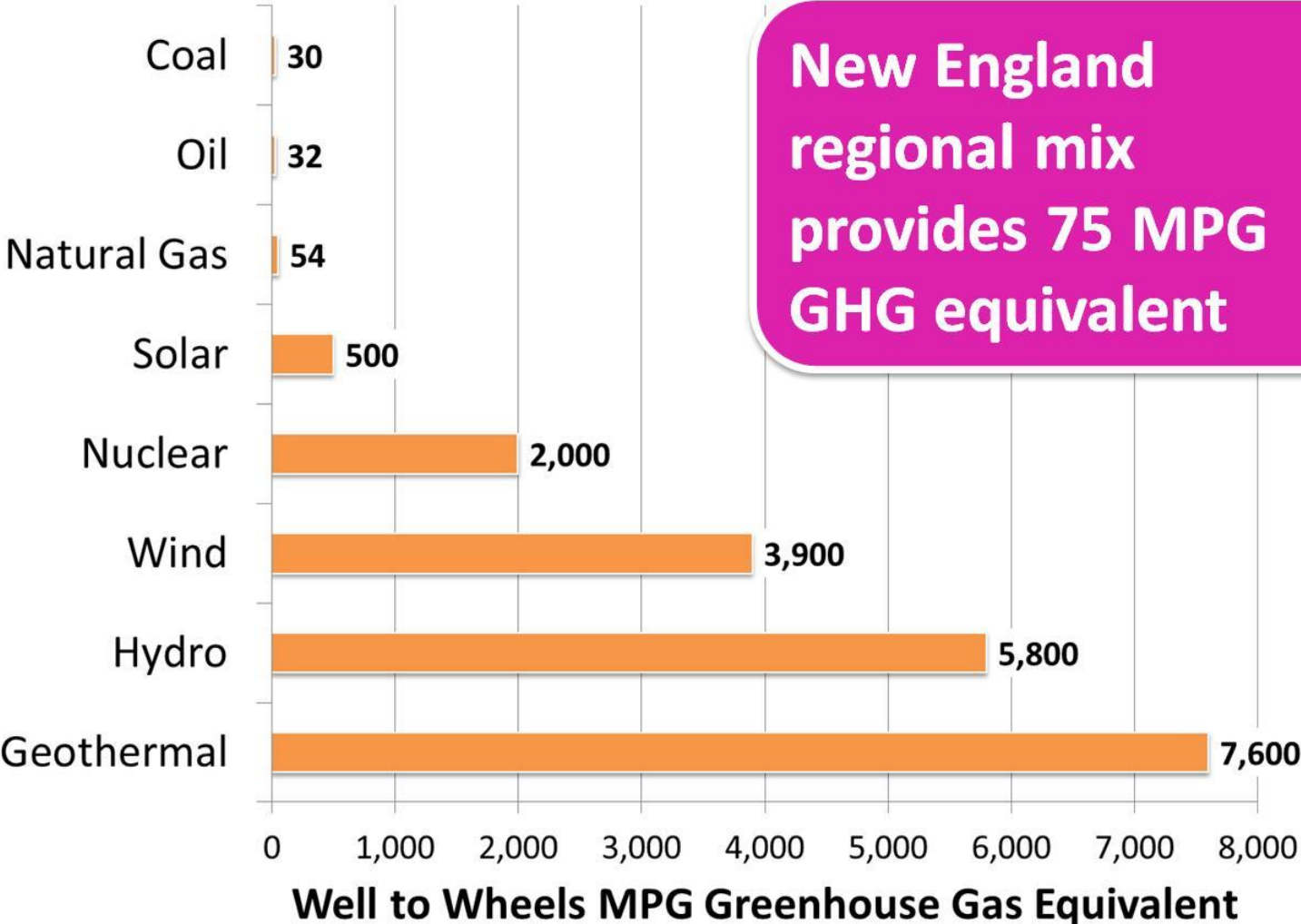


# Vermont Greenhouse Gas Emissions



Vermont Agency of Natural Resources, 2013

# Electric Vehicle Greenhouse Gas Emissions



# VEIC Workplace Charging Infrastructure



# Why Workplace Charging?

**Drive**  
**Electric**  
**Vermont**

A public-private partnership working to increase the use of electrified transportation in Vermont

