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WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS



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Natural Gas Vehicles
Director at Atlanta Gas Light



Dr. Tim Lieuwen
Executive Director of the Strategic
Energy Institute at Georgia Tech



Clean Cities Georgia Transportation Summit

WHO WE ARE



- Part of the national Clean Cities Coalition funded by the Department of Energy's (DOE) Vehicle Technologies Office (VTO) since 1993
- Serve as a central coordinator for clean transportation activities in Georgia related to clean fuels, vehicles, and infrastructure
- Focused on reducing petroleum usage for individuals and fleets with domestic fuel sources



Clean Cities Georgia Team



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The Early Years



NATURAL GAS
POWERED

OT
GN

Department of Energy

Clean
Energy



AMOCO
CNG
Compressed
Natural Gas

No Smoking
Stop Engine

AMOCO
CNG
Compressed
Natural Gas

Pump
1

Natural Gas

AR100 114



Handicapped
Parking
Permit
Required

POWERED BY
CLEAN BURNING PROPANE

Georgia Gas

US DOT 469071

PROPANE




ELECTRIC-POWERED

EFFICIENCY 1

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CHAIRMAN REMARKS



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Board Chair at Clean Cities Georgia

Welcome to Georgia Tech!

Tim Lieuwen
September 2023



Executive Director of the Strategic Energy Institute (SEI)



Tim Lieuwen
Professor, Aerospace Engineering
Strategic Energy Institute

Snapshot of GT efforts in R&D, Education and Outreach relevant to “Clean Cities”

- Renewable Fuels
- Energy Storage
- Carbon Capture
- Electric Vehicles
- Decarbonization in Georgia and the Southeast
- Pilots on GT Campus for Microgrid, Living Building, Energy Storage, EV Charging
- New curricular offerings and STEM activities
- Partnerships with Large Auto OEMs, Energy Companies, Electric Utilities, National Labs
- Support for Public-Facing Roundtables & Strategic Dialogues



SPOTLIGHT ON SETRI:

SE Transportation Regional Initiative

SETRI: Southeast Regional EV Initiative



75+ Partner Organizations

- ▶ Utilities
- ▶ Charging Companies
- ▶ Auto OEMs & Transportation
- ▶ NGOs
- ▶ Universities & Labs

Policy & Government Engagement



Education & Awareness



Technology, Infrastructure & Economic Development



Stakeholder
MOU



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
FOR SIGNATORIES TO THE ACCORD**

Signatories to the Transportation Electrification Accord are invited to use the principles in their efforts to advance transportation electrification. Nothing in the Accord binds any signatory to any specific position. Nothing in the Accord authorizes any signatory to speak on behalf of other signatories, though signatories are welcome to use the existence of co-signatories as evidence of the appropriateness of these principles.



