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# ELECTRIC VEHICLES IN NJ

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# THE CURRENT EV LANDSCAPE

# NEW JERSEY'S EV LAW

Was passed with bipartisan support and signed into law by Governor Murphy in January 2020

- More EVs on the road
- Increase in publicly accessible charging infrastructure
- Electrification of fleets
- EV rebate program



- 330,000 Plug-In EVs by 2025
- 2 Million Plug-In EVs by **2035**
- 85% of vehicles sold/leased shall be Plug-In EVs by 2040

As of December 2020, there were 41,000 EVs registered in New Jersey.

## MORE EVS ON THE ROAD

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- 400 DC Fast Chargers (of at least 150 kW) in at least 200 locations by 2025
- I,000 Level 2 Chargers by 2025

	CURRENT	GOAL
<b>Compliant</b> Level 2 Charging stations	439	١,000
DC Fast Charging station locations	65	x
<b>Compliant</b> DC Fast Charging stations locations	6*	200

\*Recently awarded DEP grants will have 27 additional charging station locations on the road.

INCREASE IN PUBLICLY ACCESSIBLE CHARGING INFRASTRUCTURE



- 25% of State-Owned Non-Emergency Light Duty Vehicles shall be Plug-In EVs by 2025
  - I 00% by 2035
- 10% of new bus purchases by NJTRANSIT shall be Zero Emission Buses by 2024
  - 50% by 2026
  - I 00% by 2032

# ELECTRIFICATION OF FLEETS



- First year of program, \$30 Million was used up in short timeframe
- Rebate program has been paused since late 2020, and will be reopening July

## EV REBATE PROGRAM

- New legislation introduced (A2108;A5032/S3223)
  - EVSE or EV-ready infrastructure will be considered **permitted accessory use** in all zones, will not require a variance, and will not be subject to site plan or other land use board review.
  - Sets requirements for parking lot/garage developments to install EVSE and EV-ready infrastructure in a certain percentage of parking spaces, with the requirements increasing over time as the market develops
  - Will require municipalities to adopt a uniform minimum requirements ordinance, in line with a model ordinance issued by DCA

# **EV ORDINANCES**

- DEP It Pays to Plug In Program (charging stations & municipal vehicles)
- BPU Municipal fleet vehicle and charging program (open until May 30<sup>th</sup>)
- NJ Utilities EV programs

# FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES