



Making Electric Vehicles Affordable for Fleets

Public fleets are seeing huge benefits from the deployment of electric vehicles (EVs). By eliminating fuel consumption, EVs reduce costs to fleets, promote energy independence and help protect the environment. Although EVs are increasingly becoming a successful application for fleets, higher incremental costs, procurement processes, and insufficient charging infrastructure remain as critical barriers to adoption.

EV Smart Fleets seeks to address these barriers by aggregating state and local fleet purchases for EVs and charging stations through a multi-state aggregated EV solicitation and procurement agreement. **EV Smart Fleets** will leverage the purchasing volume of public fleets across the country in order to reduce vehicle and infrastructure costs, improve contract terms, provide access to a wider range of EV models, and expand access to charging infrastructure. This multi-state procurement will be issued and managed by the National Association of State Procurement Officials (NASPO) through its ValuePoint Program.



Get involved!

Let us know of your interest by signing up on our website (www.evsmartfleets.com) to receive updates on the procurement process. Share your fleet experience and expertise with us by completing this brief survey [here](#). We need your input to develop a procurement solicitation that will meet your needs.

How does it work?

EV Smart Fleets is comprised of a 16 state collaborative effort including an Automaker Advisory Council to develop the multi-state aggregated EV solicitation and procurement agreement that seeks to meet the needs of public fleets. Over the coming months, **EV Smart Fleets** will be engaging with state and local government fleet and procurement managers to solicit input for the development of a multi-state solicitation. The solicitation is expected to be finalized and issued by the NASPO through its Value Point Program in the summer of 2017.

Who can participate?

The **EV Smart Fleets** procurement will be open to all interested state, municipal, and other local government fleets.

The EV Smart Fleets Team

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