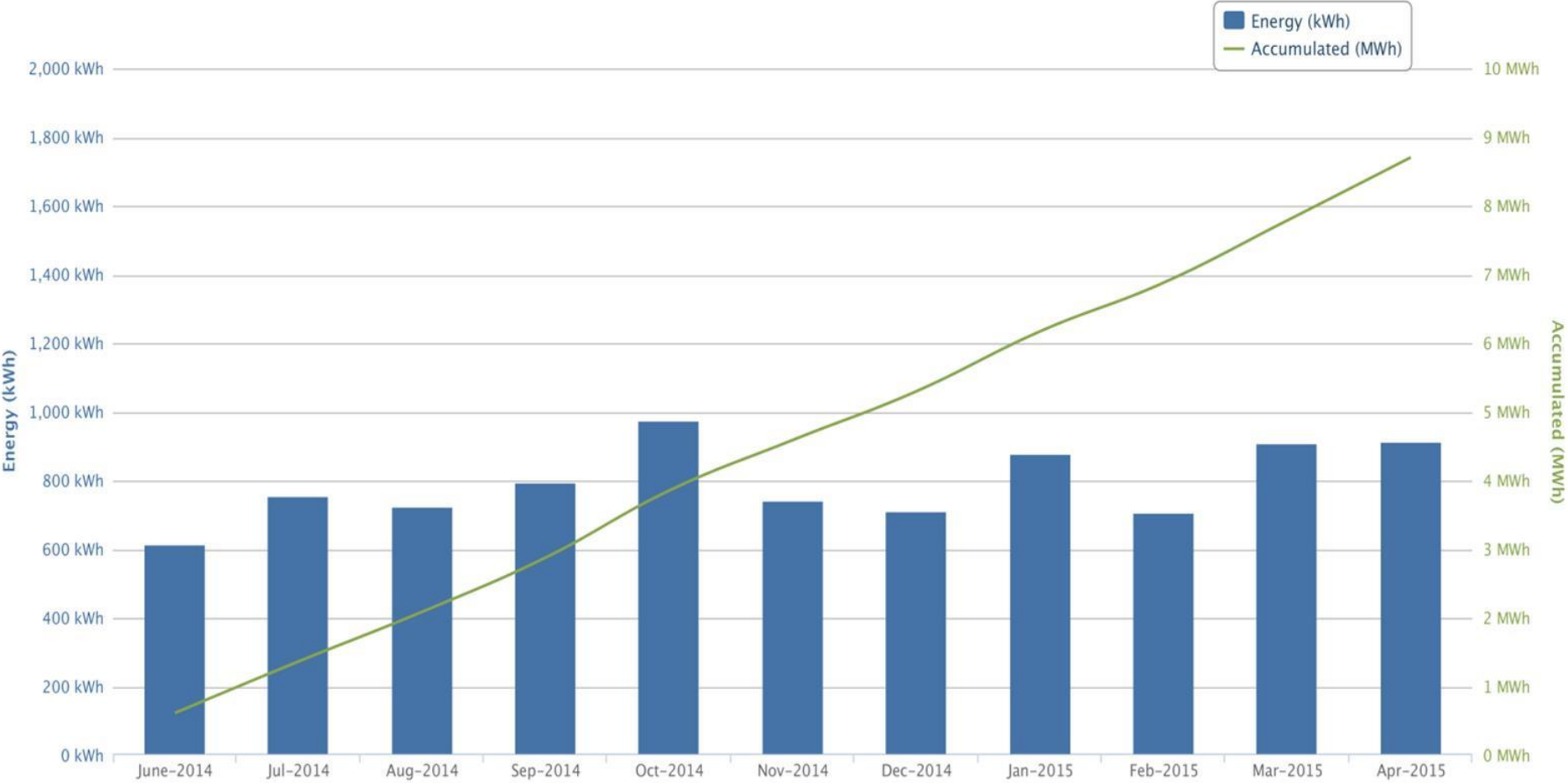


# Procurement and Installation





# Use and Management



# Promotion





# Discussion

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# Workplace Charging Challenge Partner

