

Leading by Example Council Agenda

September 12th, 2023



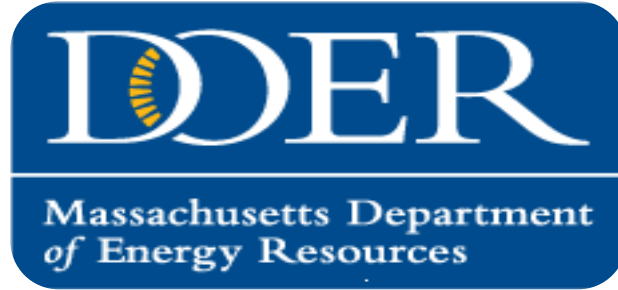
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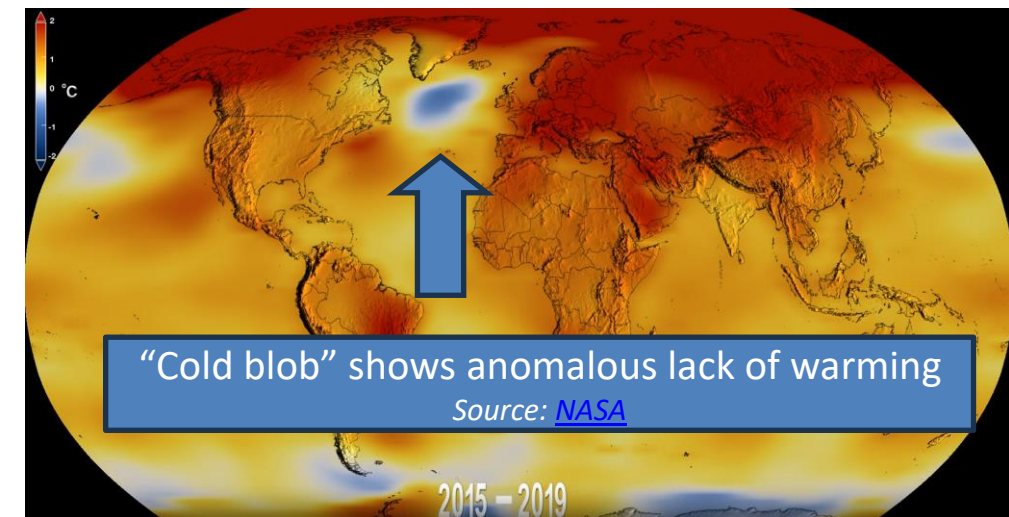
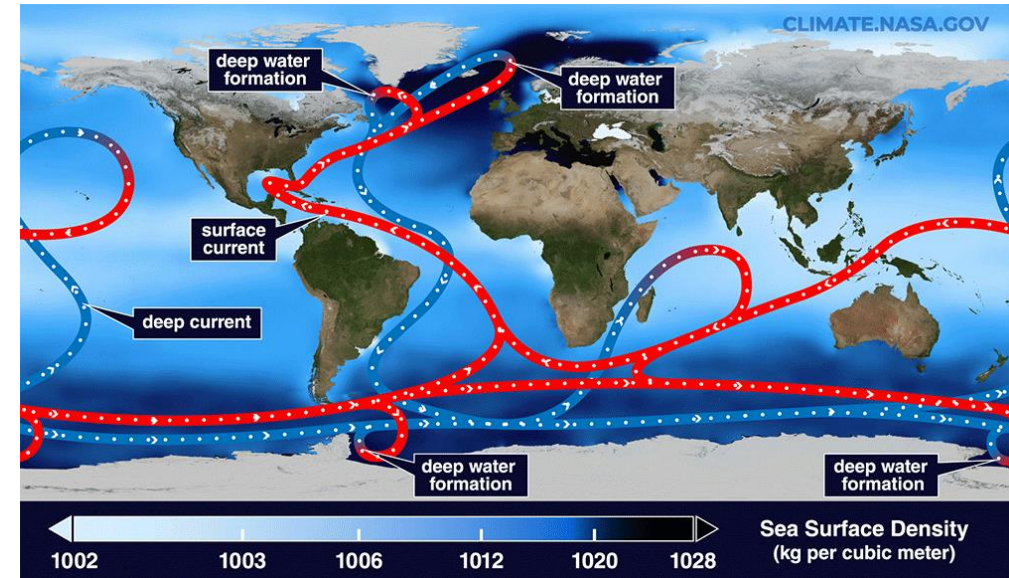
Breakout Discussions: FY24 Goals for State Agencies



Climate News and Updates

What is the Atlantic Meridional Overturning Current?

- AMOC is a global heat pump, responsible for keeping Europe temperate, regulating monsoon season in tropics, etc
- Study published in Nature concluded “with high confidence” that AMOC is slowing, could shut down as early as 2025, likely somewhere between 2039-2070



What Would a Collapse of the AMOC Entail?

Impacts would span the globe, and could include...

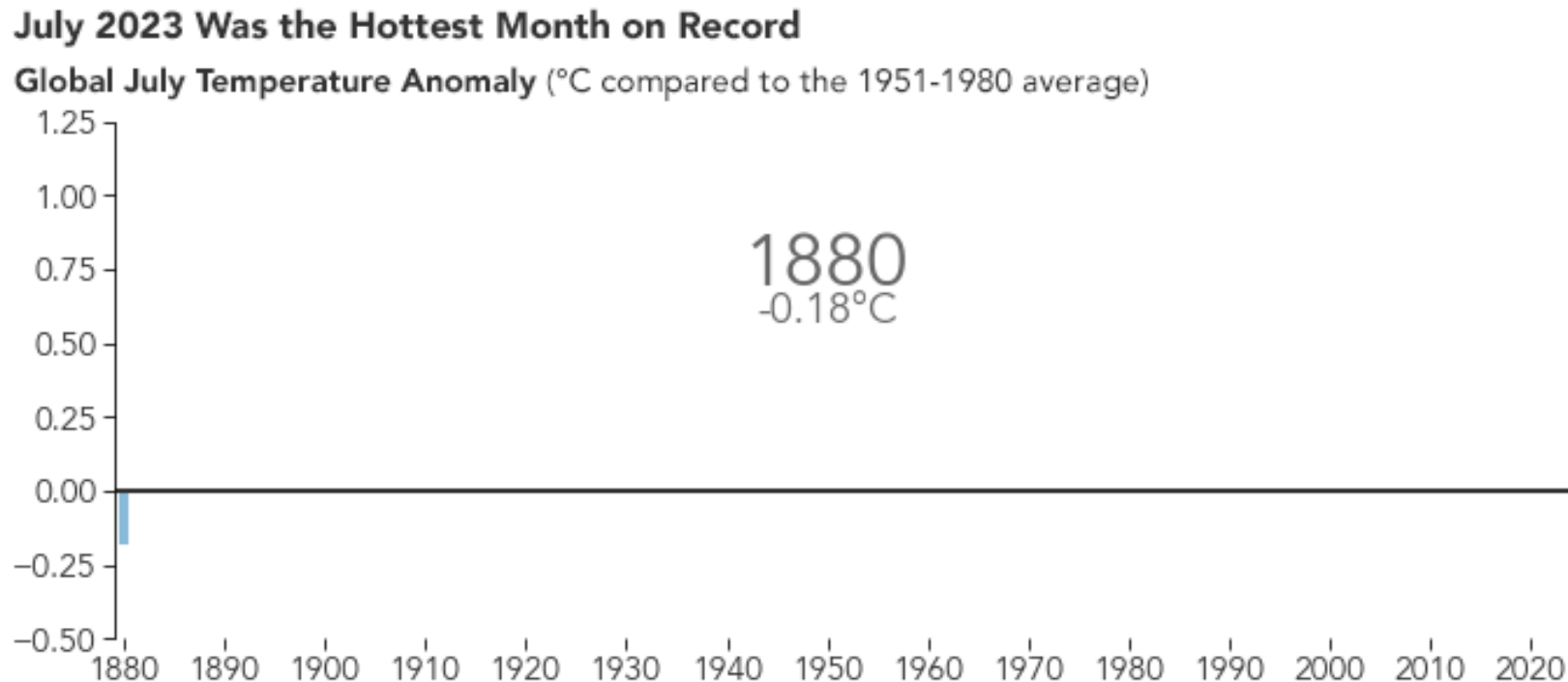
- Colder European winters
- Destabilization of jet stream, causing polar vortexes and heat domes
- Increased rates of ice sheet melt and sea level rise
- Shifting of global rain patterns
- Limiting ocean's ability to absorb atmospheric CO₂



Not quite "Day After Tomorrow" bad...