SETRI Overview

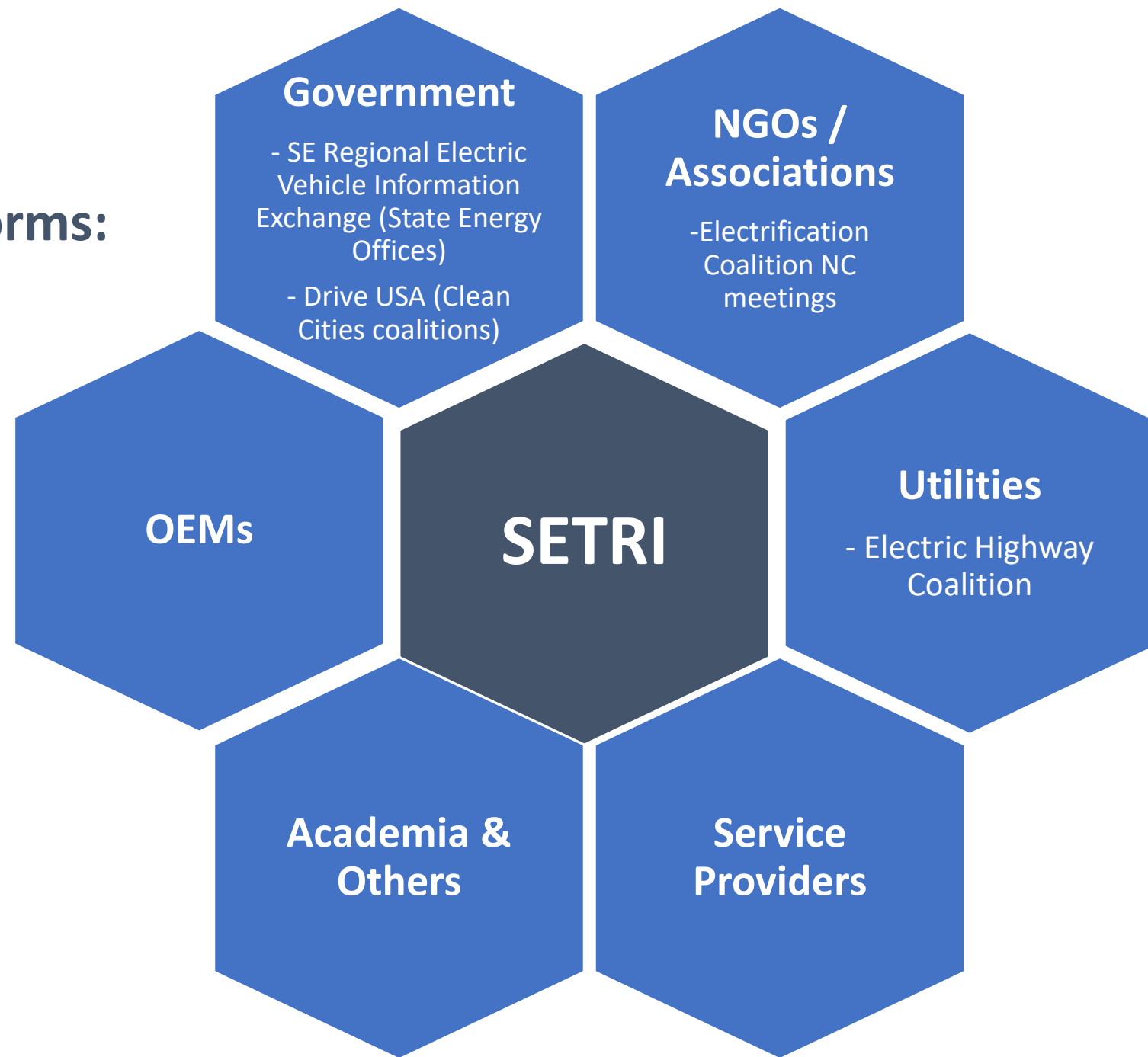
SETRI connects, convenes, informs:

Via:

- Monthly emails
- Quarterly meetings
- Website resources
- Educational resources



<https://southeastev.org/>



Government

- SE Regional Electric Vehicle Information Exchange (State Energy Offices)
- Drive USA (Clean Cities coalitions)

NGOs / Associations

- Electrification Coalition NC meetings

Utilities

- Electric Highway Coalition

OEMs

SETRI

Academia & Others

Service Providers



WHY WE DO IT

Transportation is Responsible for 29% of Total U.S. Emissions



- 4 Million Class 8 Diesel Trucks in operation
- 309,615 Medium-Heavy trucks were sold in 2022
- 929,200 licensed buses (school, charter, shuttle, transit)
- 480,000 school buses moving 26M students every day
- 40,714 school buses were sold in 2019
- School buses travel 6B miles annually, with 857M gallons of mostly diesel fuel

WHY WE ARE HERE

Transportation is Responsible for 29% of Total U.S. Emissions...



Air Quality Improvements Due to the Unexpected Halt of Air and Ground Travel:

- Global road travel and commercial flight activity decreased by 50 and 60% respectively.
- Boston Logan Airport Ultrafine Particle Numbers Concentrations (PNC) dropped 48% in first few months of pandemic.
- Levels of air contaminants: nitrogen dioxide (NO₂), sulphur dioxide (SO₂), carbon monoxide (CO), and particulate matter (PM) decreased globally compared to levels in the past few decades.

WHY WE ARE HERE

Transportation is Responsible for 29% of Total U.S. Emissions...



- In many megacities of the world, the concentration of PM and NO₂ declined by > 60% during the lockdown period.
- PM_{2.5} and NO₂ concentrations declined by 36 and 51% respectively immediately after the shutdown New York City.
- NASA image captured from AURA satellite observed that emissions of NO₂ declined by up to 30% due to lockdown (Northeastern region).

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EXECUTIVE PANEL



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GM Renewables
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Fleet Manager
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Director of Automotive
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Chevron Renewable Fuels

Exploring possibilities together
in lower carbon fuels.