How to Drive Change with Workplace Charging

Darrel Carter, Real Estate Manager

# Sprint Telecommunications

Highest ranked US Wireless provider, CDP Leadership Index



## Third largest US wireless co.

- 55 million customers
- Individual, business, M2M

## World HQ Overland Park, KS

- 200 Acre facility
- 3.9M SF office space
- 14 Parking garages
- 15 EV Charging Stations
- 2 Cafeterias
- Campus amenities

>30,000 employees nationwide

>2,000 Facilities managed by SRE

- Commercial, Retail, IT

# Commitment to Sustainability

## Corporate goals provide framework for EV program

### Sprint's 2017 Environmental Goals

Good business, Good corporate citizen

**20%** of greenhouse gas emissions eliminated

**10%** of Sprint's total electricity secured from renewable sources

**90%** of suppliers comply with environmental standards

**70%** of Sprint devices will meet environmental scorecard criteria

**90%** device collection rate or reuse and recycling achieved

**30%** reduction of operational waste sent to landfills

**100%** of Network and IT e-waste sent for reuse or recycle

**40%** reduction in paper purchased



**Sprint is dedicated to helping our employees select greener forms of commuting to work by encouraging the use of alternative transportation including;**

- Carpooling
- Mass transit
- Biking and walking
- Hybrid or electric vehicles

### **Sprint's EV Charging Program**

15 dual port EV stations

30+ EV drivers per month

Averaging 300 charges per month

# Why Workplace Charging?

**Change often starts from the top.**

**That's why Sprint publicly advocates for strong climate policies and renewable energy expansion in high profile forums.**

Announcement Feb. 2014, NASCAR Sprint Broadband Technology  
Partner with ChargePoint for M2M support

