



# **Evening Community Meeting: Clean Transportation Incentives**

Public Workgroup Meeting  
February 17, 2026

# Meeting Agreements

- Be respectful
- Take space, make space
- Listen to understand
- Consider equity

# **Evening Community Meetings**

Monthly community meetings provide a space for community members across the state to engage with California Air Resources Board staff.

## **Community Meeting Goals**

- Hold a platform for community voices and priorities
- Brainstorm solutions for clean transportation needs
- Highlight important program information
- Foster ongoing communication between staff and the communities

# Today's Agenda

Time	Session
5:00 - 5:10 p.m.	Introduction
5:10 - 5:30 p.m.	Cal Fleet Advisor Overview
5:30 - 5:50 p.m.	December Clean Fleet Connect Public Workgroup Recap
5:50 - 6:10 p.m.	Heavy-Duty Outreach and Engagement Events
6:10 - 6:20 p.m.	Update on 2025 Evening Community Meetings Survey
6:20 - 6:25 p.m.	Future Events, Wrap Up, and Next Steps



# Clean Fleet Advisor Overview

Brian Rand



Evening Community Meeting



# What is Cal Fleet Advisor?

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# Cal Fleet Advisor



- Administered by CALSTART on behalf of CARB
- Funded by HVIP
- Provide free Technical Assistance to all California MHD fleets
- Prioritize small fleets, drayage, and disadvantaged communities
- Collaborative approach to fleet assistance – learn about fleet needs and provide fleet-specific advice



# Cal Fleet Advisor Mission



Cal Fleet Advisor's mission is to provide **no-cost education, technical assistance, and referrals** to enable **California's medium- and heavy-duty fleets** of **any size** to switch to **zero-emissions vehicles**.

# How We Help

- **Provide** concierge-style assistance to help fleets overcome electrification challenges
- **Address** fleet's specific needs - not a one-size-fits-all approach
- **Focus** on straightforward solutions to stated issues
- **Apply** lessons to future fleet assistance



# Who We Serve



- Any on-road medium- or heavy-duty commercial fleet in California
  - From cargo vans to semi-trucks
- Currently working with fleets from 0 trucks to 52,000
- Many different types of fleets:
  - Commercial fleets
  - Non-profits
  - Cities
  - Irrigation districts
  - Transit operators
  - School bus fleets
  - And more!

# Benefits to Fleets



- **Gain** an understanding of how they can benefit from switching to ZEVs
- **Access** to financial, infrastructure, and logistical tools that can help the fleet make informed ZEV purchases
- **Learn** from experts in ZEV transition on incentives, technology, and regulations
- **Get quick answers** and referrals to:
  - Dealers
  - Utilities
  - Regulation resources
- **Access** to incentive funding & HVIP guidance

# How to Use CFA

- 1. Fill out** the simple form at [calfleetadvisor.org](http://calfleetadvisor.org)
- 2. Talk** about your fleet's needs with your advisor
- 3. Get recommendations** for vehicles, charging, and incentives
- 4. Ask** for referrals to utilities, dealers, and project partners
- 5. Get incentives** tailored to your fleet
- 6. Start using your ZEVs and save on fuel, maintenance, and more!**



# Comments and Questions



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# Clean Fleet Connect

Karina Cuellar

# Introduction

- What is **Clean Fleet Connect**?
- Planned web tool to highlight medium- and heavy-duty on-road fleets that adopt zero-emission vehicles (ZEVs)
- Connect sustainability-minded organizations with zero-emission fleets
- Fleet participation is **voluntary**



# Clean Fleet Connect Basics

Clean Fleet Connect would:

- Showcase voluntary early-action zero-emission fleets
- Improve visibility for participating fleets
- Support sustainability efforts

Clean Fleet Connect would **not**:

- Create regulatory requirements or affect compliance
- Provide guaranteed business or financial benefits
- Endorse or recommend any specific entity

# Web Tool Concept

## Public Web App

- Hosted on a dedicated webpage
- User-friendly, public list of participating fleets
  - Search and filter options
- Regular data updates

## Displayed Fleet Information

- Contact information
- Company/agency name
- Percentage of fleet that is zero-emission
- Number of zero-emission vehicles in vehicle classes
- Vocation
- Region of service