Nuray Elci

September 2023



Clean Cities | Atlanta

Biodiesel | Renewable Diesel
RNG/CNG
Hydrogen

Reducing fleets carbon footprint, Chevron can help

Feedstocks include:

Delivery

Advantages

Bio-feedstock

Vegetable oils
Waste animal fat
Used cooking oil

Renewable Diesel

Trucked to fueling location

Meets ASTM D975 standard
Reduced carbon emissions on a life cycle basis
Made primarily from renewable sources
Uses same infrastructure as petroleum
No blend-percentage limitations



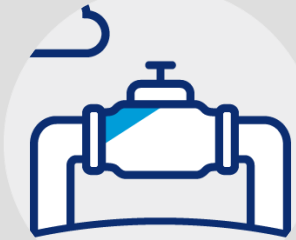
RNG / CNG

Dairy gas
Landfill gas
Waste-water treatment plant gas

Compressed Natural Gas

Obtained via connection to public pipeline

Lower life cycle carbon intensity
Lower engine emissions of NOx
RNG injection displaces fossil-based natural gas in the pipeline network
Capturing RNG to power a vehicle represents ~400% decrease in lifecycle carbon intensity vs. conventional diesel¹

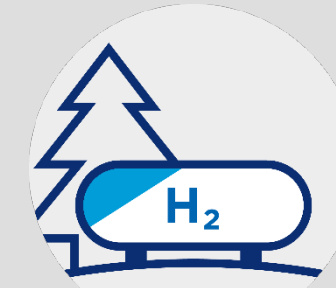


Fossil NG
Renewable NG
Municipal Waste
Paper Waste
Water

Hydrogen Fuel Cell

Trucked to fueling location or onsite production

Enables vehicles to operate nearly twice as efficiently as an ICE
Only emissions are water vapor and warm air
Depending on energy source used, can have anywhere from 54% to 180% reduction in emissions compared to conventional diesel¹



Chevron REG: Our story told in numbers



470 MMGY

Nameplate
Production Capacity



10

Biodiesel
Production
Facilities

1

Renewable
Diesel
Facility



732 MM

Gallons Sold
In 2022



10

Terminals
in California¹

50

Terminals
Across U.S.¹



54,000+

Arranged Truckloads¹

2,300+

Water Movements¹

15,000+

Railcars Loaded¹



16

Countries
Product
Was Sold
To In 2022

42

States
Product
Was Sold
To In 2022

Chevron REG production and distribution



<ul style="list-style-type: none">Regional OfficesBiorefineriesTerminal Locations	45+ Terminals	11 Biorefineries	Delivered Product to:	44 States	6 Canadian Provinces	19 Countries
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Why would a fleet transition to RNG and CNG?

Cost Benefits	Policy Compliance	Sustainability	Reliability
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fuel vs Diesel savings• Maintenance savings (no DPF)• Less price volatility vs. diesel• Grant funding available for select models	<p>An increasing number of policies/specs are incentivizing conversion to lower carbon fuels</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• e.g. CA LCFS, EPA RFS, CARB NOx spec, Alternative Fuel Tax Credit, SCAQMD WAIRE rule)	<p>RNG-CNG has strong environmental attributes to enable fleets to meet sustainability targets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ~90% fewer NOx emissions than EPA standard (CA & OR)• ~25% less CO2 emission and ~90% PM 2.5 reduction vs diesel• Mitigated odor & noise pollution	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Direct and on-demand pipeline access• Existing fueling infrastructure• Quick-fill stations that can reduce conventional fuel delivery disruptions