## **Sprint's Program Participation and Awards:**

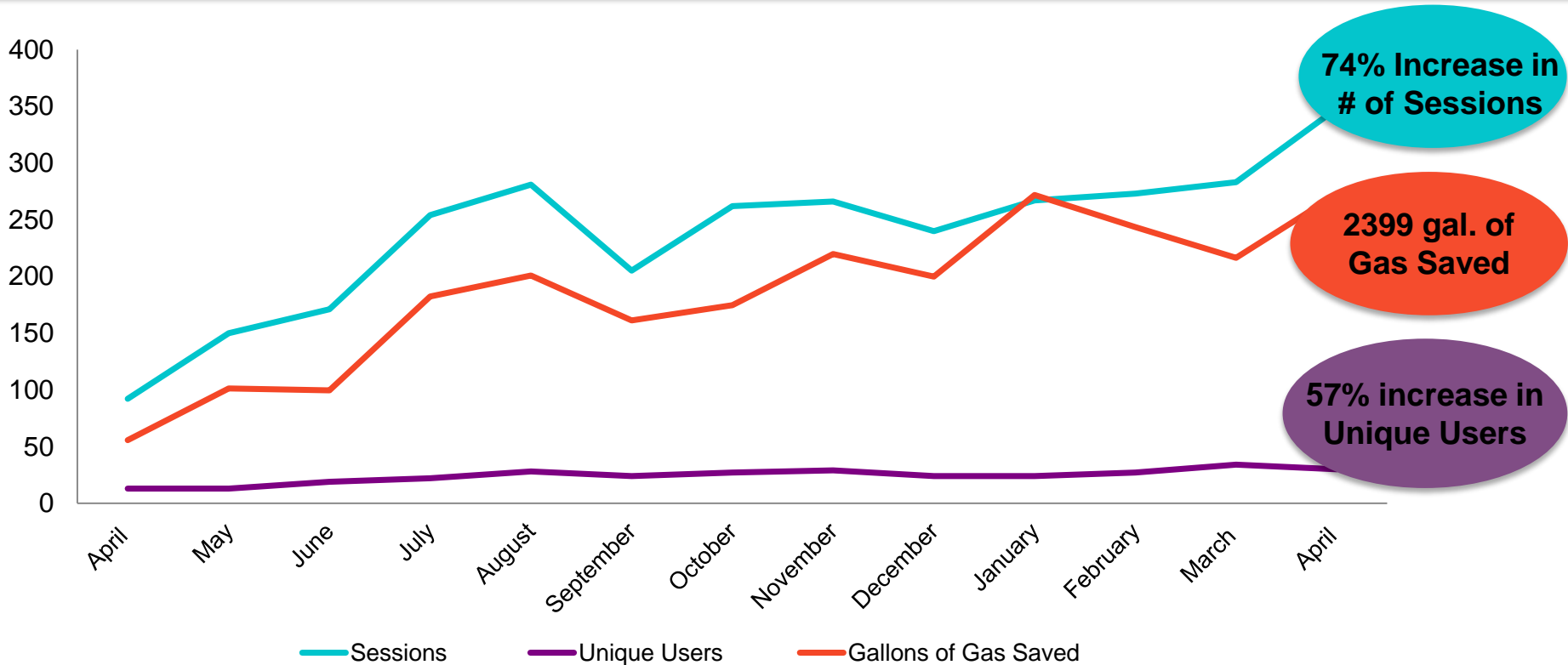


- DOE Better Buildings Challenge
- DOE Workplace Charging Challenge
- USGBC LEED
- Carbon Disclosure Project
- Global Reporting Initiative
- Dow Jones Sustainability Index
- Newsweek Magazine Green Rankings
- EPA Electronics Recycling
- EPA Waste Wise
- Energy Star Portfolio Manager



# Goals, milestones

Were goals set/met? Biggest challenges encountered?



**Goals:** Following CEO directive

**Challenges:** Communication for program growth

**April 2013**

Sessions: **92**

Unique Users: **13**

**April 2014**

Sessions: **348**

Unique Users: **30**



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# Procurement & Installation

Funded by Sprint Real Estate\* – Building Operations  
CBRE Managed vendor installation



## Opportunities

- Sprint backhaul
- KCP&L rebate

## Challenges

- Federal ADA guidelines
- Funding for expansion

*\*4 units funded by local utility company*



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# Management & Policy

Sprint + ChargePoint model is flexible, adaptive



**Pull Up,  
Plug In,  
Recharge.**  
Rethink the way you travel.

Visit one of the new charging stations now available on campus to recharge your electric vehicle.

*Brought to you by Sprint Real Estate*

All stations are open, free and visible on CP portal

Future models may use incentivized pricing

Users can sign up for text alerts via ChargePoint

EV Etiquette using QR Code delivery

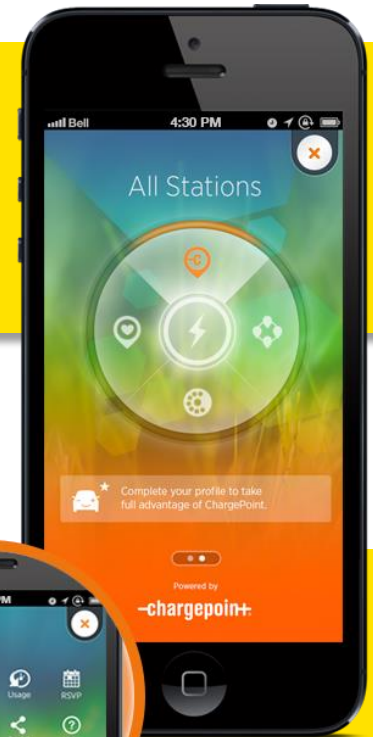
# Promotion of Program

**Build it and they will come. Fingers crossed.**

## Employee communication:

- Door fliers, lobby monitors
- Intranet article
- Sprint iCommuter web site
- Ride-n-Drive TBD

