



Date: March 15, 2024

To: New Mexico Environment Department (NMED)  
1190 St. Francis Drive, Suite N4050  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

From: WattEV, Inc.

Re: **Letter of Support for the NM PCAP Clean I-40 Transportation Corridor and Clean Truck Incentive Program**

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Greetings New Mexico Environment Department (NMED),

WattEV stands in support of the I-40 Transportation Corridor and Clean Truck Incentive Program because these measures will support WattEV's offerings like our truck as a service (TaaS) program that provides Zero Emission (ZE) vehicles to small businesses, and our network of fast-charging stations for Medium-and Heavy-Duty Vehicles (MHDEVs).

WattEV's involvement with the project includes offering expert level support for the NM PCAP initiatives based off of a history of successful ZE projects. WattEV's state-of-the-art infrastructure includes hundreds of acres of solar energy generation, which is captured via battery energy storage systems (BESS) and disbursed for grid supportive clean charging operations. This refueling station network combined with WattEV's unique TaaS platform offers a scalable and efficient solution to accelerate the adoption of zero-emission trucks and contribute significantly to national climate goals.

As a TaaS provider, charging station developer and operator, and charging technology manufacturer, WattEV has an incredible focus on pushing transportation into the new generation. It has established a first-to-market network of high-powered charging stations, specifically catering to MHDEVs. All sites will be equipped with WattEV charger technology using the Megawatt Charging Standard (MCS), reducing the average "fueling" time to 20 minutes.

WattEV has also selected its depots in disadvantaged communities throughout the region, which provides sustained employment opportunities, workforce training, and economic and health impacts. As WattEV's network of sites expands, WattEV continues to collaborate with local government, state agencies, non-profit organizations, and the overall industry to bring emissions reduction to the forefront of transportation, today.

WattEV's support will allow NMED to implement these measures more effectively through our application to participate in these programs and expand our network of charging stations into New Mexico from our existing projects in California and Arizona.

In conclusion, WattEV urges NMED to apply for the Climate Pollution Reduction Grant opportunity to support this measure and requests the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to award the funds to support it.

Sincerely,  
Salim Youssefzadeh, CEO

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