July 2023 Was Hottest Month on Record

- The global average temperature in July 2023 was 2.12F warmer than the average July between 1951-1980
- The top 5 hottest Julys since 1880 have all happened in the past 5 years
- El Niño likely did not contribute to increased temperatures; NASA expects biggest impacts of El Nino to be felt in February, March, and April 2024





Hydrogen-Powered Flight

Startups ZeroAvia and Universal Hydrogen have each successfully flown aircraft powered by hydrogen fuel-cells, expect to have commercial operations by 2025-2026



Offshore Winds of Change

- MA released 4th solicitation for up to 3,600 MW, ~25% of state's annual electricity demand. OSW would be online by 2032.
- Foundations for NY's 132 MW South Fork, have been installed
- NJ's 1,100 MW Ocean Wind 1 expected to come online in 2025
- U.S. Dept of Interior approved RI's 704 MW Revolution Wind 1
- DOI held first OSW auction in Gulf of Mexico, awarding a lease for a 1,240 MW farm
- BOEM on track to complete reviews of at least 16 OSW projects by 2025, representing more than 27 GW

Vineyard Wind Coming Soon!

- First turbine has departed New Bedford to be installed at lease site...one down, 61 to go!
- Electricity from some turbines will reach the grid as early as October



Source: [New Bedford Light](#)

Draft Grid Modernization Plans Submitted

- 2022 Climate Law directed MA electric utilities to create Electric-Sector Modernization Plans (ESMPs), to be reviewed by Grid Modernization Advisory Council (GMAC)
- ESMPs include summary of distribution system improvements/investments needed to meet future demand associated with electrification of transportation and building sectors while ensuring reliability and resiliency
- DPU will issue final ruling on plans by late summer 2024
- Plans revised every 5 years

Listening sessions open for public comment:

[10/30/23, 6-7:30pm](#)

[11/1/23, 12-1:30pm](#)

Email MA-GMAC@mass.gov to provide comments.

See ESMPs and additional
information on [GMAC website](#).

Fossil Fuel-Free Community Pilot Update

- 2022 Climate Law requires DOER to establish demonstration project in which municipalities may adopt zoning ordinances or by-laws that require new construction and major renovations to be fossil fuel-free
- DOER may select up to 10 communities to participate; DOER received applications from nine Prioritized Communities:

[Acton](#)

[Aquinnah](#)

[Arlington](#)

[Brookline](#)

[Cambridge](#)

[Concord](#)

[Lexington](#)

[Lincoln](#)

[Newton](#)

- One Priority Community is not participating; substitute communities may submit applications through Nov 10
- Selected communities will submit final “fossil fuel-free” by-laws or ordinances to DOER no later than July 1, 2024

Office of Climate Innovation and Resilience Report

Office directed to develop a comprehensive, unified, whole-of-government approach to advancing climate policy and achieving the Commonwealth's climate goals

Report will include several recommendations to better align decision-making and action on climate-related matters and offer more specificity to help agencies electrify fleets and decarbonize operations, while supporting broader climate mitigation and resiliency goals


The Climate Chief may propose legislative changes or changes to existing rules, regulations, executive orders, and other official policy documents

EVICC Initial Assessment

- An interagency EV Infrastructure Coordinating Council (EVICC) was established by the 2022 Climate Law to assess and report on **strategies and plans** necessary to deploy an equitable, interconnected, accessible, and reliable statewide EV charging network

[Initial assessment](#) submitted to the legislature on August 11th

- EVICC will continue developing plans based on the recommendations offered in the assessment



“The EVICC will collaborate with state fleet operators to collect data to determine the highest priority locations for electric vehicle charging at state facilities and direct resources to facilitate charging installations at those locations.”

MassDEP VW and Refuse Truck Electric Solicitation Grant

- Grants available to public and private entities to mitigate NO_x and GHG emissions
- Funds can support diesel engine repowering (e.g., upfitting for alternative fuels) or replacement, including transit buses, airport ground service equipment, forklifts, and refuse trucks
- MassDEP will cover up to 60% of project costs, including engine purchase and installation, charging infrastructure, and other project elements depending on the eligible mitigation action



See more information on [MassDEP's website](#), including [application guidance and requirements](#)

NEW MassDEP MD/HD Reporting Requirements

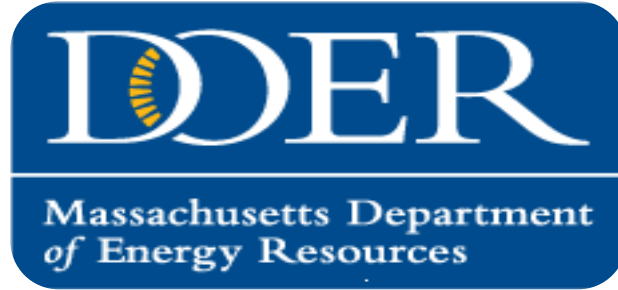
- MassDEP adopted regulation 310 CMR7.41, requiring the submission of a one-time report on vehicles greater than 8,500 pounds GVWR
- **Government agencies are required to report if the agency had one or more vehicles over 8,500 lbs. in operation in CY 2022**
- Reporting info includes garage location, vehicle make, model, weight class, and average daily miles driven
- The report will inform EV charging infrastructure development and programs to support and accelerate the adoption of medium- and heavy-duty EVs

Entities must submit the report to MassDEP by **5pm Friday, March 1, 2024**

See MassDEP's website for reporting requirements and instructions:

<https://www.mass.gov/how-to/large-entity-reporting-requirement>





News and Updates: LBE

2023 LBE Recognition Awards

Have ***you*** (or ***your entity***) launched, expanded, or completed clean energy or sustainability efforts in one or more of the following categories?

