

October 11, 2019

AN ELECTRIC VEHICLE ROADMAP FOR CONNECTICUT  
NOTICE AND OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

As recommended by the [Comprehensive Energy Strategy](#) (CES) issued on February 8, 2018, and pursuant to General Statutes sections 22a-174g and 22a-200a, Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies sections 22a-174-27 and 22a-174-36c, Section 7507 of Title 42 of the United States Code, and related policy directives and other authorities, the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) initiated this proceeding in November 2018 to develop an electric vehicle roadmap (*EV Roadmap*) for Connecticut. The *EV Roadmap* is intended to identify Connecticut-specific policies, programs, and strategies that the state should pursue to optimize deployment of electric vehicles (EVs) and associated infrastructure. Moreover, the *EV Roadmap* is intended to support the Connecticut Zero Emission Vehicle Program and its goal of developing a self-sustaining EV market, and to ensure that increased electricity demand from EV deployment is a benefit rather than an impairment to the electric grid.

DEEP issued a [Notice of Scoping Meeting and Opportunity for Public Comment](#) on November 26, 2018 and held a technical meeting on February 8, 2019 to inform the recommendations of the *EV Roadmap* through engagement with stakeholders and subject matter experts. All materials submitted in this proceeding are posted on the [DEEP Energy Filings](#) webpage under the matter “EV Roadmap.”

By way of this Notice, DEEP announces that its draft *EV Roadmap* is available for review on the [DEEP Energy Filings](#) webpage under the matter “EV Roadmap.” It is also available for review during normal business hours at DEEP’s New Britain Office located at Ten Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut 06051. Any person interested in reviewing the draft *EV Roadmap* at DEEP’s offices should send an email to [DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov](mailto:DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov) requesting arrangements to review.

**Technical Meeting and Public Comment Session:** A Technical Meeting will be held at **1:00 P.M. on November 8, 2019** in Hearing Room 1 at DEEP’s New Britain Office. Directions to the New Britain Office are available [here](#). The purpose of the Technical Meeting is to provide stakeholders an opportunity to pose technical questions to DEEP staff involved in the preparation of the draft *EV Roadmap*. DEEP will provide an opportunity for oral public comment at this meeting. Participants in the technical meeting are encouraged to email any questions that they intend to ask DEEP staff prior to the meeting date to assist DEEP staff in preparing responses. Please RSVP and send your questions to [DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov](mailto:DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov) three business days prior to the scheduled meeting.

**Written Comments:** DEEP invites written public comment on the draft *EV Roadmap*. All interested persons should submit written comments by **4:00 P.M. on November 11, 2019**. Written Comments may be filed electronically on the [DEEP Energy Web Filing](#) webpage or submitted by email to [DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov](mailto:DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov). Persons filing electronically for the first time will be required to register prior to submission. Please create your account at least 24 hours in advance to ensure timely filing. If you

have a problem with the electronic web filing system, you can contact the DEEP IT Help Desk at (860) 424-4169 or at [DEEP.Helpdesk@ct.gov](mailto:DEEP.Helpdesk@ct.gov). Written comments may also be submitted by U.S. Mail addressed to the Bureau of Energy and Technology Policy, c/o Sean Condon, Ten Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06051. All written comments received before the deadline will be posted on the [DEEP Energy Filings](#) webpage. Any questions can be submitted by email at [DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov](mailto:DEEP.EnergyBureau@ct.gov).

**Updated Timeline for the *EV Roadmap***

The updated schedule for the *EV Roadmap* completion is as follows:

<i>EV Roadmap</i> Draft Issuance	A draft of the <i>EV Roadmap</i> is issued concurrently with this notice.
Technical meeting	A technical meeting and public comment session will be held on November 8, 2019 at 1:00 P.M.
Written comments due	Public comments are due on November 11, 2019 by 4:00 P.M.
Final <i>EV Roadmap</i> Issuance	DEEP expects to release the final version of the <i>EV Roadmap</i> the week of December 2, 2019.

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