**Sprint Campus  
EV Charge Station  
Etiquette**



## External recognition

- KC Regional Clean Cities panel member
- Today's invitation – thank you!

# Future Plans/Results

**Will Sprint expand availability at more locations?**

**Sprint continues to provide leadership in environmental sustainability**

## **EV Charging Program Expansion:**

A 25 point evaluation matrix was developed to help determine the feasibility of Sprint's EV program expansion.

### **Matrix criteria includes:**

- Head Count
- Lease vs. owned facility
- Employee demand
- EV sales volume
- Access to power supply



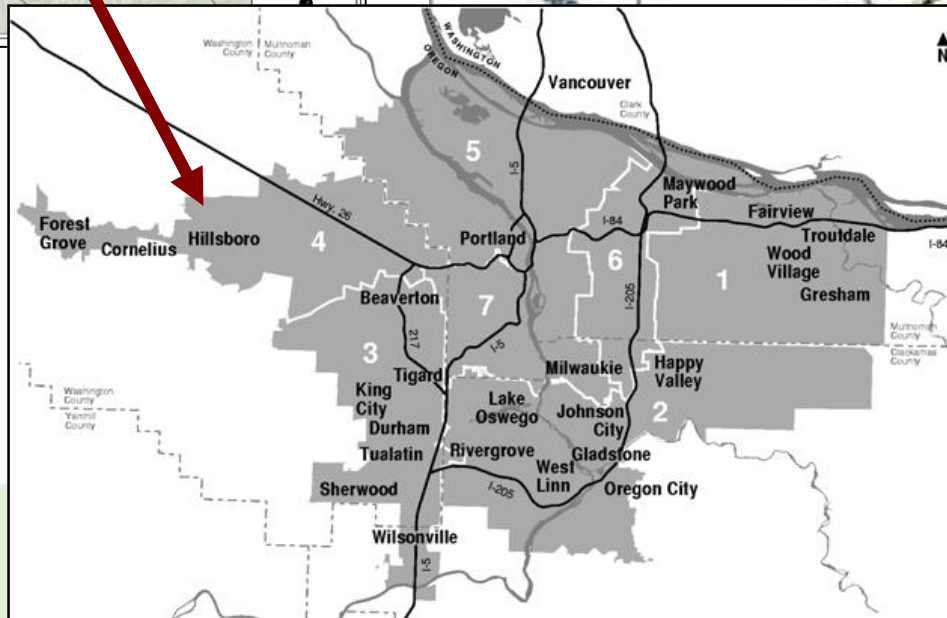
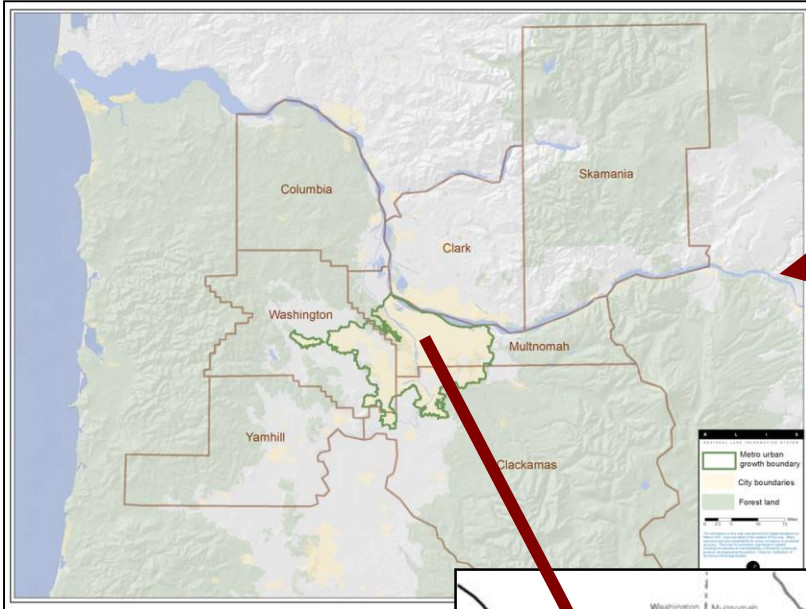
# Driving Change with Workplace Charging

