

# Notice of Public Workshop and Series

August 4, 2021

## Docket No. UM 2165 – Transportation Electrification Investment Framework

### **Notice of Public Workshop**

Staff would like to invite stakeholders to attend the fourth in a series of public workshops on **Monday, August 9 from 2:00 – 4:00 PM** to inform development of a Transportation Electrification (TE) Investment Framework.

Date: August 9, 2021

Time: 2 PM – 4 PM Pacific Time

Access: Join the **Zoom meeting online** OR

Join by phone:

Call (971) 247-1195

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#### **Purpose of Workshop**

In Order No. 21-026, the Commission directed Staff to develop a holistic TE "investment framework" to meet the goals set forth in Executive Order 20-04. At the August 9 workshop, a state panel of TE program leaders will present their activities and goals. We'll hear about key TE-related programs at the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, Forth, Oregon Department of Transportation, and Oregon Department of Energy.

#### **Schedule for Public Workshop Series**

Please hold the date for these upcoming workshops:

Workshop Topic	Date	Time
Workshop 4: State panel on TE	Monday, August 9	2:00 – 4:00 PM
programs and priorities —		
discussion with representatives		
from state agencies and Forth,		
Clean Fuels Program backstop		
aggregator, on priorities and		
vision for TE in Oregon		
Workshop 5: Discussion of new TE	Friday, August 27	2:00 – 4:00 PM
legislation and integrating within		
the TE investment framework		

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investigation, Staff will review HB		
2165 and HB 3055 and discuss		
with stakeholders coordinating bill		
implementation and TE planning.		
Workshop 6: Equity — discussion	Wednesday, September 15	9:00 – 11:00 AM
of focusing TE portfolios to better		
address underserved communities		
and equity goals		
Workshop 7:	Wednesday, September 29	9:00 – 11:00 AM
Workshop 8:	Wednesday, October 20	9:00 – 11:00 AM

#### **Past Workshops Presentations and Video**

Workshop 1, May 26, 2021: Review of	Workshop Presentations
current regulatory tools for TE investments,	Watch Video
gaps, and stakeholder feedback	
Workshop 2, June 30: Approaches to cost-	Workshop Presentations
benefit analysis including discussion of	Watch Video
methodologies and regulatory approaches	
from other states	
Workshop 3, July 28: Portfolio analysis —	Workshop Presentations
presentations and discussion of approaches to	Video Available Soon
analyzing utility TE investments as a whole	

### **Background**

Executive Order 20-04 directed the Oregon Public Utility Commission to "encourage electric companies to support transportation electrification infrastructure that supports GHG reductions, helps achieve the transportation electrification goals set forth in Senate Bill 1044, and is reasonably expected to result in long-term benefit to customers."

Staff responded with a work plan to conduct research and suggest policies that establish the foundations of a new framework for utilities and stakeholders to guide future TE investments. The process will result in a draft TE investment framework by December 2021, developed through a collaborative process. The resulting product will have a broad scope designed to improve the PUC's TE planning guidelines and program requirements, streamline utility processes, and clarify cost-recovery criteria. The draft framework will synchronize with TE Plan filings.

#### **Staff Contacts**

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