

# News Flash

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## CleanTech Meetup, Thursday: "Charging"



California leads the nation in EV adoption targets, with a supportive and aggressive goal of installing 250,000 Level 2 chargers by 2025. SMUD has been busy installing chargers, encouraging consumer adoption, and preparing for an all electric future.

This is the right time to join us for an in-depth discussion on EV charging.

Date: Thursday, March 23, 2023

Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Where: California Mobility Center, 15 Business Park Way, Suite 119, Sacramento, CA

**Register Today!** 

## Show Your PEV at our 6th ECOS Earth Day Event



There are over 72,000 EVs in the Sacramento region and we're just getting started.

Join us at the Drive Electric Earth Day, Sunday April 23. If you are an EV owner, register with your EV so you can share your family's electric driving experience. Our communities have so many questions about charging, costs, maintenance, ease of driving and more.

People like to hear the real scoop about EV ownership from actual owners instead of sales reps.

If you can't show an EV, we still need you help to run the EVent; sign up as a <u>volunteer</u> and help us to make this event a success.

This is a full size **Earth Day Event**. In addition to the plug-in electric cars, you'll find local art and a variety of fun activities to enjoy for the whole family, including live music, interactive educational games and a children's area. ECOS will host several food vendors also serving a range of plant-based (vegan) cuisine options.

Help us make a real difference in the Sacramento region. For more information or to register, go <u>here</u>.





## **Upcoming Webinars**



SacEV brings you a list of upcoming EV related presentations. In case you missed one, we've added pointers to the recordings. You can also find this list on the SacEV.org website **HERE**.

#### Join the National Electric Vehicle Association



When you join other SacEV members as national Electric Vehicle Association members, you are part of the national grass-roots community advocating for EVs in the USA. The national EVA is critically important to SacEV as it handles our administrative chores (tax filings, non-profit status, banking service, insurance, legal help, etc.) and provides value, such as webinars and the two nationwide events: National Drive Electric Week and Drive Electric Earth Day.

Your SacEV leadership team relies on these services, so we encourage you to join the national organization for the small sum of \$35 annually. You will also be able to keep current with the latest developments in the rapidly changing world of electric vehicles in our regular Current Events e-blog.

#### What else do you get?

- Low Interest Loans: The EVA has partnered with a credit union to offer members low-interest loans on electric vehicles, solar, and electric bikes.
- Battery Health Reports from Recurrent Auto: The EVA is working with Recurrent to better
  understand battery degradation and range loss, particularly for used electric cars. Contribute to
  this initiative by signing up for free monthly battery reports to share anonymous battery data.
  For each new EV, Recurrent is donating \$10 to the EVA so we can expand and enhance our
  programming.
- **BlueDot:** EVA members are eligible for \$10 off your first charge + \$0.30/kWh charging all time on the Bluedot network. Contact <a href="mailto:membership@myeva.org">membership@myeva.org</a> and ask for the bluedot code!
- Neocharge: \$125 off NeoCharge Smart Splitter. Contact <a href="membership@myeva.org">membership@myeva.org</a> and ask for the NeoCharge code!
- Networking Opportunities: Networking with EV advocates at events is just one of the many benefits of becoming a member. Join one of our committees to use your skills to make an impact.
- **Educational Opportunities:** The EVA offers ongoing virtual meetings, resources, and more including our EV Educate Certificate Program and EV blog.
- **Benefits to SacEV:** SacEV receives a portion of your membership fee to help fund the work you do in our community.

Your membership provides value to you, our local SacEV chapter, and you become a member of this critical national movement. **Please join <u>NOW</u>**. You may also send a check payable to the Electric Vehicle Association, c/o Guy Hall, 8325 Walden Woods Way, Granite Bay, CA 95746.

#### **More SacEV Events Are Coming Up**

Check the <u>SacEV calendar</u> for the latest EV-related activities.

If you've missed a Newsletter and for more information about the Sacramento Electric Auto
Association visit our website.







