

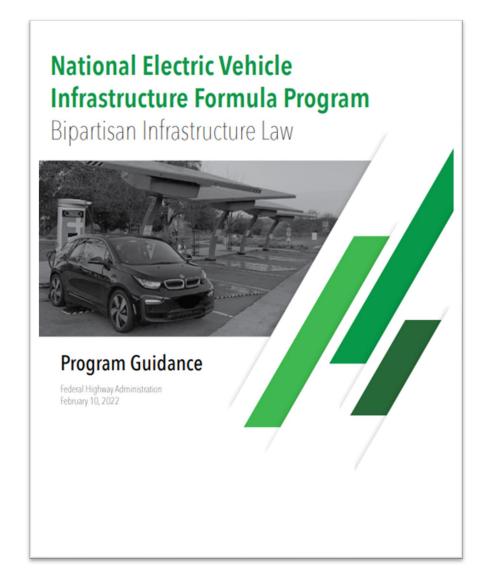
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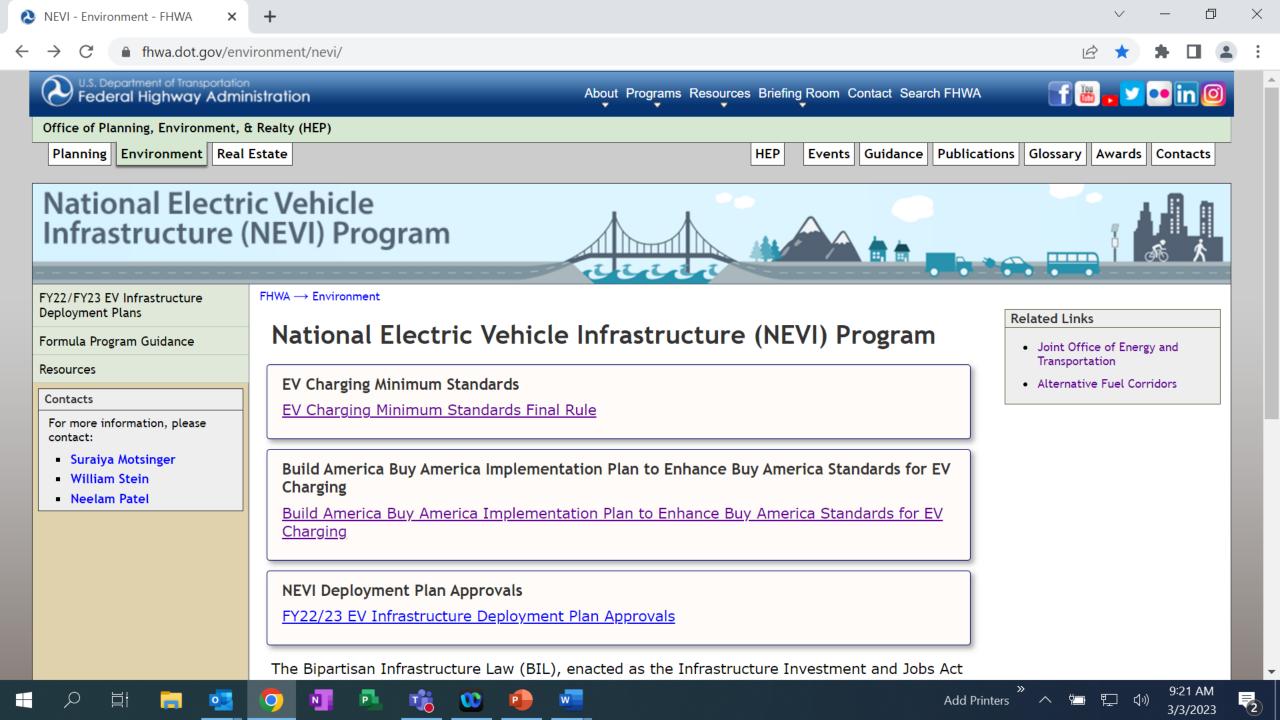
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What is NEVI?

