

# Charge Ready Program Fact Sheet



We're revving up Charge Ready: Our program to help increase the availability of electric vehicle (EV) charging stations at certain locations where cars are typically parked for four hours or more. We'll be working with local government agencies, employers, multi-unit dwellings, and charging equipment manufacturers to roll out the program.

The program is designed to deploy the infrastructure needed to serve qualified charging stations at participating locations. You may also qualify for a rebate to cover some or all of the costs of procuring and installing charging stations that you will own, operate, and maintain.

Participation is subject to all program terms and conditions, including availability of funding and timely delivery of all required documents.

## Program Eligibility

You are eligible to participate if you or your site:

1. Qualify as a non-residential customer (including bundled service, direct access, community aggregator, and community choice aggregator customers)
2. Meet the program's guidelines for existing and future EV adoption
3. Own, lease, or operate a site that provides long dwell-time parking (including workplaces, fleet, multi-unit dwellings, and other destination centers, such as sports venues or hotels)
4. Provide an easement granted to SCE by the property owner
5. Deliver proof of purchase of qualified charging equipment

## Charging Station Deployment

Some of the key elements to deploying charging stations through Charge Ready include the following:

1. We will support the deployment of a **minimum of 10 charging stations** per site (five in disadvantaged communities<sup>1</sup>). The actual number of charging stations approved through the program will be determined based on several criteria, including current and near-term EV adoption and the number of parking spaces available at your site. However, a limited number of sites with significant deployment costs, based on our estimates, may not be eligible to participate in the program.
2. You may select and procure charging stations among **a broad selection of Level 1 (120v) and Level 2 (240v) charging stations** (you may only choose qualified charging station models from approved vendors).
3. All charging stations must be installed on a **new dedicated circuit** deployed by us (with its own panel, meter, and service), separately from any existing panel, meter or service.
4. The program covers **all electric infrastructure costs** related to the new circuit.
5. We also offer a **rebate** to offset some or all of the costs for the charging stations and their installation.
6. All permits and inspections are obtained by SCE or Charge Ready vendors.

<sup>1</sup>A disadvantaged community is an area identified by the **California Environmental Protection Agency** based on geographic, socioeconomic, public health, and environmental criteria in accordance to the Health and Safety Code § 39711.

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## Key Players

**You:** Upon enrollment in the Charge Ready Program, you are responsible for procuring qualified charging stations through approved vendors within 30 days. Participation in the program is required for 10 years, and charging stations must be maintained in working order during that period. You must also subscribe to a data management plan with an approved EV charging network service provider and share non-personally identifiable information (PII) charging data at a transactional level with us<sup>2</sup>. Finally, you must participate in future Demand Response (DR) programs<sup>2</sup>.

**SCE:** We provide a turnkey approach to deploying your EV charging installation with a focus on reducing costs and complexity. To do so, we install and maintain the complete electric infrastructure serving charging stations at participating locations at no cost to you. We also qualify vendors and charging station models based on several key technical requirements, and we coordinate installation with the vendor(s) you select to complete deployment. Finally, we provide a rebate to offset some or all of the costs for the charging stations and their installations. Operating costs, including equipment repairs and maintenance, EV charging network subscription, and electricity costs will be your responsibility.

**Charge Ready Approved Vendor:** Approved third-party vendors supply, deliver, and install charging stations at the participating site. Vendors also provide technical support, as well as communication services, including data management and DR services. Some approved vendors also provide repair and maintenance services.

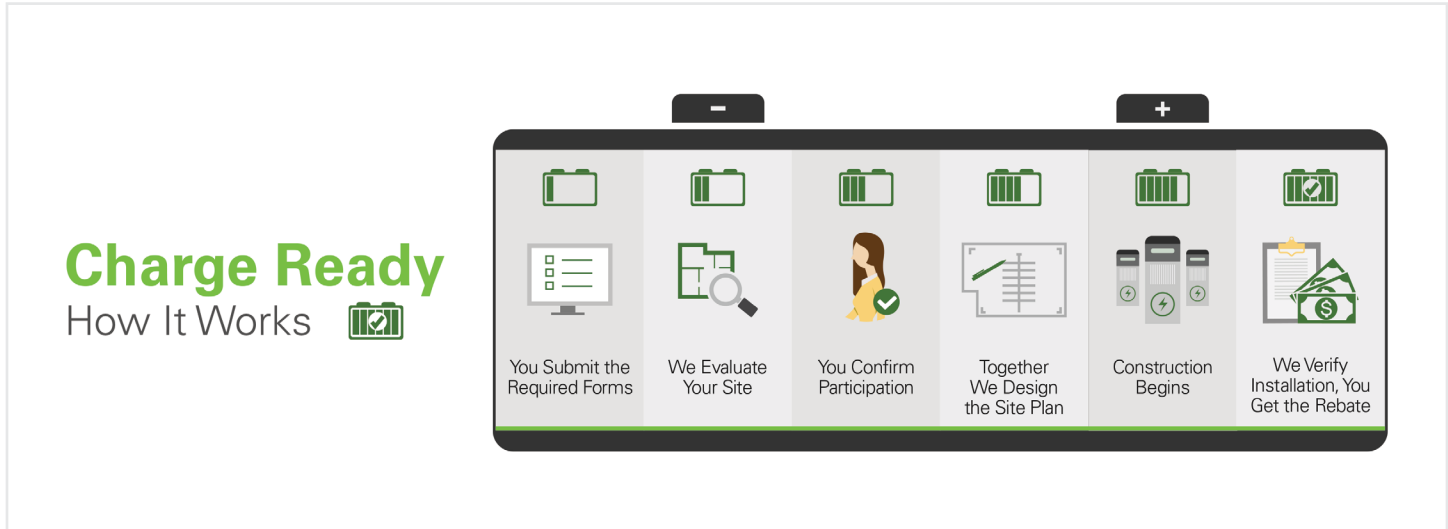


Visit [on.sce.com/chargeready](https://on.sce.com/chargeready) to enroll.

<sup>2</sup>This requirement does not apply to Level 1 charging stations

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## Typical Process



1. The process begins when you visit the **Charge Ready Enrollment Portal** and complete Step 1 - Notice of Intent. After a preliminary evaluation of your eligibility, your Account Manager will provide a program overview and discuss deployment considerations and options with you.
2. Following an evaluation of your site and existing utility infrastructure, we will develop a proposal, including the potential number of charging stations and proposed location deployment at your site.
3. If you accept our proposal, and program funds are still available, we will reserve funding for your site and confirm your participation in the program. You will then have 30 days to procure qualified charging stations from an approved vendor and provide proof of purchase (or request an extension) in accordance with the terms of the proposal you accepted. You will also have to provide an easement agreement signed by the property owner to grant certain rights to us to secure the infrastructure we will deploy at your site.
4. While you procure the charging stations, we'll complete and present the deployment design to you. Once you approve the design (after we receive the documents required under step #3), we will apply for construction permits.
5. After construction permits are issued, we will deploy the electric infrastructure and arrange for inspection. The vendor(s) you selected will then install the charging stations (after obtaining applicable permits on your behalf to authorize installation of the charging station with the electric infrastructure we deployed), and arrange for inspection.
6. Following installation of the charging stations, we will conduct a walk-through to verify that the deployment is consistent with approved plans. Finally, you will receive notification that the project is complete, and we will process the rebate payment.

Disclaimer: The information provided in this fact sheet is a summary of **Schedule Charge Ready Program Pilot (CRPP)**. For more details, please refer to Schedule CRPP (tariff). In case of any discrepancy between this document and Schedule CRPP, the tariff will prevail.