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> New construction | <input type="checkbox"/> Alternative transportation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Existing buildings | <input type="checkbox"/> Sustainable landscaping |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Renewable energy | <input type="checkbox"/> Stakeholder engagement and education |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clean vehicles | <input type="checkbox"/> Other sustainability efforts |

*Then **YOU** may be eligible for a Leading by Example Award!*

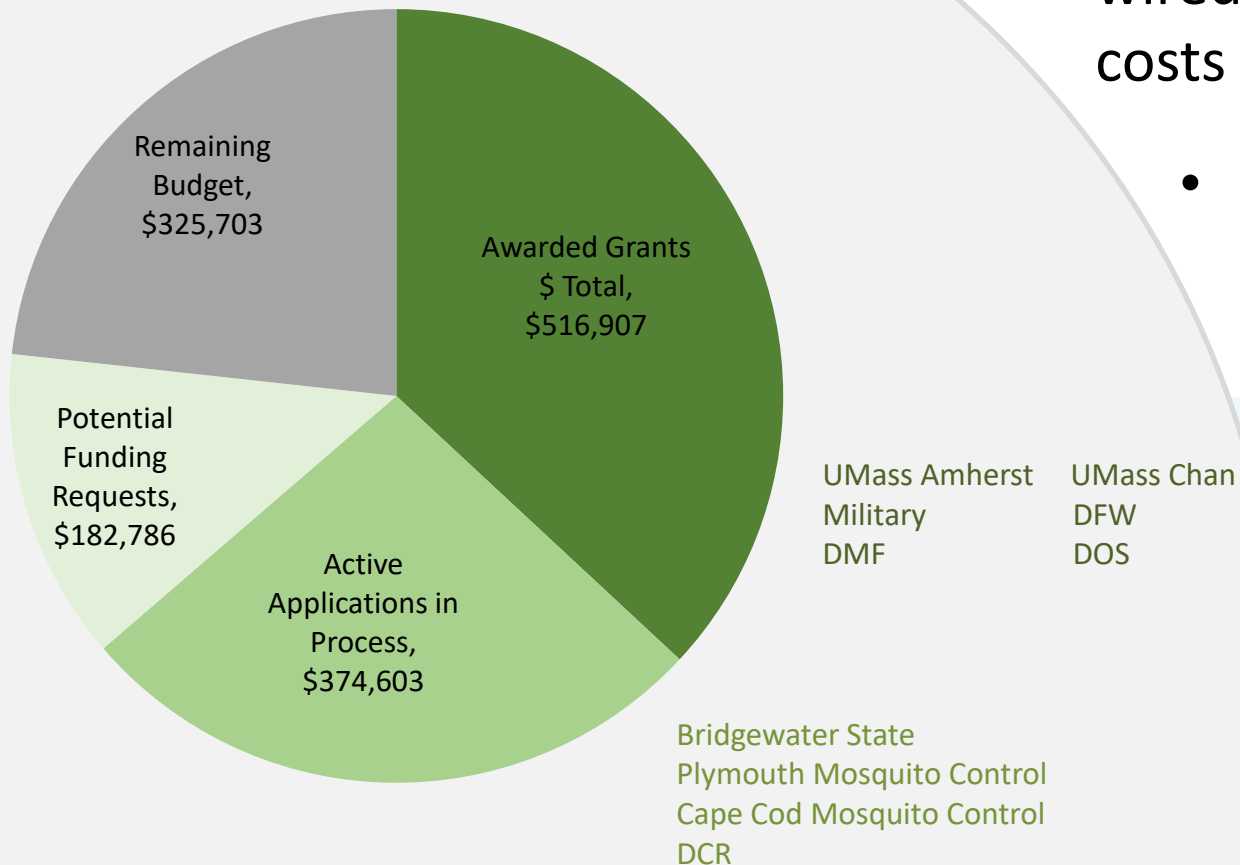
Tells us about it in an [Express Interest form](#)!

LBE Awards Ceremony will take place at State House in December
See www.mass.gov/LBEAwards for more details

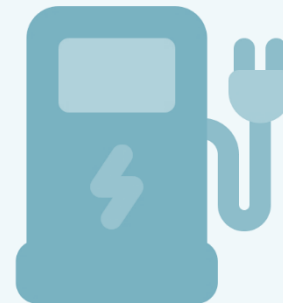


LBE Fleet EV Charging Grant Program

Fleet EVSE Grant Program Budget



- Additional funding recently added to program budget
- Up to 100% of EV charging equipment (both hard-wired and portable), installation, and ongoing costs covered
- [Apply now](#) to help your fleet prepare for future EV assets!



Average cost per charging port, all-in: \$11,160

- Equipment costs relatively consistent for Level 2 charging
- Installation costs (e.g., electrical upgrades) vary by site

Decarbonization Webpage

Decarbonization of Massachusetts State Facilities

Learn about various studies and strategies that state facilities are undertaking to decarbonize their operations, as well as resources available to support efforts to lead by example.

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- ✓ What is Decarbonization?
- ✓ Decarbonizing State Facilities: Targeting Onsite Fossil Fuels
- ✓ The State Building Portfolio
- ✓ State Entity Decarbonization Plans and Studies
- ✓ Spotlight on Higher Education Campus Decarbonization Studies (SSU, UMA, UMD, UML)
- ✓ Decarbonization Tools and Resources
- ✓ Laws and Policies

LBE Decarbonization Webpage includes:

- Completed state entity decarbonization plans and study RFPs
- Informational resources on completed decarbonization studies
- Links to tools and resources to support decarbonization planning
- Links to laws, policies, and programs related to facility decarbonization

LBE FY23 Tracking Form

What is it?



- Form collects data on energy consumption, vehicle fleet, EV charging, renewable energy, and other sustainability efforts for FY23

What's new?



- No major changes to FY23 form
- **Vehicle Fleet tab**
 - Updated to better align with EO594 fleet electrification goals & definitions – fleet summary table revised & expanded to capture more detail on MD & HD fleets
- **Sustainability tab**
 - Types of waste diversion programs your entity participates in (e.g., food donation, cardboard, landscaping waste, furniture reuse)
 - Irrigation at facilities & interest in participating in water-use assessment
 - Resilience efforts & planning

When is it due?



- Form is due **December 8, 2023**

LBE Progress Webpage

Leading by Example Progress Dashboard and Reports

Massachusetts state government entities are advancing the use of technologies and strategies that save energy and water resources, increasing the deployment of renewable energy, and reducing greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from both buildings and fleets in support of the Commonwealth's efforts to address climate change. This page contains information about progress towards the LBE portfolio's collective goals and targets.

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- ✓ LBE Progress Dashboard
- ✓ LBE Progress Snapshot: FY22
- ✓ LBE Progress Reports

**Revamped
Progress
webpage!**

Revamped LBE Progress Webpage now includes:

- Progress dashboard download
- Summary of FY22 portfolio progress
- Annual portfolio progress reports (FY15-22)
- FY12 & FY20 comprehensive progress reports (*coming soon*)

Intent of LBE Progress Dashboard

- **Goal:** Be as transparent as possible with the significant amount of existing data for the state portfolio
- **Transparent data enables:**
 - ✓ Insight on energy usage & emissions across state portfolio and at agency/campus level
 - ✓ Peer-to-peer comparison
 - ✓ Performance tracking over time
 - ✓ Tracking progress toward EO594 targets & directives

LBE Progress Dashboard

Previous public reporting/data

- Some static graphs on website but lacking details on progress toward EO594 goals & objectives

Progress Dashboard

- Expands the granularity of LBE state portfolio data available on the LBE website
- Adds data for a wide range of topics (emissions, renewables, EVSE, etc.)
- Provides data at **portfolio-level, secretariat-level, and agency/campus-level**
- Shows movement towards all EO594 targets and other metrics

Dashboard Updates

- Dashboard will live on the new LBE Progress webpage and enable users to download
- Dashboard is current through FY22 and will be updated every fiscal year
- Launching new quarterly survey soon to enable more frequent tracking of certain data (e.g., EVs, EVSE, LEED buildings, etc.)