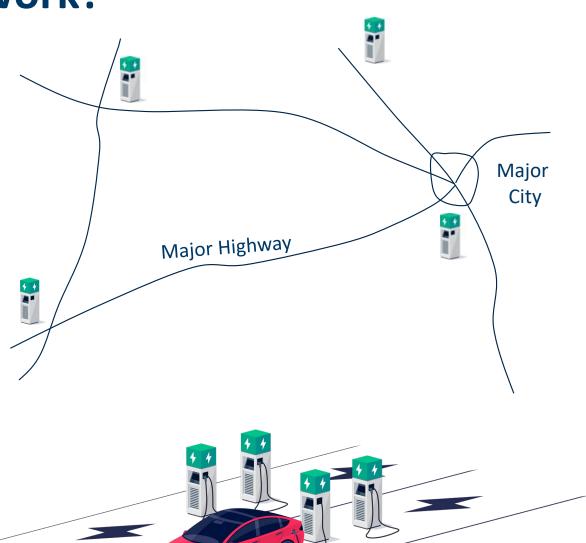
- New federal program authorized under the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law
- Provides funds to states to install DC fast chargers along designated corridors
- Federal appropriation for Minnesota is \$68
 million for federal FY 22 26
- 20% non-federal match and state legislative spending authorization required
- Plan submitted to new Joint Office of Energy and Transportation by Aug 1 to access formula funds
- MN Plan approved September 14, 2022





So how does the NEVI program work?

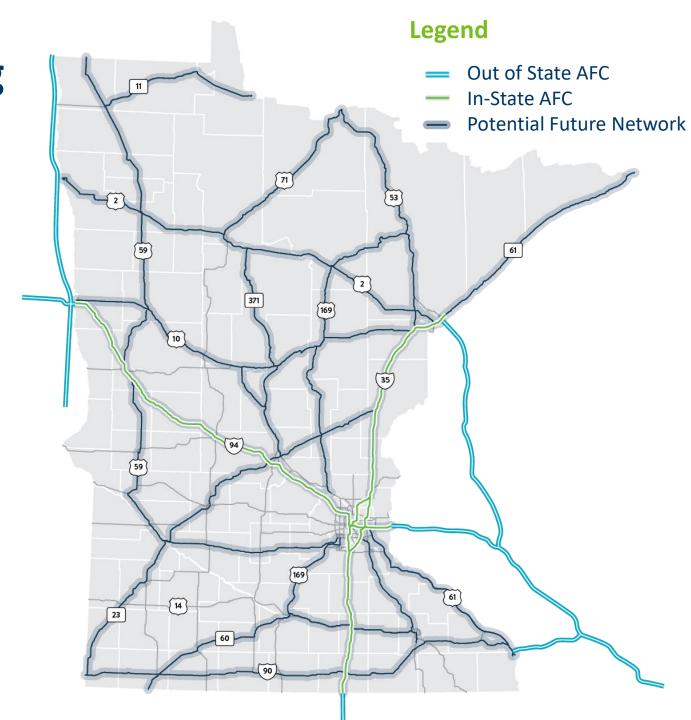
- Funding must be used to <u>build out Alternative Fuel</u>
 <u>Corridors (AFCs) first</u> before spent on non-AFC
 corridors
- Charger requirements for full build out
 - Level 3 DC Fast Charging
 - Located every 50 miles
 - Located <1-mile from AFCs
 - 4 150 kW fast chargers at each site
- MnDOT's first year of funding will focus on the buildout of NEVI compliant chargers along the existing AFCs in Minnesota: I-94 and I-35
- Third-parties will be site host/service providers of the stations –MnDOT will not own, operate or maintain.



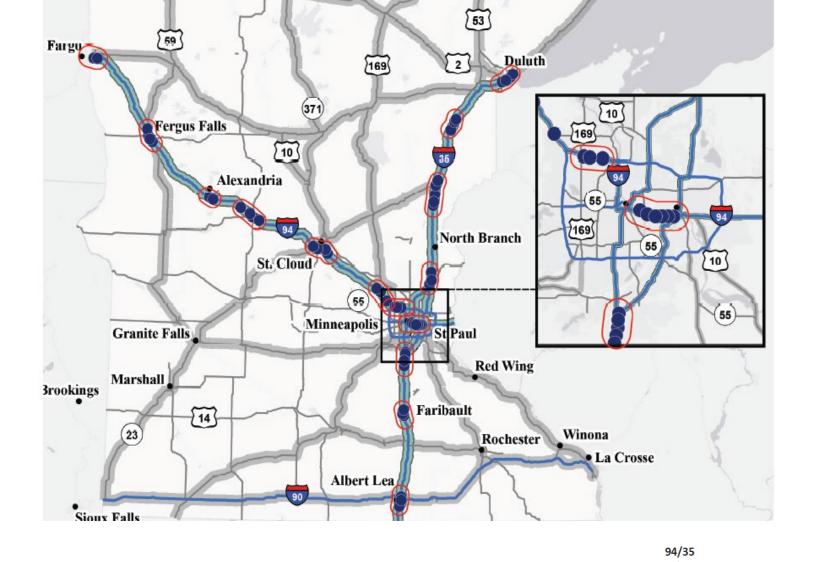
Minnesota EV Fast Charging Network Vision

