

Eastern Regional Meeting on State Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure Planning

DRAFT Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, December 9, 2025

8:30am-9:15am

Continental Breakfast (sponsored by Electrify America)

9:15am-9:45am

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Speakers:

- NASEO and AASHTO leadership
- DOE/Joint Office/DOT leadership (if available)
- Hosting state opening remarks

9:45am-11:00am

Setting the Stage: State EV Charging Infrastructure Round-Robin

States in the region will provide a 5–10-minute overview of EV charging infrastructure buildout in their state, including an overview of state alternative fueling infrastructure incentive programs; EV registrations and projected growth of transportation electrification; state transportation electrification goals or supportive policies, and a preview of upcoming projects, milestones, or major challenges pertaining to transportation electrification and development of infrastructure for other alternative fuels.

11:00am-11:15am

Networking Break

11:15am-12:15pm

Improving Charger Reliability and User Experience through Program Design, Data, and Reporting

During this session, the speakers will share best practices and lessons learned on collecting EV charging station data from grant recipients to ensure charging stations are adhering to program requirements and providing reliable charging to EV drivers daily. The speakers will also address how they are approaching data collection from existing EV charging stations that contribute to their FHWA designated fully built-out alternative fuel corridors.

12:15pm-1:00pm

Lunch (sponsored by Kittelson & Associates)

1:00pm – 1:45 p.m.

Building a Skilled Workforce to Install and Maintain EV Charging Infrastructure: How State Energy Offices and State Departments of Transportation Can Coordinate with Technical and Community Colleges to Support Technician Training and Certification

State Energy Offices and State Departments of Transportation play a critical role in planning for widespread EV adoption. Part of these planning efforts include building a skilled workforce that can install EV charging infrastructure and provide timely maintenance and repairs. States across the country are partnering with technical and community colleges and EV industry stakeholders to develop EV charging technician curriculum. This session will highlight successful examples of how states are leveraging federal and state funds to support EV charging technician programs, as well as additional alternative fuel workforce development needs.

1:45pm-3:00pm

Community Charging: How States are Supporting Level 2 Charging in Communities, Multi-Family Housing, and Workplaces

In recent years, historic levels of investment have been made in DCFC along corridors to enable long-distance travel for EV drivers; however, there are still great opportunities for states to support Level 2 charging, which can often be deployed more quickly and at a lower cost than DCFC. During this session, states will discuss the latest NEVI guidance as it applies to Level 2 charging and will share how they are leveraging federal and state dollars for this type of charging infrastructure in communities and off the corridors. States will also share best practices with hardware selection, permitting, siting, leveraging the public right-of-way, and coordinating with local governments.

3:00pm-3:15pm

Networking Break

3:15pm-4:30pm

Medium and Heavy-Duty Charging: How States Can Plan for and Support Charging for Medium- and Heavy-Duty Vehicles

States across the country are making substantial progress in supporting charging infrastructure for medium- and heavy-duty vehicles, including electric school buses, transit buses, delivery vans, and freight trucks. States will share how they are coordinating with utilities, major fleets, EV charging providers, and other stakeholders to support charging infrastructure for medium and heavy-duty EVs including fleet technical advisory services, vehicle and charging equipment incentives, and other technical assistance.

4:30pm-5:00pm

Debrief and Preview Tomorrow's Utility Discussion

5:30pm-6:30pm

Networking Reception (sponsored by Voltera)

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8:00am-8:30am

Breakfast (sponsored by Electrify America)

8:30am-9:30am

Regional Coordination on EV Charging Planning and Investment

With corridors crossing state borders and many private sector companies investing in multiple states, states are increasingly coordinating with their neighbors to scale best practices and intentionally plan together. Regional coordination between State Energy Offices, State DOTs, State Public Utility Commissions, utilities, and other key stakeholders is critical for ensuring strategic investments and streamlined processes for industry partners, as well as power availability to meet the increased electricity demand anticipated throughout the region. Coalitions of states have emerged and evolved to tackle region-specific priorities and challenges. Speakers will share best practices from regional collaboratives to date and discuss opportunities for enhanced coordination moving forward. This session may also include a presentation from a state outside the region to explore broader best practices and collaboration opportunities.

9:30am-10:00am

Grab Bag Session

This session is reserved for region-specific priorities not addressed elsewhere in the agenda. Participants will be polled in advance (during registration) for priority topics, which will then be

discussed in person, either via group discussion, mini breakouts, or live polls for each, depending on the venue and number of topics identified.

10:00am -10:15am

Networking Break

10:15am-11:45am

Roundtable Discussion: State-Utility Coordination on Transportation Electrification Planning

States will engage in an open dialogue with a handful of utility representatives from their regions to delve deeper into short, medium, and long-term grid planning to support increased electrification. Topics may include best practices in coordination, data sharing, utility programs to minimize grid impacts, flexible interconnection programs, integrating local energy assets with the grid, etc.

11:45am-12:00pm

Closing Remarks

NASEO, AASHTO, JOET, DOE, and/or DOT will summarize key takeaways from the meeting and discuss next steps.

12:00pm

Adjourn