

How Minnesota Can Prepare for and Use Federal EV Funds

June 7, 12-3pm CT

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How can Minnesota most effectively use its portion of EV charging formula funds from the federal Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) as part of the \$5 billion for the build-out of a nationwide EV charging network along primary interstate corridors? Join us as a diverse array of stakeholders discuss how Minnesotans can help shape the MN State EV Infrastructure Deployment Plan, and how access to EVs can grow throughout Greater MN as a result. Expert presenters will also cover other IIJA opportunities for Minnesota: Billions in competitive grants are on the table for states for additional EV charging station grants including disadvantaged communities, tribal, and rural areas. Additional large investments will be made in electric school buses, transit, and battery processing, manufacturing, and recycling grants. This free webinar is geared towards those interested in applying for federal funds and what those funds should do. Legislators, legislative staff, agency staff, regulators, and others in the advocacy community can also benefit from the discussion.

12:00	Welcome	Tim Sexton / Wendall Meyer Rep. Jamie Long / Sen Senjem	MnDOT / FHWA / MN House / MN Senate
12:08	Global EV Opportunity	Corey Cantor	Bloomberg New Energy Finance
12:17	Keynotes	Nancy Daubenberger and Andrew Wishnia	MnDOT Commissioner and USDOT
12:32	MN State EV Infrastructure Deployment Plan for Priority Corridors	Diane Turchetta and Siri Simons	Joint Office of Energy and Transportation / MnDOT
12:52	Rural and Underserved EV Charging Opportunities	Alex Clegg and MK Anderson	USDOT / Fresh Energy
1:02	Corridor Charging Best Practices – Consumer Perspective	Dean Taylor	Plug In America
1:11	Break		
1:16	Corridor Charging Station Implementers Panel Moderated by Joel Levin, Plug In America with Q&A	Siri Simons Tony Fischer Will Stein Lise Trudeau Tandy Dilworth Robert Blake Stacy O'Rourke Alex Beaton Rebecca Place Tim Gross	MnDOT Met Council MN Federal Highways MN Energy Office Xcel Energy Native Sun Rural City: Pine City MN EVgo MN Pollution Control Agency MN Petroleum Marketers Assoc.
2:02	EV Charging, Transit, School Buses Batteries for MN in Federal funds	Moaz Uddin	Drive Electric MN
2:09	Break		
2:14	Break-out Sessions on MN opportunities	Rural corridor charging Urban corridor charging Community charging School buses, transit, battery manufacturing/ recycling	
2:56	Next Steps and Future Events	Pete Chipman, Moaz Uddin, Dean Taylor, Alexia Melendez Martineau	Plug In America and Drive Electric MN
3:00	Adjourn		