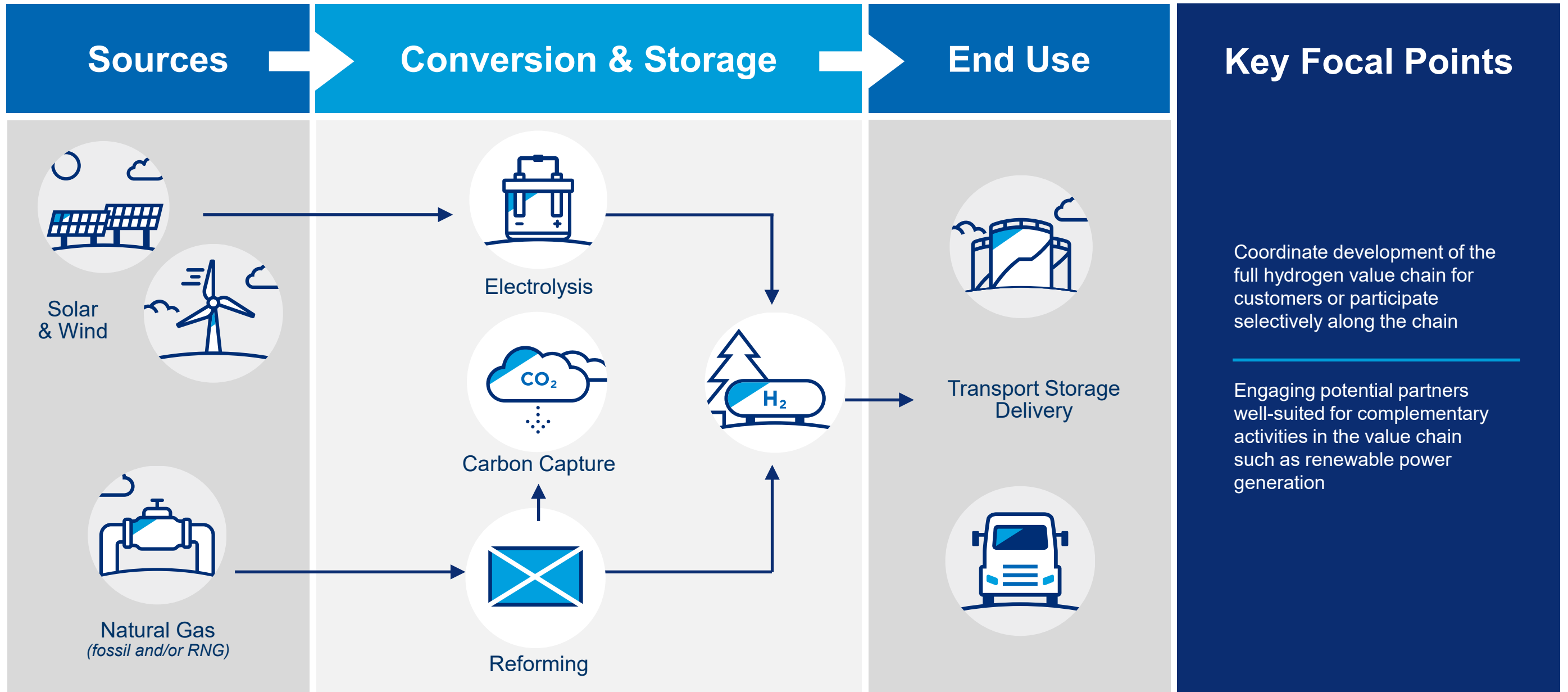
Chevron's RNG & CNG Network



CNG Stations



Chevron hydrogen value chain focus



A phased approach to hydrogen truck & bus fueling

From mobile trailers, behind the fence, to large scale public facilities



Mobile fueling will enable demonstration truck fueling behind the fence and potential contingency hydrogen supply when necessary.



On site hydrogen production units provides fleet fueling for 10-20 trucks/buses. Modular units (200kg-400kg/day) can be added as trucks are added.



Large scale hydrogen public fueling facility can be built while truck purchasing program accelerates beyond 20+ trucks.

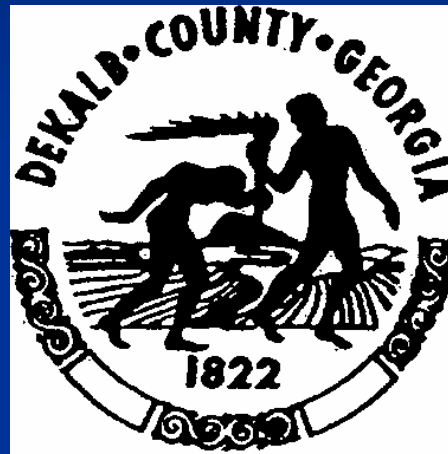
A flexible fleet fueling system:

- Trade offs exist between mobile fueling and large-scale public fueling facilities (fill rates, H2 pricing, etc.)
- Mobile fueling offers contingency fueling and back up supply for fleet requirements although at a higher price point.
- Transparency of Truck Purchasing Programs provide alternative pathways to properly sized fleet fueling programs.