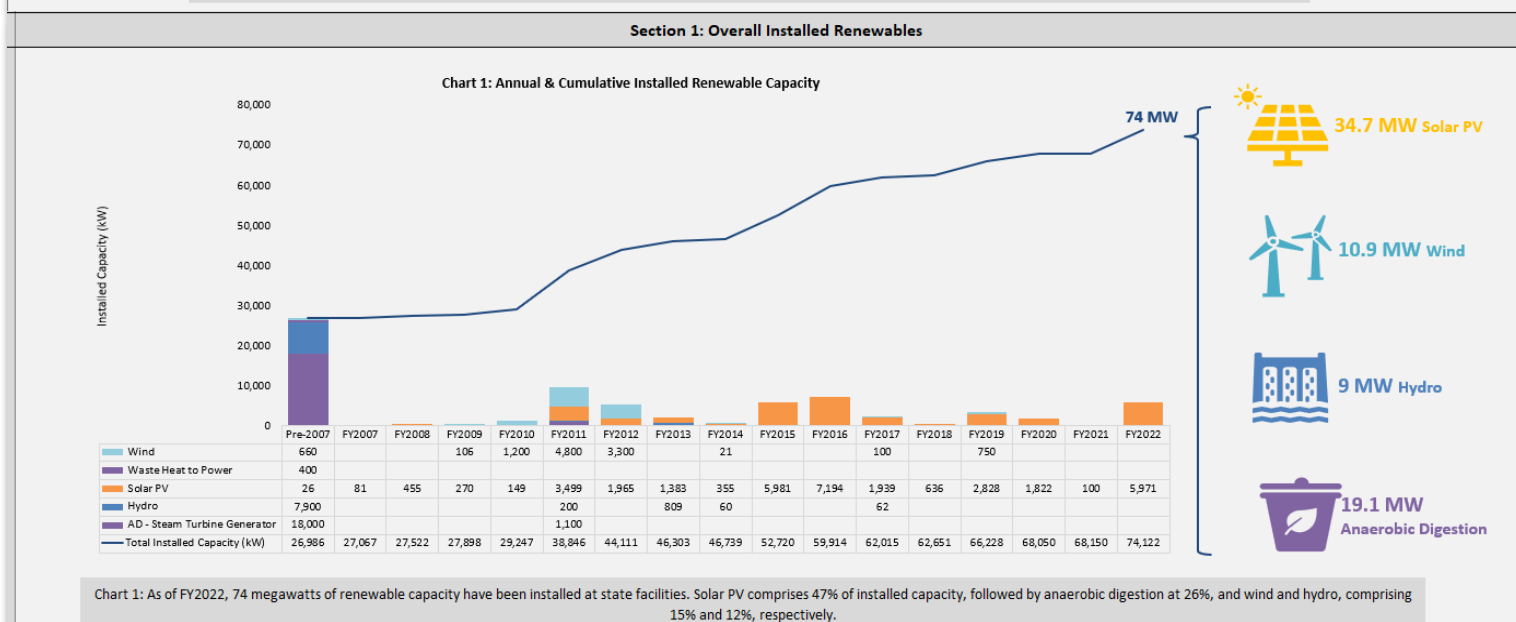
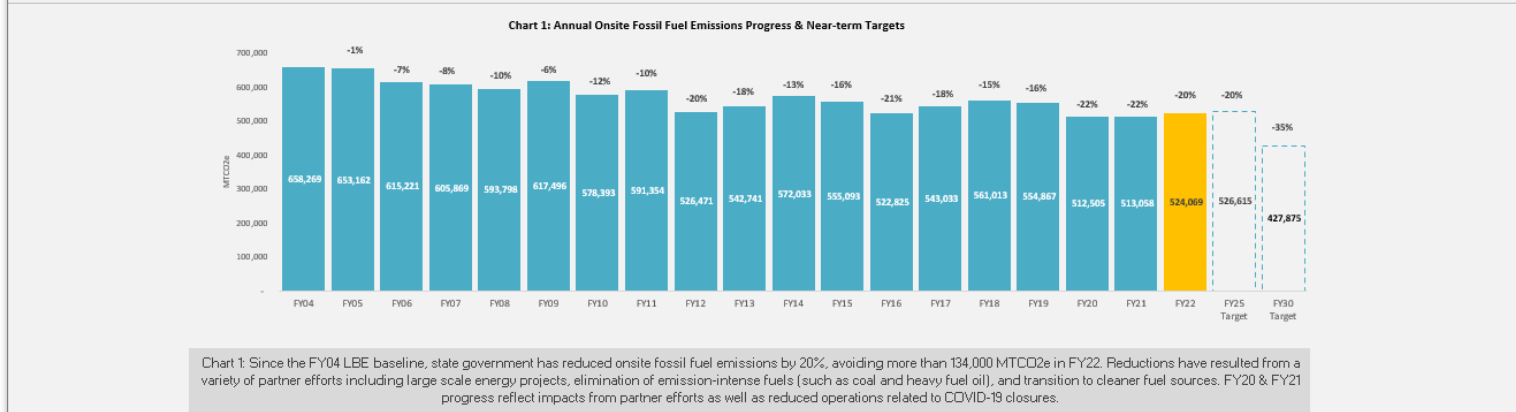
LBE Progress Dashboard

Section 1: Overall Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions

	FY04	FY05	FY06	FY07	FY08	FY09	FY10	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20*	FY21*	FY22	FY25	FY30	FY40	FY50
Total Annual Emissions (MTCO ₂ e)	653,162	615,221	615,221	615,221	617,496	617,496	617,496	591,354	526,471	542,741	542,741	555,093	522,825	543,033	561,013	554,867	512,505	513,058	524,069	526,615	427,875	263,307	32,313
Reduction from FY04 (% change)	0%	-1%	-7%	-8%	-10%	-8%	-12%	-10%	-20%	-18%	-13%	-16%	-21%	-18%	-15%	-16%	-22%	-22%	-20%	-20%	-35%	-60%	-95%
Reduction from FY04 (MTCO ₂ e)	0	5,106	43,048	52,400	64,471	40,772	73,876	66,915	131,737	115,528	86,236	103,175	135,444	115,236	97,256	103,401	145,763	145,210	134,199	131,654	230,394	334,961	625,355

* FY20 & FY21 onsite fossil fuel emissions progress includes impacts derived, in part, from COVID-19 related closures.

EO 594 Onsite Fossil Fuel Reduction Targets



Includes data at portfolio-level, secretariat-level, & agency/campus-level for:

- ↑ Progress Toward EO594 Targets
- 🏠 Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions
- 🏠 Fuel Consumption
- 💡 Energy Use Intensity
- 🚗 State Fleet Composition & Electrification
- 🔌 EV Charging Stations
- 🏠 LEED Certified Buildings
- ☀️ Installed Renewables
- 🌳 Sustainable Landscaping
- \$ LBE Grants
- ⚖️ Equity

