

REA EV Forum full member meeting slides

- *Meeting 12th April 2021*
- *1:30pm to 3:00pm GMT*

April 2021



Agenda

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1:30pm GMT meeting start

- Welcomes and introduction (REA and EV Forum Chair)
- REA Steering Group
- Motability presentation on their work classifying types of disability access to EV chargers
- REA EV Forum response to the Consumer Experience Consultation
- EVA England driver survey findings
- REA staffing update
- 2021 policy priority areas and key themes
- Grants (inc changes to the Onstreet Residential Chargepoint Fund) and Rapid Charging Fund update
- EV Energy Taskforce work groups update
- Papers – EV Homecharge Scheme, domestic DNO connections applications processes, and wayleaves

3:00pm meeting close



Welcomes and introductions

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Competition law statement

REA EV Forum Steering Group election outcomes

- Ian Johnston Osprey Charging Network
- Jerry Stokes - GRIDSERVE Sustainable Energy
- Clive Southwell - Enel X
- Robert Evans – Cenex
- Christian Hahn - Hubeject GmbH
- Pia Bretschneider – IONITY
- Tom Lusher – Drax
- Joel Teague - Co Charger Ltd



Motability presentation

Presentation from Motability by Catherine Marris on classifying disability types and EV charging



Consumer Experience consultation outputs - REA

Thank you to all members for submitting their views on the Consumer Experience at Public EV Chargepoints consultation!

Update on REA positions on debated points:

- AC charging and contactless
- RFID and access
- Roaming
- AC and DC metering
- Pricing transparency
- Data sharing

The full REA consultation response [can be found here](#).



Short presentation on the outputs of EVA England's survey of drivers



Update on REA staffing & discussion

Daniel Brown, REA Head of Transport will be leaving the REA on 14th April 2021. Jacob Roberts will step into the role of REA Transport Policy Manager in May 2021.



Topic areas and external documents targeted - 2021

REA key priority areas presently

- Consumer experience consultation – data, maintenance, roaming / access, and payment standardisation
- Wayleaves
- EVHS processes
- Competition and Markets Authority market study
 - Local authorities, building regulations, and Motorway Service Areas all are topic areas
- Domestic grid connections and processes
- Rapid Charging Fund
- EV Energy Taskforce
- Smart charging regulations
- Building regulations
- Interoperability and roaming
- Grants for infrastructure (generally)
- PAS 1878 and 1879
- Accessibility of public EVSE
- RTFO reform and eCredits (2022)

Key external documents being targeted

- EV Infrastructure Strategy (BEIS)
- EV Infrastructure Strategy (Ofgem)
- Rapid Charging Fund structure and governance
- £90m Local Authority Fund structure and Governance
- EV Energy Taskforce papers & v3 structure
- Automotive taskforce structure and governance
- EV Homecharge Scheme digitisation
- ENA MDA and notifications digitisation
- Local Authority funding, guidance, and strategy
- BSI committee setting up accessibility guidance & PAS
- Future smart charging governance structures & guidance document development bodies
- Future home charging installation & product certification governance structures and bodies
- Future roaming governance guidance body
- Future maintenance governance guidance body



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Other member issues

- VAT and taxation on public & home charging
- CA / CE marks
- Green Finance Institute and work on Government support for charging post grants
- Super Deductions – Treasury guidance and delivery
- RII02 for DNOs and incentives for grid upgrades
- Grid flexibility and procurement of flexibility services
- Co-location of assets, inc solar and storage
- Recyclability and sustainability of EVSE
- COVID, lockdown, and impacts on business processes (largely identified and resolved now)
- Brexit issues as they arise
- Vehicle data and charging-related issues arising from vehicles
- Vehicle incentives, tax, and potential Zero Emission Vehicle Mandate



Timeline

Key 2021 consultations and documents

- National Bus Strategy (now out)
- Diesel HGV phase-out date consultation (now out)
- Transport Decarbonisation Plan (TBC)
- HMT New Zero Review (Q2)
- CO2 regulations Green Paper and 2030 Hybrids Consultation (early summer)
- CCC annual report to Parliament (June)
- Hydrogen Strategy (June?)
- Smart Charging regulations laid (June)
- Building regulation changes laid (Summer)
- Consumer Experience consultation outputs (Autumn?)
- 2030/35 Delivery Plan (Autumn)
- Net-Zero Strategy (Autumn)
- EV Charing Infrastructure Strategy (September)
- Ofgem EV Infrastructure Strategy (September?)
- Rapid Charging Fund structure (October/Nov)
- Local Authority Fund (business case by Oct and launch Christmas)

Other ongoing:

- Plug-in grants: £582m
- CAZ Implementation
- Continued review of tax system
- Infrastructure Grant deployment (ORCS, EVHS, WCS)
- Environment Bill



Discussion on Grants, EV Energy Taskforce, and Papers

1. Grants:

- Amendments to Onstreet Residential Chargepoint Scheme
- Rapid Charging Fund
- EV Homecharge Scheme & product certification

2. EV Energy Taskforce

- Wrap up of existing work
- REA paper with Green Finance Institute
- EV Energy Taskforce v3

3. Papers

- EV Homecharge Scheme payments
- Domestic grid connections and processes
- Wayleaves

4. Proposal: REA Joining the EV Roaming Foundation

- For discussion



Thank you!

Thank you for attending!