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Peter Brandom, Senior Project Manager



# Hillsboro, Oregon



# City of Hillsboro Overview

- 13 departments
  - 800 employees
  - 60 facilities
  - 400 vehicles
  - 4,000 streetlights
  - 30 City-maintained traffic intersections
  - Water treatment and distribution
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- ❖ 565,722 total sq ft
  - ❖ 475,000 sq ft in BBC
  - ❖ 200+ kW on-site renewables
  - ❖ 35 City-installed electric vehicle charging stations



# 2030 Sustainability Goals – City Operations

## Materials management:

- Achieve a rate of construction material consumption that meets internal standards for sustainability
- 100% of all inputs purchased by the City are sourced from sustainable sources or meet internally established criteria (e.g., zero waste, zero toxins) where technologically and financially feasible
- Zero toxic emissions
- 100% recycling of waste from City operations
- Zero construction and maintenance waste (no waste from construction and maintenance activities is sent to landfill). May be accomplished via public/private partnerships

## Policy:

- 100% of City development investments meet a standard set for sustainable development, and City promotes and encourages sustainable development by others
- 100% of applicable City policies incorporate the principles of sustainability
- All city facilities constructed or renovated shall meet current Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) standards or equivalent, unless cost prohibitive based on Return on Investment (ROI) or cost/benefit

## Energy and air quality:

- 60% reduced City facility energy consumption per square foot (2007 baseline)
- 100% of electricity and natural gas sourced from renewable sources for City facilities and exterior lighting infrastructure
- 80% reduction in greenhouse gas emissions; 100% of remaining emissions offset (2007 baseline)
- 80% production of energy for City facilities from renewable energy sources
- **100% fossil fuel-free staff vehicles and 40% reduction for other exempt vehicles (non-passenger emergency response, etc.) [Based on available technologies and cost effectiveness] (2007 baseline)**
- All City facilities zero net energy consumption, if feasible based on Return on Investment (ROI) or cost/benefit analysis

## Natural Resources:

- 25% reduction in water consumption by City facilities against established baseline (including re-use and other measures) (2007 baseline)



# History – EVs in Hillsboro

- First private employer stations installed ~2008
- First City-installed unit 2009
- 17 City units by 2011
- 35 City units 2014 (5 fleet)
- ~50 City-wide public units, including 4 DCFCs
- ½ Coulomb, ½ Blink/other



# Hillsboro Workplace Charging

- Demand still low, <5 employees
- More vehicle options every day



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- More vehicle options every day



# Workplace Charging Evolution

- Invited to join Workplace Charging Challenge
- Additional capacity and policy decisions already in process
- Looking toward future needs, driving EV adoption
- City EVs helping to generate interest, provide experience to employees



# Workplace Charging Evolution

- Estimate for employee lot completed
- General policy identified



# Workplace Charging Evolution

- Given current demand, not immediate need for new units
- Will develop additional capacity when needed



# Thank You

*“The City of Hillsboro envisions a sustainable future, in which the City responsibly satisfies the needs of its citizens, provides a healthy and satisfying work environment for its employees and minimizes its impact on the physical environment of the community”*

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