Includes all potential corridors for investment with the \$68 million of NEVI funds (FY 2022-2026)

- Promotes coverage across the state
- Prioritizes roadways that serve long distance travel
- Creates a network that connects to other networks
- Recognizes both rural and urban communities
- Serves current and future EV drivers



Fast Charger Locations: I-94 and I-35



2.5 mi

13.5 mi 🔛

28 mi

3.5 mi 🕜

42 mi

8 mi

State Line

Duluth

N Lake Ave

US-2

N 63rd Ave W

S Boundary Ave

Moose/Sturgeon

CSAH 8 CR-137 Laketown Rd

94/23

Beroun Crossing Rd P

Pokegama Lake Rd P

35 N Split E. Viking Blvd W Broadway Ave

Lake Dr NE

35 S Split

CR 42 E P

Crystal Lake Rd W

CR 46 P

Kenwood Trail F

185th St W P 210th St W P

> Faribault MN-21 P

MN-60 Lyndale Ave S P

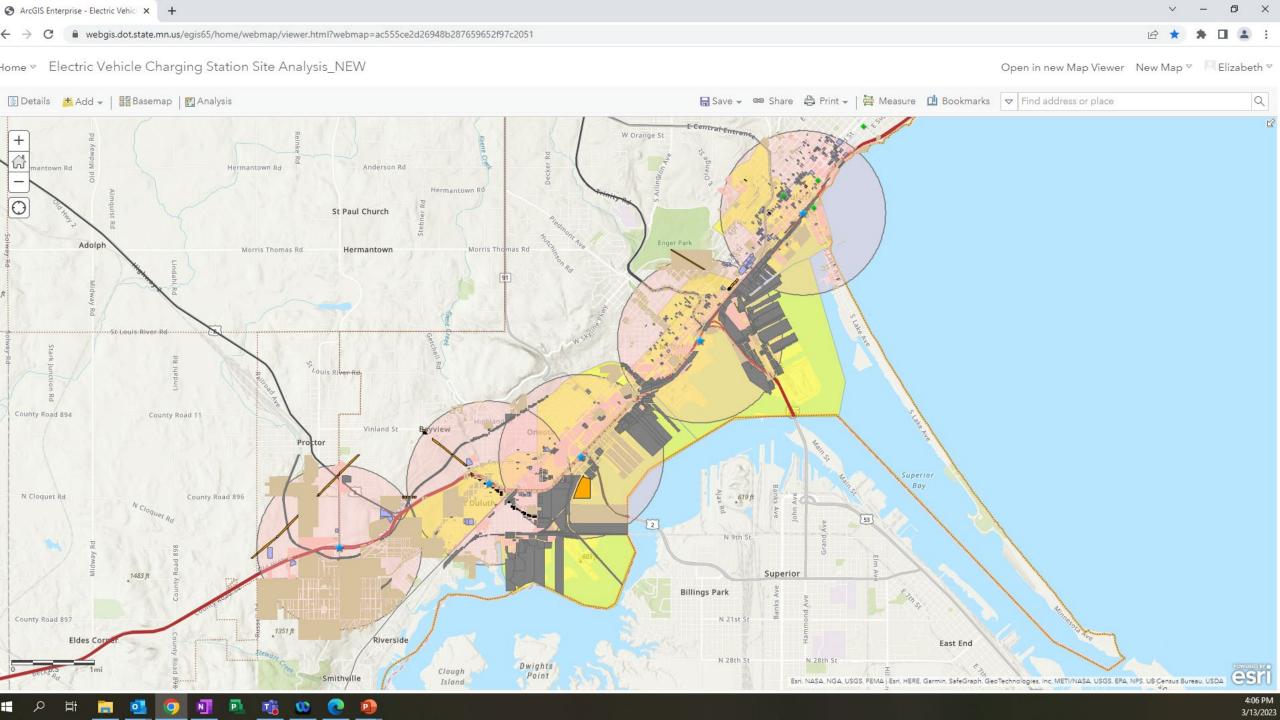
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E Main St P

