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Electric Vehicle Charging Association Praises Passage of Electric Vehicle Incentives and Encourages Swift Adoption of the Zero-Emission Vehicle (ZEV) Initiative

SACRAMENTO, CA—The Electric Vehicle Charging Association (EVCA) is pleased that the Assembly has passed the Cap and Trade Expenditure Plan that funds the state’s incentive program for purchasing electric vehicles (EVs) and expanding zero-emission vehicle (ZEV) infrastructure. EVCA prioritizes the expansion of clean transportation and an accompanying supportive infrastructure through collaboration with the private sector, utilities, other state agencies, drivers and other stakeholders to ensure investments are well coordinated.

“California is a national leader in EV policy,” said Jim Ross, the Director of EVCA. “We believe investing in clean transportation and clean energy infrastructure will continue to energize the economy and spur innovation to encourage widespread ZEV adoption and meet the state’s ZEV goals.”

The investments made by the Legislature will help push the state toward its 2023 statutory goal of 1 million ZEVs by allocating resources to:

- Clean Vehicle Rebate Program
- Hybrid and Zero-Emission Truck and Bus Voucher Incentive Project
- Enhanced Fleet Modernization Program & Clean Cars 4 All
- Freight Equipment Advanced Demonstration and Pilot Commercial Deployment Project
- Advanced and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program

While these investments are critical, we encourage the Legislature to adopt the Governor’s Zero-Emission Vehicle Initiative as quickly as possible in order to efficiently plan for and deploy EV Infrastructure and vehicles throughout California in order to meet our aggressive and noble goals.

Established in 2015, EVCA is a not-for-profit trade association that brings together leaders in the EV charging industry to educate policymakers, stakeholders and members of the public about the critical role of EV technology, infrastructure and services and to advocate for policies that will expand clean transportation. Current members are ABM, BTCPower, ChargePoint, Clean Fuel Connection, Inc., Envision Solar, EVBox, EV Connect, EVgo, SemaConnect, and Volta Charging.

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