Dashboard: EO594 Progress

Executive Order 594: Progress to Targets

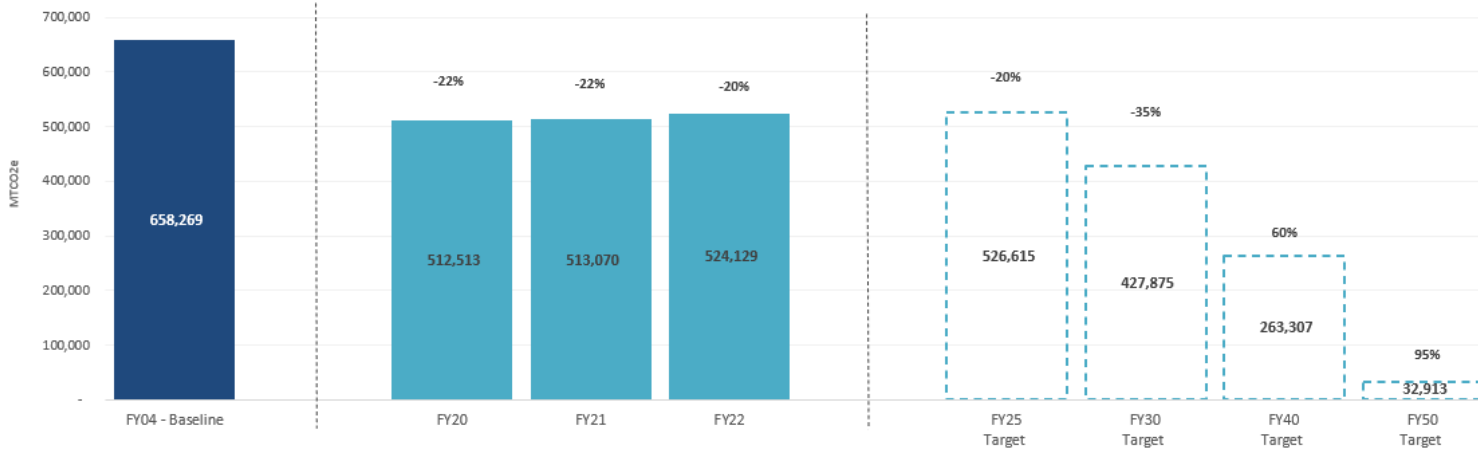
Executive Order 594 sets goals and requirements that will accelerate the decarbonization of fuels used to heat and cool state facilities, help to demonstrate new technologies and strategies necessary to meet the Commonwealth's energy goals, and quicken the shift to electric heating and vehicles. To help guide and measure the collective progress toward meeting these objectives, Executive Order 594 sets specific energy-related targets for Massachusetts state government between 2025 and 2050.

This section displays graphs on EO594 targets and LBE portfolio progress towards those targets.

[To learn more, visit the Leading by Example Executive Order 594: Decarbonizing and Minimizing Environmental Impacts of State Government website.](#)

Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions

Onsite Fossil Fuel Progress & Fossil Fuel Reduction Targets



Since the Fiscal Year 2004 baseline, the 50 Leading by Example partners, including authorities, state agencies, and public higher education campuses, have reduced onsite fossil fuel emissions by 20%, avoiding more than 134,000 MTCO2e in FY22. FY20 & FY21 progress reflect impacts from partner efforts as well as reduced operations related to COVID-19 closures.

[Visit the onsite fossil fuel emissions section to learn more about state government efforts toward achieving these targets.](#)

Dashboard: Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions

Section 1: Overall Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions

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	FY04	FY05	FY06	FY07	FY08	FY09	FY10	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20*	FY21*	FY22	FY25	FY30	FY40	FY50
Total Annual Emissions (MTCO2e)	658,269	653,162	615,221	605,869	593,798	617,496	578,393	591,354	526,471	542,741	572,033	555,093	522,825	543,033	561,013	554,870	512,513	513,070	524,129	526,615	427,875	263,307	32,913
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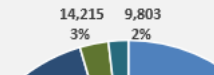
* FY20 & FY21 onsite fossil fuel emissions progress includes impacts derived, in part, from COVID-19 related closures.

EO 594 Onsite Fossil Fuel Reduction Targets

Chart 1: Annual Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions Progress & Near-term Targets

Chart 1: Annual Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions by Entity Type

Chart 2: FY22 Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions Contribution by Entity Type

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Section 3: Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions by Entity

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Chart 1: FY22 Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions by Entity

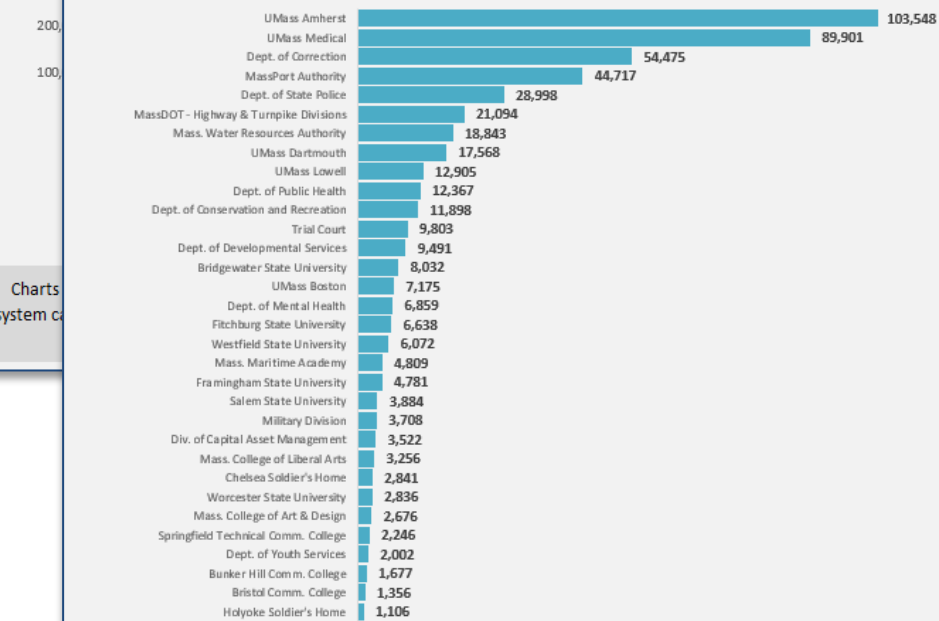
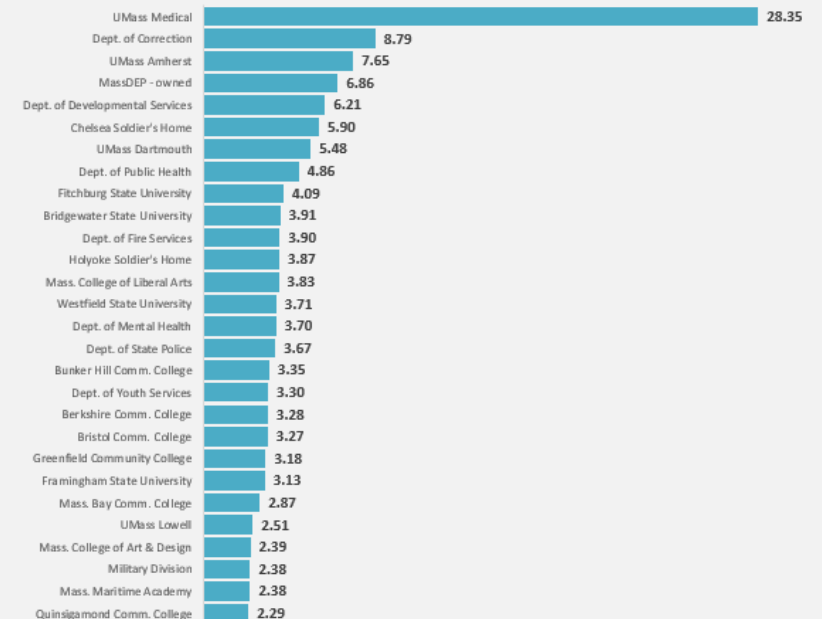


Chart 2: FY22 Onsite Fossil Fuel Emissions per Square Foot by Entity



Dashboard: Fleet

This section displays graphs related to the composition of the state fleet and progress towards fleet electrification and decarbonization.