# Highlighted Fleet Characteristics

Fleets can voluntarily opt to be highlighted in the tool if they meet the following proposed thresholds:

- (1) Operate at least one zero-emission vehicle in California;
- (2) At least 5% of the California fleet is zero-emission;
- (3) The number of zero-emission vehicles in the California fleet meets or exceed the ZEV Milestones;
- (4) The fleet owner maintains up to date reporting on their fleet

# ZEV Milestones

Zero-Emission Fleet Percentage	10%	25%	50%	75%	100%
<b>Group 1: Box trucks, vans, 2-axle buses, yard trucks, light-duty package delivery vehicles</b> 	2025	2028	2031	2033	2035
<b>Group 2: Work trucks, pickups, day cab tractors, 3-axle buses</b> 	2027	2030	2033	2036	2039
<b>Group 3: Sleeper cab tractors and Class 8 specialty vehicles</b> 	2030	2033	2036	2039	2042

# Contact

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# Outreach and Engagement Events

Larry Rillera

# Drive Forward Tribal Listening Session

## February 17, 2026



**Tribal Listening Session**  
February 17, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

**DRIVE FORWARD**  
Held remote via Zoom  
Call-in number provided upon registration

# CARB's One-Stop Truck Event

## February 28, 2026 (Merced)

- One-on-One Compliance Assistance
- Overviews of Clean Truck Check, Advanced Clean Fleets, and the Off-Road Regulation
- Enforcement Overview
- Incentive Funding Opportunities
- Drive Forward Initiative
- Zero-Emission Heavy-Duty Fleets Panel Discussion



# **CARB's One-Stop Truck Event**

## December 9, 2026

[Video: CARB's One-Stop Truck Event - December 9, 2025](#)



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# Zero-Emission Showcase and Ride & Drive

## San Diego

### April 29, 2026 9:00 AM - 3:

- Switching your business to ZEVs and equipment?
- Want to know what ZEVs are on the market?
- Hosted by CARB and CALSTART
- Ask questions and get answers from CARB and CEC experts.
- Find out how to get funding for vehicles, infrastructure, and off-road equipment.
- Talk to experts about how to switch your fleet to zero-emissions equipment.
- Community tours provided
- Interactive panel discussions.
- [More Information: Zero Emissions Showcase + Ride & Drive](#)
- 9:00 AM - 3:00 April 29, 2026 at the Penchanga Arena



**SAVE THE DATE**

Zero-Emissions Showcase + Ride & Drive  
April 29, 2026 | 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM PST  
Penchanga Arena, San Diego, CA

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## One-Stop-Truck Events

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**Update:  
2025 Evening Community Meetings Survey**

