

The background of the flyer is a photograph of a silver electric car parked at a charging station. The car is connected to a charging cable. In the background, there are several wind turbines against a sky with a pink and purple sunset or sunrise. The entire image has a semi-transparent blue overlay.

DRIVE EV OKLAHOMA

AGENDA: TUESDAY
JUNE 9, 2026
10:00 A.M.

Association of Central Oklahoma Governments
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DRIVE EV OKLAHOMA WILL HOLD A REGULAR MEETING ON JUNE 9, 2026, AT ACOG IN THE OKLAHOMA BOARD ROOM, 4205 N. LINCOLN BLVD., OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA AND VIRTUALLY.

Please notify ACOG at 405.234.2264 (TDD/TTY Call 7-1-1 Statewide or email title.vi@acogok.org) by 5:00 p.m. June 5, 2026, if you require accommodations pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act.

AGENDA

A. WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

B. REVIEW OF THE MINUTES – December 9, 2025 ([ATTACHMENT B](#))

C. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

1. Presentation – EV Market Update: Classic Chevrolet
2. Oklahoma City Alternative Fuel Strategic Plan Update: T.O. Bowman, Program Planner, City of Oklahoma City Office of Sustainability
3. Charging Smart Update: Michelle Merchant, Senior Sustainability Planner, INCOG
4. Policy & Legislative Updates: Eric Pollard, Air Quality & Clean Cities Manager, ACOG
5. DEUSA2 and Plug In America Grant Updates: David Frick, Air Quality & Clean Cities Planner III, ACOG
6. Spring & Summer Events: Eric Pollard, Air Quality & Clean Cities Manager, ACOG, and Michelle Merchant, Senior Sustainability Planner, INCOG

D. ROUNDTABLE UPDATES

E. NEW BUSINESS

F. ADJOURN

DEADLINE FOR OCTOBER DRIVE EV OKLAHOMA AGENDA ITEMS:

Tuesday, September 29, 2026, at 5:00 p.m.

NEXT DRIVE EV OKLAHOMA MEETING:

Tuesday, October 13, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.



ATTACHMENT B

SUBJECT:

MINUTES OF THE DRIVE EV OKLAHOMA MEETING

DATE:

DECEMBER 9, 2025

A regular meeting of Drive EV Oklahoma was convened at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, December 9, 2025, at the Association of Central Oklahoma Governments (ACOG) Oklahoma Board Room, 4205 N. Lincoln Blvd., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma and virtually.

GUESTS PRESENT

Jeff Brown
Phil Jones
T.O. Bowman
Bryce Cornet
Clair Garcia
Mark Faulkenberry
Andrew Kim
Michelle Merchant
Jared Schwennesen
Becky Goebel
James Brown

ENTITY

AEP
City of Edmond
City of Oklahoma City
City of Tulsa
ChargePoint
Citizen
INCOG
INCOG
Oklahoma Department of Transportation
OMPA
Tinker Air Force Base

ACOG & INCOG STAFF PRESENT

John Sharp (ACOG)
David Frick (ACOG)
Eric Pollard (ACOG)
Jennifer Sebesta (ACOG)
Michelle Merchant (INCOG)
Andrew Kim (INCOG)

POSITION

Deputy Director
Air Quality & Clean Cities Planner III
Air Quality & Clean Cities Manager
Transportation Planning Services Manager
Senior Sustainability Planner
Environmental Planner

MINUTES

A. WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

Eric Pollard called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. and entertained introductions.

B. REVIEW OF MINUTES - OCTOBER 14, 2025

Eric Pollard asked if anyone had changes to the October 14, 2025 minutes. There were no modifications from the attendees.

C. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

1. Presentation - ChargePoint Fleet Grant Best Practices and Opportunities

Claire Garcia, Fleet Grant Development Manager presented on tips and strategies for applying for grants and completing deliverables on the grants related to charging stations. Highlighted examples from NEVI and CFI federal grant programs.

2. DEUSA2, PIA, and Charging Smart Grant Updates

ACOG and INCOG staff presented on EV related grant activities. PIA is paused, but Charging Smart and DEUSA2 are moving forward.

3. Fall Event Updates:

Michelle Merchant and Eric Pollard provided an update on fall events related to electric vehicles.

4. Policy & Legislative Updates

Eric Pollard provided an update on current federal and state policy and legislative items related to electric vehicles.

5. Upcoming Funding Updates

David Frick provided an update on upcoming electric vehicle grant opportunities.

D. ROUNDTABLE UPDATES

Brief project updates were provided by attendees.

E. NEW BUSINESS

None

F. ADJOURN

There being no further business, Eric Pollard adjourned the meeting at 11:00 a.m.