Note: In this tab, "Authorities" includes the MBTA non-revenue fleet.

The fleet numbers do not include the approximately 3,180 vehicles in the State Police fleet due to use largely as emergency response vehicles which are currently exempt from EO 594. The fleet numbers do include the Sheriff Department fleets but it is important to note these fleets may include a few emergency response vehicles.

[Section 1: Zero-Emission and Alternative Fuel Assets in the State Fleet](#)

[Section 2: State Fleet Composition by Asset and Entity Type](#)

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Chart 2: Fleet Breakdown by Vehicle Technology Type

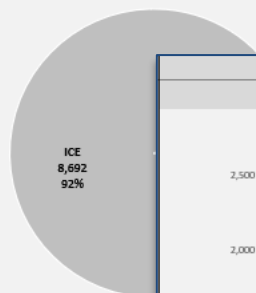
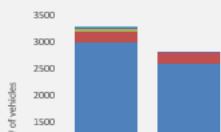


Chart 2: Ninety-two percent of the fleet is comprised of ICE vehicles, while 8% is comprised of ZEV vehicles.

Chart 1: There are 719 ZEV utility vehicles in the state fleet.



EO594 - Progress

Chart 3: Year-over-Year ZEV Progress & Technology Breakdown

180
160

Section 2: State Fleet Composition by Asset & Entity Type

Chart 1: State Fleet Composition by Vehicle Type

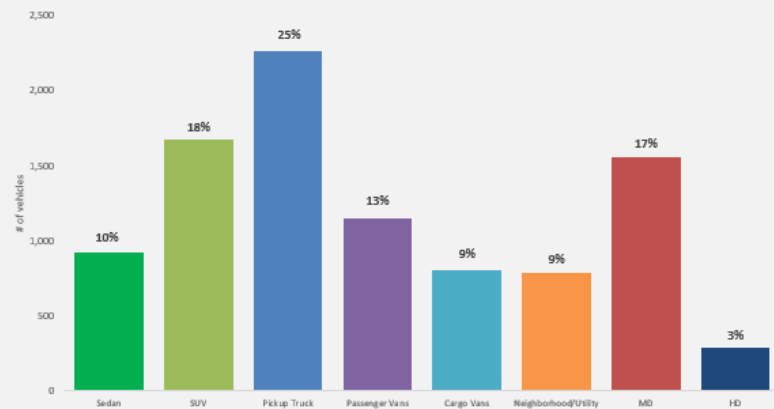


Chart 1: Currently, the state fleet is comprised of about 9,400 on-road and neighborhood/utility vehicles ranging across all vehicle classes and includes executive branch, university and college, and authority fleets. Light-duty and neighborhood/utility vehicles account for 80% of the fleet (GVWR of 8,500 lbs or less).

Chart 2: State Fleet Contribution by Vehicle Type

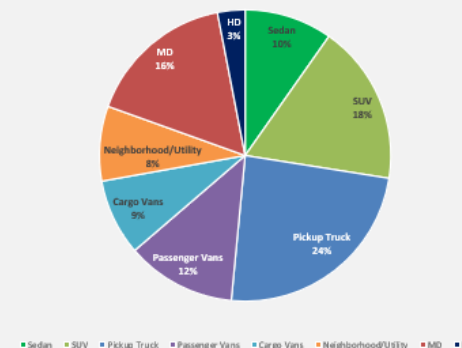


Chart 2: Of the roughly 9,400 fleet vehicles, about a quarter (24%) is comprised of pickup trucks, with passenger and cargo vans together comprising another 21%. SUVs account for 18% of the fleet while sedans make up 10% of the fleet. Neighborhood and utility vehicles make up 8%. Specialty assets used for construction & maintenance purposes comprise the majority of medium and heavy duty classes which comprise 19% of the fleet.

Chart 3: Fleet Distribution by Asset & Entity Type

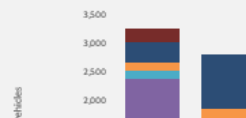
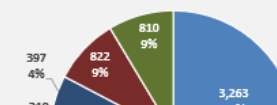


Chart 4: Fleet Distribution by Entity Type



Dashboard: EV Charging

[Chart 5: EV Charging Stations by Entity Type](#)

[Chart 6: EV Charging Stations by Entity](#)

Chart 1: Annual & Cumulative EV Charging Stations

Stations (as of 8/20/2023)	FY25 Target	FY30 Target
334	350	500

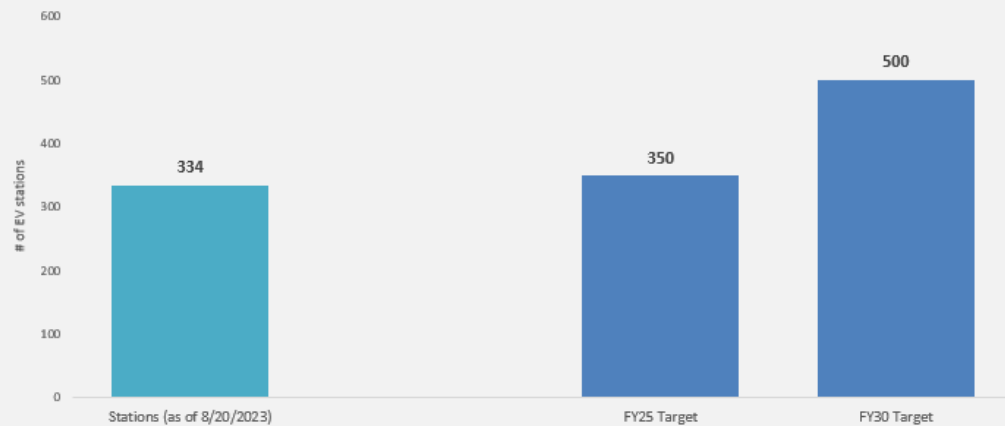


Chart 1: As of the end of July 2023, there are 328 EV charging stations (551 ports) installed & active at state facilities. To meet the FY25 target, the LBE portfolio will need to install an additional 22 stations.

Chart 2: Annual EV Charging Station Installations by Type

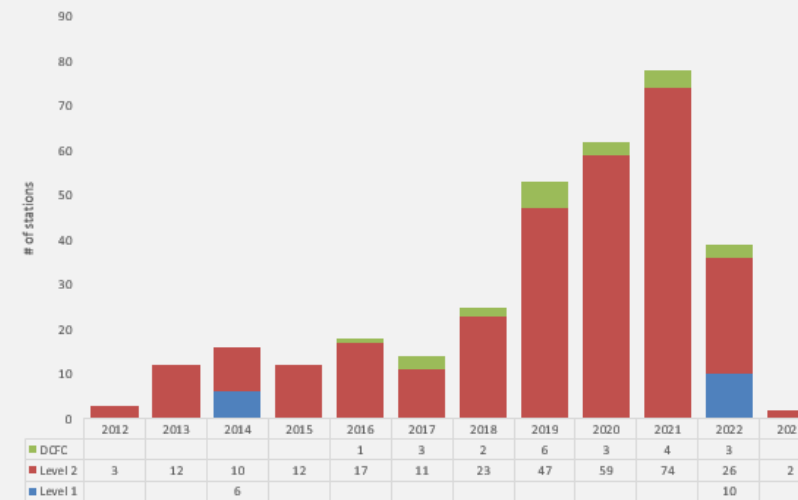
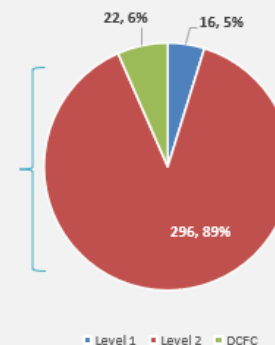


Chart 3: EV Station by Type



Charts 2 & 3: Of the 328 installed & active stations, 88% are Level 2 charging infrastructure. Additionally, 23 DC fast charging stations have been installed to support rapid charging needs.

