Collaborating with Clean Cities





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AMERICAN LUNG ASSOCIATION

Denver Metro Clean Cities Coalition (DMCCC)

- •Founded in September 1993
- Second-oldest coalition in the United States

American Lung Association in Colorado (ALAC)

- ALAC administers the program
- •Burning less petroleum results in cleaner air
- •Cleaner air = healthier lungs

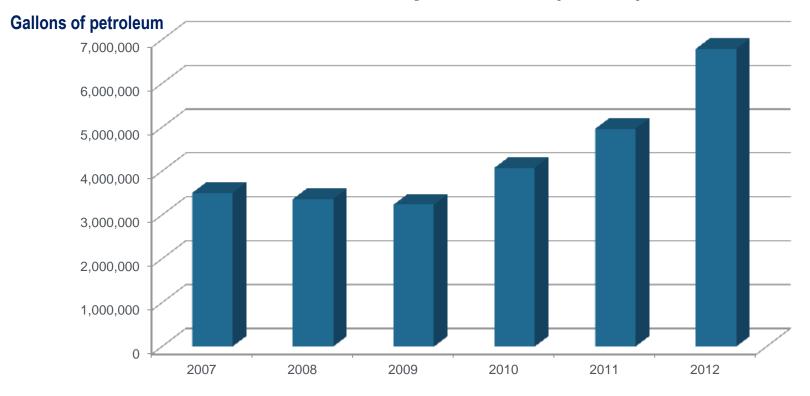
Key partners

Department of Energy, National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Environmental Protection Agency and Argonne National Laboratory
CO Energy Office, Department of Transportation, Public Health and Environment, and State Fleet Management
City and County of Denver, City of Boulder, Denver International Airport

Petroleum Displacement



Petroleum Displacement (GGEs)



Year

Project FEVER



Fostering Electric Vehicle Expansion in the Rockies

Denver Metro Clean Cities - Principal Investigator



106 partners from across Colorado

\$500,000 award - Department of Energy "Clean Cities Community Readiness and Planning for Plug-in Electric Vehicles and Charging Infrastructure" program

Analyze current policy and design future policy within context of a community-based electric vehicle infrastructure readiness plan

Key areas of analysis: utilities, policy, planning, permitting, marketing and air quality

www.ElectricRideColorado.com

Key legislative victories - 2013

SB13-126

•Concerning the removal of unreasonable restrictions on the ability of the owner of an electric vehicle to access charging facilities

HB13-1247

•Includes plug-in hybrid electric vehicles in CO tax credits

•Simplifies process to determine tax credits on alternative fuel vehicles

HB13-1110

Levels playing field by taxing alternative fuels on energy content
Adds a \$50 fee to electric vehicles

Role of DMCCC

Policy analysis, research for legislators, interim policy committee participation, grassroots support

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DMCCC services



Analysis

- •Policy support and grassroots network
- •Determination of fuel types and duty cycles
- •Fleet vehicles, fuel savings and emissions benefits

Liaison

- •Elected officials and decision-makers
- Interagency MOUs
- •Network and promote public-private partnerships

Media and outreach

- •Press events and public relations
- •Campaigns for general public
- •Special event support
- Raise awareness

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