

# -Electric Vehicle Charging Solutions/Smart Powered Lanes



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# **Emerging Transportation Technologies**

- Connected and Automated • Vehicles
- Electric Vehicles
- Mobility as a Service
- Hyperloop

# Impacts

- Planning, Design, and Construction of Infrastructure
- Policy and Regulation
- Funding and Monetization











# **Technology Adoption**

100%





**Smart Powered Lanes** 

# **Electric Vehicle** Light Duty Vehicle Adoption

# GLOBAL EV STATISTICS



Electric Vehicle Benefits

# **28%** Transportation Generated GHG

# **57%** Less Cost to Operate EV vs ICE Vehicles

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# **Electric Vehicle** Fleet Mix



PROTERRA CATALYST

BAT

TERY ELECTRIC

# **Electric Vehicle** The Challenges









Battery Size and Cost

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Additional Charging Infrastructure

Cost to Integrate

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## **Electric Vehicle** The Challenges



Number of Vehicles the World supply of Lithium can Support



Battery Cost per kWh for larger vehicles versus LDVs



# **Electric Vehicle** The Challenges

Slow vs. Rapid Charging

Interoperability

 High Cost- Infrastructure and Fueling -charge

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# Fast Charging The Challenges

- Conventional paradigm
- Target: 15 min charge
- Costly infrastructure and demand charges
  - INL study: huge investment for "station" model
  - Anticipated \$5-6 per gallon equivalent energy costs
- Rapid battery degradation with repeated fast charge
- Not as suitable for larger vehicles, fleet vehicles, or autonomous vehicles



# Utility Impacts The Challenges

**Changes** to tariffs and rates

**Charge-Ready** Infrastructure Needs

**Modernization** of their Grid Infrastructure



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Smart Powered Lanes

Embedded Inductive Roadway Technology Safe for both Electric Vehicles and Non-Electric Vehicles Activated only when receiver passes over the coils

# Reduces On-Board Energy Storage

Interoperable with all Vehicles Classes



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# **Ecosystem** with Infrastructure Owners

Leverageable with Renewable Energy Sources

Starting Block for V2G Technologies

**Smart Powered Lanes** 



Energy storage shifted from battery to roadway



More consistent charging along a route

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Lowers cost of electric vehicles with smaller batteries









#### Concept

- Roadway embedded coils energize sequentially as vehicles pass over the pads
- Receiving coils on the vehicle deliver power to the drivetrain and charge the battery
- Reduces battery size on EVs and allows hybrid EVs to operate with zero emissions

#### **Technical targets**

- 50 kW per receiver coil, scalable to multiple coils for trucks
- Continuous power to the vehicle at highway speeds
- Target 90%+ average efficiency, grid to battery

#### Grid impact

- Continuous and controllable load by averaging over long roadway sections of coils
- Off-peak loading by integrating energy storage at utility interface
- Local load for wind and solar power

#### Safety and Compatibility

- Meet ICNIRP standards for safety
- Compatible with light to heavy duty vehicles

### Smart Powered Lanes Thought Leaders



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## **Smart Powered Lanes** Feasibility Analysis

- DOE ARPA-E funding: analysis of freight and passenger vehicle corridors in lower Los Angeles County
- Evaluation of in-road inductive wireless and overhead conductive electric roadway solutions
- Results extended to other major US cities and interstates
  - Technology first adopters
  - Value proposition for incremental rollout
  - Technology gaps for accelerated market adoption
  - Localized impact on emissions reduction during rollout
  - Team: USU, CSU, Purdue, AECOM, So California Edison



# Smart Powered Lanes SelectLink I-710 Truck Routes







# **Demonstration Project** Utah State University

# **USU TEST TRACK**

- In-motion charging demonstration at USU, 20passenger electric bus
- 25 kW charging pads embedded in roadway
- 7-inch ground vehicle coil spacing
- Single receiving pad on electric bus
- Vehicle detection and communications
- Concrete coil enclosures
- Meets safety standards for magnetic fields
- Autonomous vehicle control









# Utah's Wireless Charging Legacy WAVE

- USTAR, DOE investment
- WAVE—USU spin-out 2012
  - First in the nation demonstration—50kW stationary wireless bus charging in SLC
  - Working toward first in the nation demonstration—250kW stationary wireless bus charging in Palmdale, CA
- Grown out of USU from DOE and State of Utah (USTAR) funding
- More than \$11M in current contracts
- Expanding into new markets
  - Shipping/ports with Hyster-Yale
  - In-motion collaboration with USU



# **Next Steps for Scaling**

### EVR Prototype demonstration

- Develop, prototype, and manufacture roadway modules, embedded in concrete pads with 50kW output
- Develop, prototype, and demonstrate vehicle retrofit kit including two 50kW receiver modules with 100kW output to battery pack
- Manufacture/demonstrate complete modular electric roadway system on USU ¼ mile track (including grid tied power distribution converter, 30 series connected roadway transmitter modules)
- CDOT pilot deployment in 1 mile roadway section in Denver, Colorado (e.g., near Denver International Airport)



# **Pilot Project** Denver International Airport



#### **Potential Uses**

- Fleet Vehicles
- Operations Vehicles
- Trucks (UPS, FedEx, USPS, DHL)
- Shuttles (Parking)



# PARTNERSHIP FOCUSED SAFE AND OPERATIONAL

- Enlisting partners early for pilot design
- Pilot focused on partner operations and feedback
- Pilot Project as a first step

- No impacts to vehicles not participating in the pilot
- Adheres to safety standards for wireless power transfer
- No change in operations for fleet drivers

# LOW COST & LOW RISK

- 1-mile long roadway, along lane or shoulder
- A minimum of 3-5 vehicles to run on roadway
- No new vehicles required, retrofit kits for existing vehicles of any size

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# **Wireless Static Charging**



# **Partnerships**

Parcel delivery companies are all starting to look at electric vehicles to reduce their operating costs and their impact on air pollution.

"UPS is arguably leading the way on that front as it orders a fleet of 1,000 electric vans from Workhorse as it latest electrification effort. They are converting 'up to 1,500 delivery trucks' to battery-electric in New York, they've already bought some of Daimler's new electric trucks, and they've ordered 125 Tesla Semi trucks."

Carlton Rose, President of global fleet maintenance and engineering for UPS, commented on the announcement:

"UPS believes in the future of commercial electric vehicles. We want to support the research needed to make advances and the companies developing those innovative products. Performance is critical in our fleet. We are excited to get this vehicle on the road to test how it handles routes in and around Los Angeles."

# **Questions?**

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