



# OLEV Chargepoint Installation Workshops

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## Introduction

The Office for Low Emission Vehicles (OLEV) and Energy Saving Trust (EST) are touring the country to host a series of four workshops aimed at building networks between local government authorities and the electric vehicle chargepoint industry.

## Who are these workshops for?

These workshops are for local government officers who are interested in improving the availability of electric vehicle charging infrastructure in their local area. The sessions will be especially useful to officers of local authorities who are at the point of developing plans to install new or upgrade existing charging infrastructure.

## Why should you attend the workshop?

The aim of these workshops is to provide local government officers with an opportunity to understand the breadth and diversity of the electric vehicle charging infrastructure marketplace in a pressure-free, friendly environment.

Here are some of the questions the workshops will answer:

What is the difference between a slow, fast and rapid charger? Which is right for my local area?

Where should chargepoints be installed? How do you identify the best locations?

How is a chargepoint used? How much does it cost to charge a vehicle?

Are certain electric vehicles compatible with certain types of chargepoint?

Why is public charging infrastructure important? Why does local government need to be involved?

How do you procure chargepoints? How quickly can they be installed? How much do they cost?

What are the options for chargepoint maintenance after installation?

What funding is available to support the installation of public charging infrastructure?

## How will the workshops work?

Attending each workshop will be a cross section of representatives from the electric vehicle chargepoint industry including chargepoint manufacturers, installers and operators.

Following an introduction from EST and OLEV, each industry representative will be given an opportunity to briefly introduce themselves, their organisations and their products/services.

Once all the representatives have introduced themselves, there will be a half-hour question and answer session, facilitated by EST.

Following this session, there will be a networking lunch where participants are free to interact with industry representatives.

## Where and when are the workshops taking place?

Workshops are being held in four separate locations, to ensure that as many local authorities as possible will have a chance to attend. Each of the four workshops will have identical content, so there is no need to attend more than one.

The dates and locations for the workshops are as follows\*:

			
<b>Edinburgh</b> • Monday 19th February 2018	<b>Manchester</b> • Thursday 22nd February 2018	<b>Bristol</b> • Tuesday 27th February 2018	<b>London</b> • Thursday 8th March 2018

\*venues will soon be confirmed

## Draft Agenda

(The final agenda will be confirmed nearer the date of the event).

**10:00 - 10:10** – Welcome and introduction (EST)

**10:10 - 10:40** - OLEV presentation (ORCS and other OLEV programmes) (OLEV)

**10:40 - 11:10** – An overview of ORCS and case studies (EST)

**11:10 - 11:40** – Introductions from chargepoint operators (Chargepoint operators)

**11:40 – 12:10** – Q&A (All)

**12:10 – 13:10** - Networking lunch

**13:10- 13:15** – Close (EST)