US-65



P – 600kW load verified available per utility input



Cost Estimate

- Charger costs assume a full NEVI-compliant build-out of (4) 150kW chargers
- A range of costs have been identified
 - Setting (urban and un-developed rural will cost the most, developed but expandable the least)
 - Range from \$1,200/kW \$2,000/kW
- The assumed planning-level cost per station is \$900,000 (\$1,500/kW)
 - I-94 (8 stations) = \$7.2M
 - I-35 (8 stations) = \$7.2M
 - Initial Build Out: \$14.4M (Slightly more than Year 1 + Match)



Proposed Implementation Process

Winter 2023



STIP
amendment
and FHWA
Preliminary
Engineering
Authorization

Spring/Summer 2023



Site Feasibility and Develop Application



Early Fall 2023



RFP – Site Applications

RFP- NEPA Consultant

Late Fall 2023



Project Selection

Conditional award

Winter 2024



NEPA Catex Spring 2024



FHWA
Construction
Authorization
and Agreement

Development

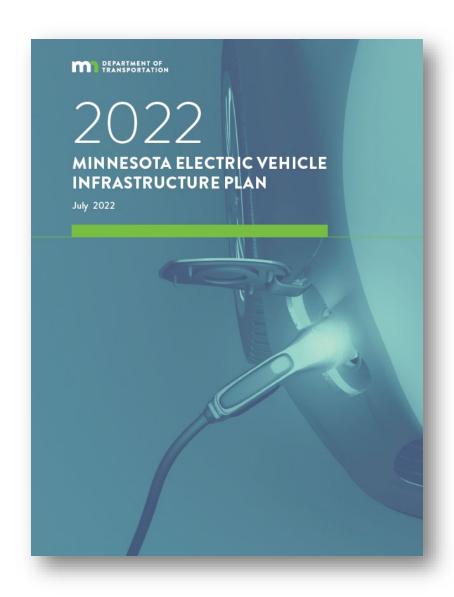
Summer/ Fall 2024



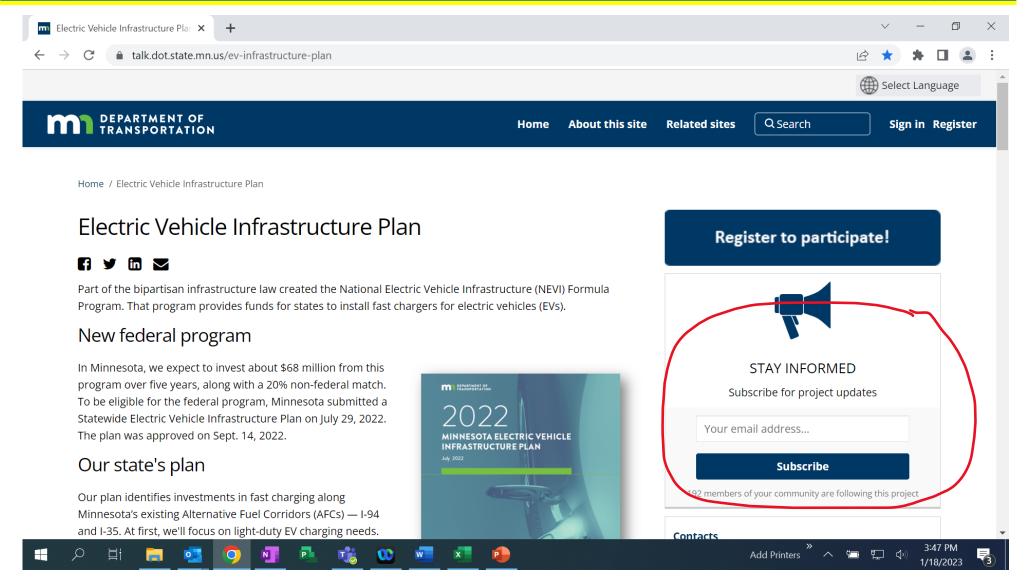
Installation

Next Steps

- First round of NEVI formula funds investment
 - Consultant-led site feasibility study and consultantsupported competitive selection process
 - Environmental documentation for 16 selected projects
 - Execute agreements for 16 selected projects (~ 2024)
- Ongoing planning
 - AFC nominations ~ Input in spring 2023 (nomination round date pending from FHWA)
 - First annual plan update ~ Aug 2023
 - Building out non-AFC roads



https://talk.dot.state.mn.us/ev-infrastructure-plan



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Thank You