[Please see EO 594, Section 5C Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment Guideline for more information on what constitutes Level 1, Level 2, and DCFC charging.](#)

Updated BPLE Calculator

Live on the [LBE Sustainable Landscaping website](#)

Select your equipment and provide some basic equipment details (or use provided default data)...

Step 1	Select Equipment	<u>Riding Zero-Turn Mower 48"</u>
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Commercial Battery-Powered			
	Default Data	Use Default Data?	Input (if Default not used)
Price of Equipment	\$27,000.00	Yes	
Mass Save Rebate*	\$3,500.00	Yes	
Prompt Pay Discount	use drop down --->		<u>0%</u>
Add-ons	Include total cost of any additional features, such as extra chargers, lights, solar canopy, etc		
Additional Number of Batteries to be Purchased	use drop down --->		<u>0</u>
Cost per Additional Battery	\$0.00	Yes	
Equipment Specifications			
Battery size (kWh)	24	Yes	
Electricity Information			
Electricity cost (\$/per kWh)	\$0.16	Yes	
Hours of Operation			
Hours per day	use drop down --->		<u>8</u>
Days per month	use drop down --->		<u>15</u>
Months per year	use drop down --->		<u>6</u>
Warranty			
Length of warranty (years)	use drop down --->		<u>3</u>

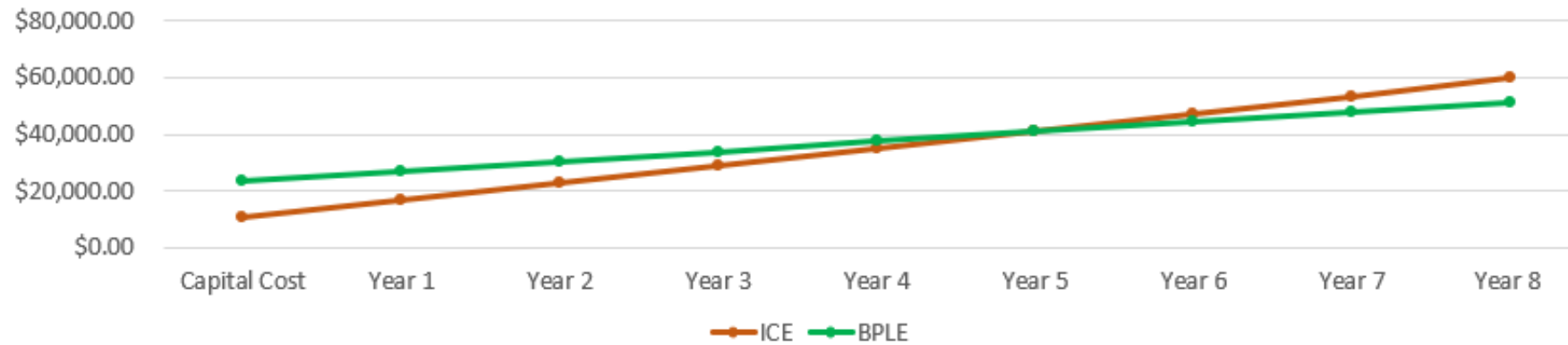
ICE			
	Default Data	Use Default Data?	Input (if Default not used)
Price of equipment	\$10,719.00	Yes	
Prompt pay discount (PPD)	use drop down --->		<u>0%</u>
Add-ons	Include total cost of any additional features, such as extra lights, extra tanks, etc		
Equipment Specifications			
Horsepower	23.5	Yes	
Gallons of gasoline per hour	2	Yes	
Fuel Information			
Price per gallon of gas	\$3.38	Yes	
Hours of Operation			
Hours per day	8.0	Yes	
Days per month	15.0	Yes	
Months per year	6.0	Yes	
Warranty			
Length of warranty (years)	use drop down --->		<u>3</u>

Updated BPLE Calculator

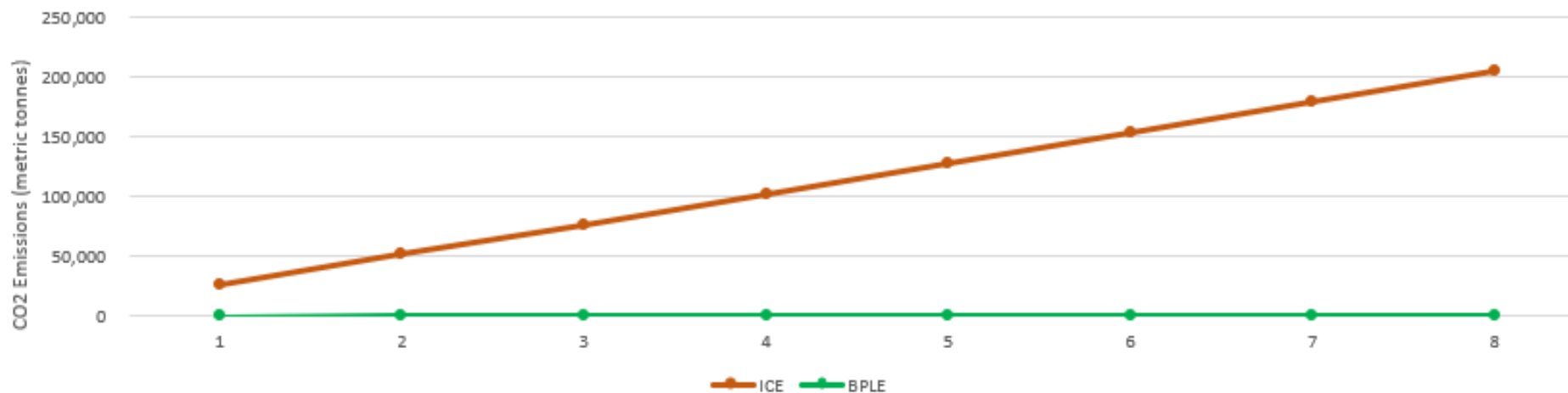
Live on the [LBE Sustainable Landscaping website](#)

...and see the total cost of ownership and emissions reduction potential of switching to BPLE!

Cumulative Upkeep Costs: Commercial Gas vs BPLE



Cumulative CO2 Emissions: Commercial Gas vs BPLE



See a similar calculator for ICE vs Electric Vehicles on [LBE's Clean Transportation page!](#)

New BPLE Flyer

- One-stop shop for public entities to learn benefits of BPLE, how to try out equipment, where and how to purchase, and how to take advantage of Mass Save rebates.
- Be sure to report BPLE you procure on the FY23 LBE Tracking Form!

Battery-Powered Landscaping Equipment Resources Guide

DOER Leading by Example and OSD are working collaboratively to promote the adoption of battery-powered landscaping equipment (BPLE) at state facilities. BPLE offers a clean, emissions-free alternative to traditional gas- and propane-powered internal combustion equipment. Besides contributing to the Commonwealth's decarbonization goals, this equipment offers numerous benefits including reduced operational costs and improved staff health and comfort. This guide is intended to summarize key resources to help state entities navigate the various educational resources, costs, benefits, incentives, and statewide contract availability.