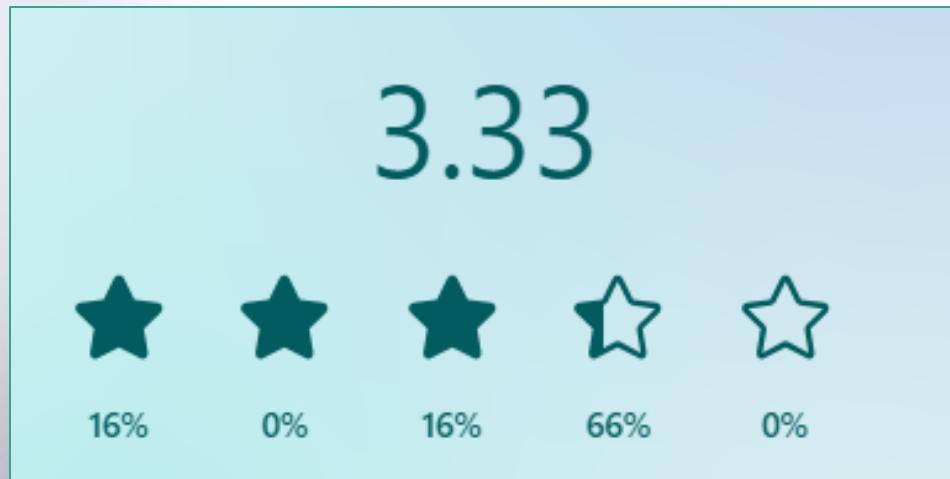
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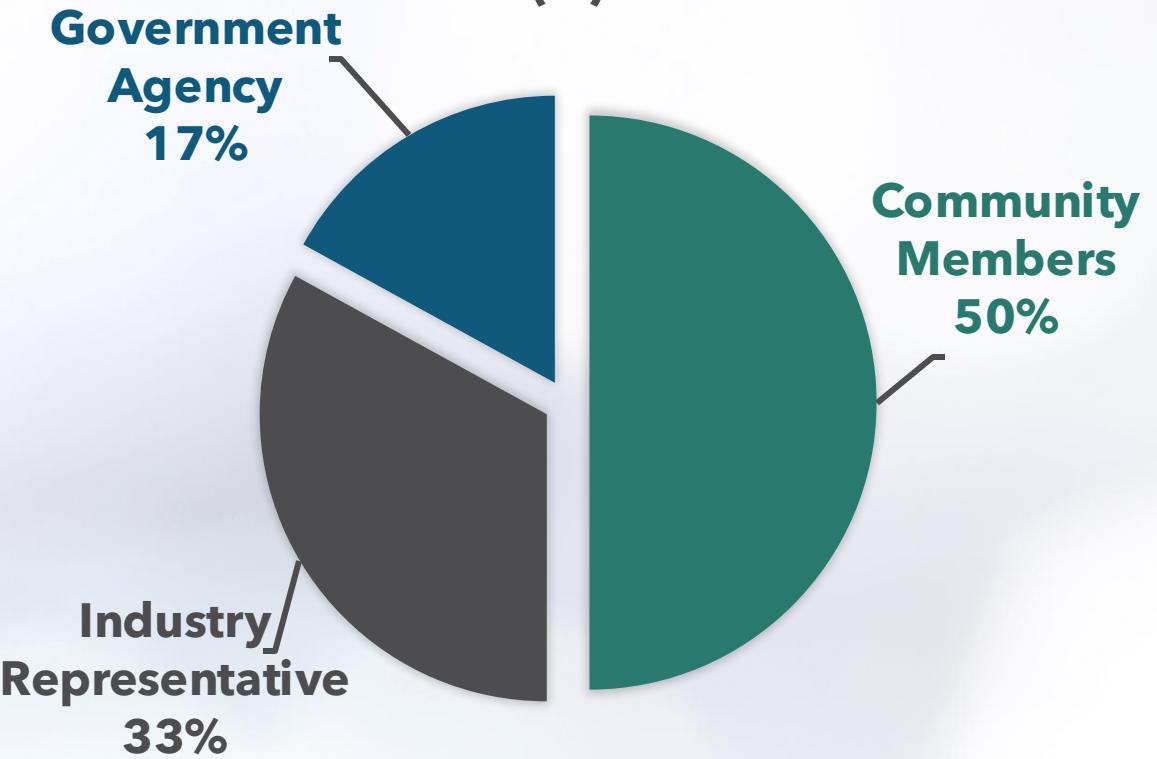
- January Evening Community Meeting staff presented:
  - Recap of 2025 meetings
  - Changes made in 2025
  - Requested public feedback
  - Released public survey

# Update: 2025 Evening Community Meetings Survey Results

## OVERALL SATISFACTION (3.33 out of 5)



## RESPONSES (6)



# Update: 2025 Evening Community Meetings Survey Results, Continued

- **Very Well** - CARB staff communicated clearly, encouraged engagement, and provided thorough answers
- **Mostly Satisfied** - Easy to access meeting materials, participants' comfort in using technology, and participating in meetings
- **Mostly Satisfied** - Outreach for meetings, deciding which meetings to attend, and the amount of time CARB allocated for public input

# Update: 2025 Evening Community Meetings Survey Results, Continued

*“...make it more interactive: pools, surveys, and encourage broader audiences.”*

*“...funding incentives, green technology... how to promote clean energy education in the workplace.”*

*“...ways to improve emissions in existing vehicles.”*

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# **Future Events, Wrap-Up, and Next Steps**

# Upcoming Meetings & Events

Events	Date
CARB Board Meeting	Feb. 26-27
Drive Forward Light Duty Workshop	Feb. 24
One-Stop Truck Event: Manteca, CA	Feb. 25
Evening Community Meeting	Mar. 17
Clean Transportation Equity Symposium	Early May

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[Engagement Opportunities](#)

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