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RE: Support for Duke Energy Electric Vehicle Rebates and Chargers

Docket Nos.: **E-2, Sub 1197 and E-7, Sub 1195**

Docket link: <https://starw1.ncuc.net/NCUC/ViewFile.aspx?Id=991a74b5-15ed-46ca-9706-aac6d45897a7>

I am writing in support of Duke Energy's recent filing request with the NC Utilities Commission that would give their customers \$1000 rebates for electric vehicle (EV) chargers and would add 2,500 charging stations along roadways. This program would benefit all customers and also support state climate policies, most recently articulated via Executive Order 80.

Duke Energy is a long time stakeholder in the Centralina Clean Fuels Coalition (CCFC), a US DOE Clean Cities program housed in the greater Charlotte region here at the Council of Governments, and we believe their proposal could significantly contribute to program goals of reducing petroleum use, addressing air and climate challenges, and growing the EV market, enabling a broader cross section of our communities to feasibly access EVs. Centralina Council of Governments and the Centralina Clean Fuels Coalition program fully support this proposed program.

Feel free to contact me or CCFC Coordinator, Jason Wager, at 704-372-2416 with any questions or to discuss this matter further.

Sincerely,

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