

Requested by Representative HELM

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 4066**

1 Delete lines 5 through 25 of the printed bill and insert:

2 **“SECTION 2. (1) As used in this section, ‘electric company’ has the**
3 **meaning given that term in ORS 757.600.**

4 **“(2) The Public Utility Commission may allow an electric company**
5 **to recover costs from all ratepayers for prudent investments in or ex-**
6 **penses related to infrastructure measures, including infrastructure**
7 **measures behind the meter, that support the adoption and service of**
8 **electric vehicles if the investments or expenses are consistent with and**
9 **meet the requirements of subsection (3) of this section. For purposes**
10 **of ORS 757.355, an investment in or expense related to infrastructure**
11 **measures that support the adoption and service of electric vehicles**
12 **provides utility service to the customers of an electric company.**

13 **“(3) If made or incurred by an electric company, an investment in**
14 **or expense related to infrastructure measures that support the**
15 **adoption and service of electric vehicles is a utility service and a ben-**
16 **efit to utility ratepayers if the investment or expense can be reason-**
17 **ably anticipated to:**

18 **“(a) Support reductions of transportation sector greenhouse gas**
19 **emissions over time; and**

20 **“(b) Benefit the electric company’s ratepayers in ways that may**
21 **include, but need not be limited to:**

1 **“(A) Distribution or transmission management benefits;**

2 **“(B) Revenues to utilities from electric vehicle charging to offset**
3 **utilities’ fixed costs that may otherwise be charged to ratepayers;**

4 **“(C) System efficiencies or other economic values inuring to the**
5 **benefit of ratepayers over the long term; or**

6 **“(D) Increased ratepayer choice through provision of greater**
7 **transportation electrification infrastructure deployment to increase**
8 **availability of and access to public and private electric vehicle charg-**
9 **ing stations.**

10 **“(4) In making investments in or incurring expenses related to**
11 **infrastructure measures under this section that involve the installa-**
12 **tion of one or more electric vehicle charging stations, an electric**
13 **company must allow for customer choice in the selection of the type**
14 **of electric vehicle charging station to be installed, subject to equip-**
15 **ment eligibility as determined by the electric company. An electric**
16 **company may prequalify multiple types of eligible electric vehicle**
17 **charging stations based on criteria determined by the electric com-**
18 **pany.**

19 **“(5) Nothing in this section restricts or prohibits a corporation,**
20 **company, partnership, individual or association of individuals exempt**
21 **from regulation under ORS 757.005 (1)(b)(G) from furnishing electricity**
22 **to any number of customers for use in motor vehicles.”.**

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