



## CityFleet is going *electric*



our electric fleet has a lot of variety. Vehicles include indoor forklifts, burden carriers, small electric trucks used in large plant type operations, and golf carts.

As technology advances and more electric vehicles become available, CityFleet will continue to analyze the needs of the customer and the attributes of the vehicles available to fulfill customer electric vehicle orders.

In short, the plan is to identify customer needs and fill them with the most environmentally responsible vehicles available.

The motor pool garage at 1st and Jefferson is comprised primarily of fully electric vehicles and plugin hybrids that are available for short term rent through the Motor Pool system.

**Next time you need to rent a City vehicle, *seriously* consider an electric.**

They drive the same, require no special training, and have a 107 mile range---that's to Salem and back on one charge!

Check out the 2017 [City of Portland Electric Vehicle Strategy!](#)

**C**ityFleet has developed a plan for electrifying the City of Portland's fleet, and they're not on their own; it is a partnership between the Bureau of Planning and Sustainability (BPS), Facilities Services Division, and all other CityFleet-supported groups.

This plan is being created with customer bureaus in mind because it is critical that an electric vehicle fulfills the requirements set forth by the bureaus.

### **BPS helped to develop the plan's policies and goals**

In 2010, Portland was one of the first cities to develop an electric vehicle strategy. This strategy included a goal to have 20% of the City's sedan fleet converted to electric options by 2030. As of right now, we are ahead of schedule, with 36% of our sedan fleet being electric!

### **Facilities supplies buildings with vehicle chargers**

Without the charger, a vehicle is little more than a box with wheels!

### **CityFleet meets with customers to discuss vehicle mission requirements**

They explain the attributes of certain electric vehicles, and help the bureau analyze whether or not an electric vehicle would be a good fit.

### **So what kinds of electric vehicles are available at this time?**

Most of us are familiar with the City's 22 electric sedans, which are mostly the Nissan Leaf, however

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*First five correct answers win!*

**Question: What are the four categories in which a LEED project can score points?** (see last issue!)

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