Learn the Benefits	<p>Compared to fossil fuel-based equipment, BPLE is quieter, smoother, easier to maintain, and produces zero onsite greenhouse gas and particulate matter emissions. Several resources are available to provide a deeper dive on the potential benefits to state entities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation from 2022 Ride and Drive event: Recording and Slides • Two-page flyer: Commercial-Grade BPLE for State Entities • OSD's Environmentally Preferable Products Program • Leading by Example Sustainable Landscaping • External organizations: Quiet Communities and AGZA
Calculate Your Savings	<p>Depending on the type of equipment, BPLE may have higher capital costs than traditional equipment. However, due to lower fuel and maintenance costs, BPLE often has a lower lifetime cost of ownership. Use the BPLE Savings Calculator to estimate the potential costs and emissions savings by switching to BPLE.</p>
Test the Equipment	<p>The DCAMM Tool Barn is a program available to state agencies to borrow and test equipment at no cost. The Tool Barn includes a battery electric backpack leaf blower, commercial push mower, and pro-turn mower. For the latest inventory, usage guidelines, and request form, see the Tool Barn Program website.</p>
Leverage Statewide Contracts	<p>BPLE is available for purchase via statewide contract FAC116: Lawns and Grounds Equipment, Category 8. Many vendors have demonstration equipment for potential buyers to test prior to purchase. The FAC116 contract user guide includes vendor contact information and instructions for using this contract. To ensure you are procuring commercial-grade equipment, consult the FAC116 Commercial Grade BPLE Specifications document on COMMBUYS.</p>
Get a Rebate	<p>Mass Save offers a \$3,500 rebate for the purchase of commercial-grade battery-powered lawnmowers with battery capacity greater than 7kWh, as well as \$100 rebates for leaf blowers, string trimmers, and chainsaws with battery capacity greater than 0.5kWh. Visit the Mass Save website for more information and rebate forms.</p>
Report Progress	<p>Did your entity purchase battery-powered equipment? What were your challenges? Success stories? Contact Ryan.Kingston@mass.gov to share your progress and discuss barriers.</p>



MOR-EV

Massachusetts Offers Rebates
for Electric Vehicles

New Program Changes

Buying or Leasing an EV for Yourself?

MOR-EV Standard, MOR-EV Used, and MOR-EV+ Rebates

- \$3,500 for eligible new battery electric (BEVs) or fuel cell electric vehicles (FCEVs)
- \$3,500 rebate for used BEVs/FCEVs if income-qualifying resident
- \$1,500 MOR-EV+ rebate adder if income-qualifying resident
- Rebates now available at point of purchase or lease through participating MA auto dealerships



Buying or Leasing EVs for Your Fleet?

MOR-EV Trucks and MOR-EV Medium- and Heavy-Duty Rebates

- Public fleets can access funding for [eligible new BEVs and FCEVs](#)

New! – Pickup trucks **6,000-10,000** pounds GVWR and other body types 8,501-10,000 pounds; maximum \$80K MSRP; **\$7,500 rebate**

– Vehicles over 10,000 pounds; maximum \$2M MSRP; **\$15,000-\$90,000 rebate**

- Rebates can be combined with new [federal tax credit elective pay](#) incentives
 - Cannot* be combined with funds from other state-administered programs (e.g., MassDEP's programs, including MassEVIP Fleets for vehicles <8,500lbs)



MOR-EV Trucks

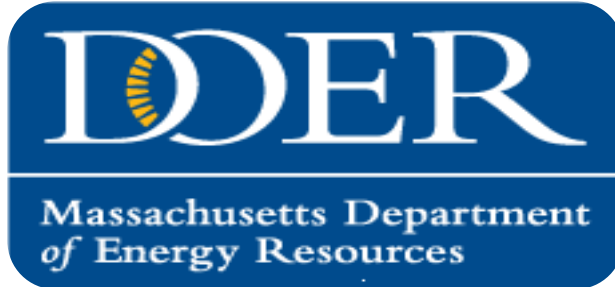
- \$7,500 rebate available after purchase or lease
- Pickup trucks 6,000-10,000 pounds GVWR
- All other body types 8,501-10,000 pounds GVWR
- Maximum \$80,000 total MSRP
- Minimum lease term or vehicle retention period: 36 months



MOR-EV Medium-/Heavy-Duty Rebates

- \$15,000-\$90,000 rebate depending on GVWR over 10,000 pounds →
- All applicants must apply for **Rebate Reservation Voucher** before claiming the rebate
- Declining block structure: after 200 rebates reserved in collective Block 1, value of rebates declines by 15%
- 10% rebate adder if registered or operating in an EJC
- Maximum \$2M total MSRP
- Minimum lease term or vehicle retention period: 48 months

Vehicle Class	GVWR (lbs.)	Block 1 Incentive Amount
3	10,001-14,000	\$15,000
4	14,001-16,000	\$30,000
5	16,001-19,500	\$45,000
6	19,501-26,000	\$60,000
7	26,001-33,000	\$75,000
8	33,001+	\$90,000



Meeting Spotlight

Breakout Discussion 1: Electrification Efforts

- EO594 directs state agencies to effectively eliminate onsite use of fossil fuels in buildings, vehicles, and equipment
- This directive aims to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from fuels and equipment that are in direct control of state government
- Strategies to meet this directive include:



Procuring EVs and deploying charging stations



Switching to battery-powered landscaping equipment



Undertaking studies to strategize facility electrification

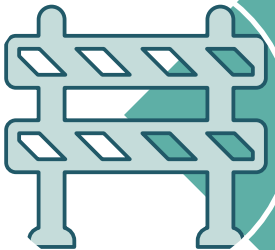


Deploying heat pumps

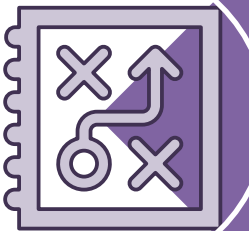
Breakout Discussion 1: Electrification Efforts



What are 1-3 goals you have related to electrification of your facilities/fleets/equipment? *(New to this year or continuation of previous efforts)*



What do you see as your biggest challenge in accomplishing these goals?



What needs to happen in order for you to achieve those goals?



Report-Out

Breakout Discussion 2: Supporting Commonwealth Decarbonization

- Achieving net-zero emissions across the Commonwealth by 2050 (or earlier) will require an all-of-government approach
- State facilities can support the Commonwealth's broader climate goals through a number of strategies that go beyond vehicle and facility electrification, including:



Reducing peak electricity demand



Reducing energy use



Deploying battery energy storage systems



Installing renewable energy resources



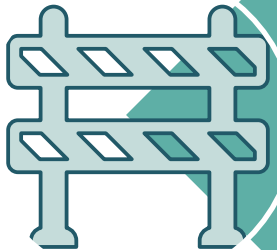
Conducting internal or external education and outreach

Breakout Discussion 1:

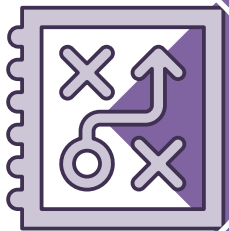
Supporting Commonwealth Decarbonization



What are 1-3 goals you have that will support the Commonwealth's broader decarbonization goals? *(New to this year or continuation of previous efforts)*



What do you see as your biggest challenge in accomplishing these goals?



What needs to happen in order for you to achieve those goals?



Report-Out

Next LBE Council Meeting

Save the Date!
November 14th
10am-12pm

Upcoming Tentative
Meeting Dates:
January 9th
March 12th

