

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Item 26: Department of Transportation Electric Vehicle Infrastructure

To: Ways and Means Full Committee
From: Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee
Carrier: Senator Hansell

The Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee recommends that the Joint Interim Committee on Ways and Means approve the submission of a federal grant application to the U.S. Department of Transportation in the amount of \$10 million for repairing and replacing existing vehicle chargers that are broken or non-operational.

If awarded, the grant will be used by ODOT, in collaboration with one or more private entities, to repair or replace over 100 non-functional charging ports spread across 60 locations. Additionally, the plan includes the installation of approximately 100 new charging ports to fulfill program prerequisites. The grant application is due November 13th. The 20% grant match requirement will be covered by the collaborating private entities.

The Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee recommends approval.

