

#### Australian Electric Vehicle Association

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

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#### PROGRAM

#### as at 22/10/24

1 NOVEMBER 2024				
8:00am – 8:45am	Registration Open + Arrival Tea and Coffee	Gretel Room		
8:45am- 9:20am	Introduction AEVA Welcome Jon Ettershank, Tasmanian AEVA Chair Keynote Presentation Housekeeping Notes	Sovereign Room		
9:30am – 11:00am	Concurrent Session 1: Fleet and business Chair: John Harris Sovereign Room	Concurrent Session 2: EV Trends <i>Chair: Blake Ashley</i> Marina Room		
	<ul> <li>1.0</li> <li>Part 1 Fleet transitioning: Panel session (45 min) facilitator Andrea Persico</li> <li>State agencies and some Councils committed to converting fleets by 2030: Experience of a number of fleet transitions through a panel discussion of the issues and solutions</li> <li>Dwayne Heffernan, TasNetworks</li> <li>Nick Stowe, Hydro Tasmania</li> <li>Cameron Smith, Launceston City Council</li> <li>Part 2 Presentations: Fleet transitions (45 min)</li> <li>Decarbonising diverse local government Fleets</li> <li>Richard Laxton, carloop</li> <li>How many fleet chargers is enough?</li> <li>Bryce Gaton, EV Choice</li> <li>'Refuelling' fleet EVs at home</li> <li>Peter Donato, Clarence City Council</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2.0</li> <li>What is EV Ready?</li> <li>The emission impacts of current design of the Australian New Vehicle Efficiency Standard (NVES)</li> <li>Dr Robin Smit, Transport Energy/Emission Research (TER)</li> <li>Are EVs a fire hazard in car parks</li> <li>Bjorn Siem, Department of Energy and Climate (QLD)</li> <li>ACT EV Ready requirements</li> <li>Graham McCabe, STEP Advisory</li> <li>In Defense of a Universal Road User Charge</li> <li>Dr Chris Jones, AEVA</li> <li>Future EV Policy</li> <li>Aman Gaur, EV Council</li> </ul>		
11:00am – 11:30am	Morning Refreshments	Gretel Room		





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11:30am – 1.00pm	Concurrent Session 1: Fleet and business Sovereign Room	Concurrent Session 2: EV Trends Marina Room		
	1.1 Fleets: beyond passenger cars	2.1 Part 1 Australia's near future EV trends (45min)		
	World's largest electric ferry by Incat <b>The Hon Peter Gutwein</b>	EVs and the grid – Where from where to? <b>Steve Blume</b> , Smart Energy Council		
	Electrifying Heavy Transport: the Infrastructure Challenge <b>Jaad Clifford Bolt</b> , Tassie Mondo Power	Bidirectional charging Promise and Progress of V2G <b>Laura Jones</b> , Australian National University		
	EV Strategy: Beyond Charging Infrastructure Matthew Perkins, Smartrak	Part 2 Panel Session (45 min)		
	Fairly assessing emissions for the Australian Freight sector	The China Syndrome. Chinese EVs and the coming options for Australia		
	<b>Dr. Robin Smit</b> , Transport Energy/Emission Research (TER)	Facilitator <b>Riz Akhtar</b> , AEVA <b>Steve Blume</b> , Smart Energy Council <b>Catherine Van Der Merwe</b> , Smart Energy		
	Building Australasia's Biggest Electric Bus network <b>Daniel Head</b> , Kinetic	Council <b>Bjorn Siem</b> , Department of Energy and Climate (QLD)		
1:00pm – 2:00pm	Lunch Break Gretel Room			
1:00pm - 2:00pm 2:00pm - 3:30pm	1.3         Welcome from our session sponsor         John Sullivan, Chargefox CEO         Charging: doing it well         Developing a viable statewide fast charging         network         Clive Attwater, Electric Highway Tasmania         Fix that charger already! How to maintain a         reliable charger network         Christopher Walkden, AEVA         Modelling EV Infrastructure: Taking the         guesswork out of charger location         Richard Laxton, carloop         On-street charging options: From the sublime         to the ridiculous         Dunstan Power, Versinetic Ltd         Local government role in providing charging         Dr Elliot Fishman, Institute for Sensible         Transport	2.3 The FULL transition: NRMA Ferries Adam Moore, NRMA Hobart Airport EV Charging Belinda Bresnehan Sustainable Fleet Transformation: Building a Greener Fleet Cameron Smith, Launceston City Council		





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3:30pm – 3:45pm	Afternoon Refreshments	Gretel Room	
3:45pm - 4:30pm	Conference review and wrap up in light of lessons from the leader – Norway's experience <b>Bjorn Siem</b> , Department of Energy and Climate Where to next? Panel Discussion Facilitator <b>Chris Jones</b> , AEVA <b>Bjorn Siem</b> , Department of Energy and Climate <b>Aman Gaur</b> , EV Council <b>Mark Bowles</b> , Recfit	Sovereign Room	
	Thank you: AEVA National		
4:30pm	Conference Close		

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