



## Electricity as Vehicle Fuel Working Group

Monday, December 15, 2025  
9:00 AM  
Room 120, State Capitol  
<https://www.lcc.mn.gov/evfwg/>

### **Members Present:**

Sen. Johnson Stewart, Chair  
Rep. Elkins, Vice Chair  
Sen. Howe  
Rep. Murphy  
Anjali Bains  
Steve Barthel  
Carolyn Berninger  
Margaret Donahoe  
Amanda Duerr  
Justin Emmerich  
John Hausladen  
Joe Hoppe  
Tony Kwilas  
Nick Lardinois

Emily Murray  
Jeremy Neeck  
James Pearson  
John Pollard  
Erik Rudeen  
John Thorson  
Aurora Vautrin  
Brett Willhite  
Pong Xiong  
Laura Ziegler

### **Members Excused:**

Devin Batkiewicz  
Bentley Graves

## **Meeting Minutes**

Chair Johnson Stewart called the meeting of the Electricity as Vehicle Fuel Working Group to order at 9:00 AM.

### **Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes**

John Hausladen moved to approve the minutes from the previous meeting. The motion prevailed.

### **Michael P. Masquelier, ASPIRE Center Presentation**

Michael P. Masquelier, Chief Commercial Officer of the ASPIRE Center, presented on Utah projects involving bus transit, connected and autonomous vehicles, SuperCharge Program.

### **Utah DOT Presentation**

Lyle McMillan, UDOT Strategic Technologies Director, and Leif Elder, UDOT Legislative Affairs Director, presented on the Utah Road Usage Charge (RUC) Program.

### **Matt Srnec, Thermo King Presentation**

Matt Srnec presented on energy use for vocational and off-road applications.

### **Adjournment**

There being no further business, the Working Group adjourned at 11:00 AM.