Thank you



DeKalb County



AFV Initiatives



Fleet Management

- 152 Positions 138 Filled
- \$33 million Annual Operating Budget
- \$40 million Annual Vehicle Replacement
- Fleet averages 30,000,000 miles Annually
- Fleet Management maintains 3622 Vehicles
- 437 Alternative Fuel Vehicles 12%



 **DeKalb County
Public Works
Fleet Management**

5350

CNG/ Propane/ Electric

- 262 CNG Heavy Duty/ 49 on order
- 73 CNG Light Duty
- 78 Propane Light Duty
- 37 Electric/ 35 on order 48 scheduled to order this year

CNG Powered Vehicle types in our Fleet

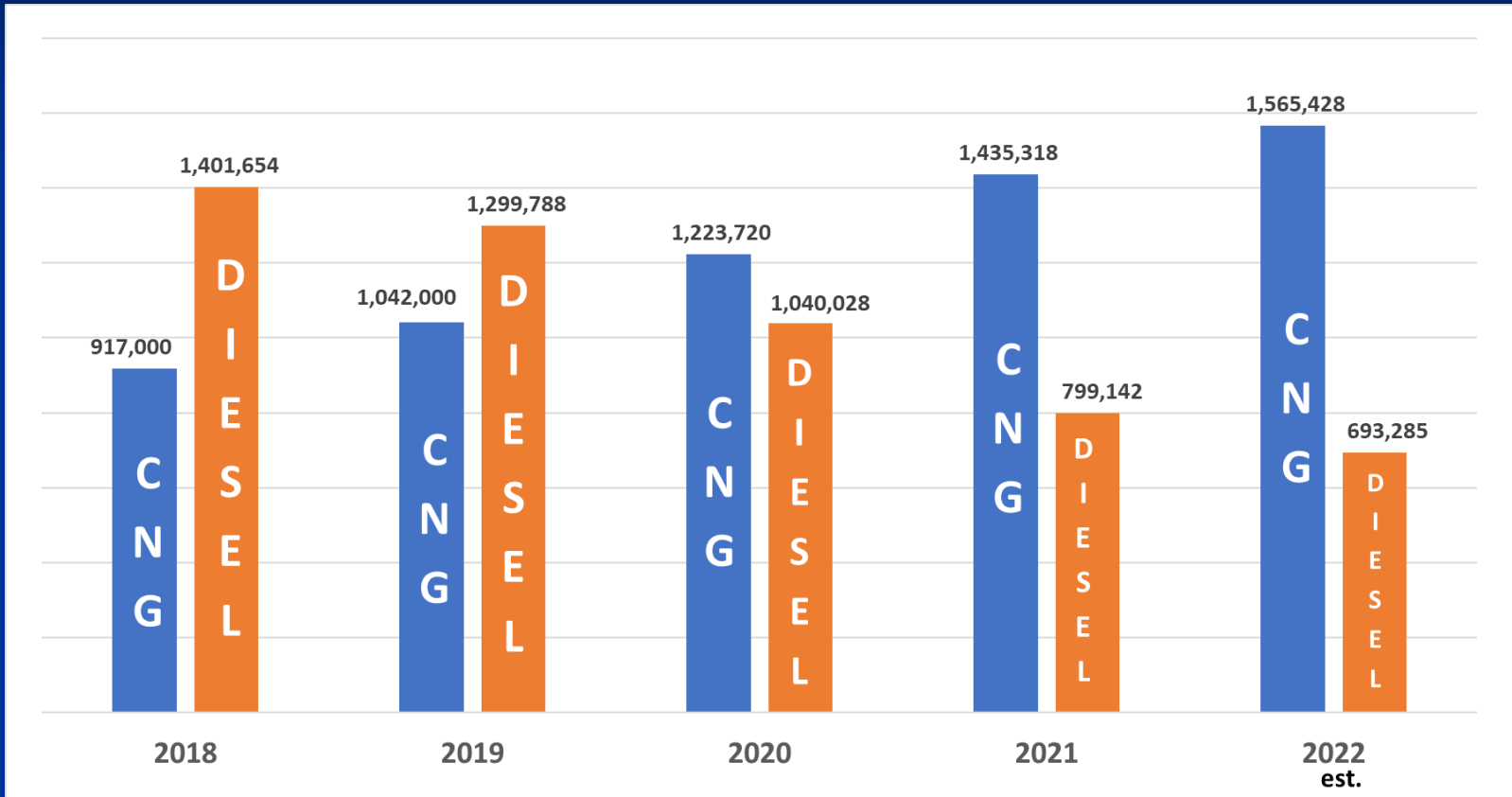
Heavy Duty / Medium Duty

- Rear Loaders
- Front Loaders
- Side Loaders
- Automated Side Loaders
- Roll Off Trucks
- Grappler Trucks
- Crew Trucks
- Crane Trucks
- Level Lift Trucks
- Bucket Truck
- Road Tractors
- Road Fork Trucks

Light Duty

- Pickup Trucks
- Sedans
- Vans
- Missed Collections Trucks

Fuel Usage (in gallons)



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Sustainability Overview

Presented by:

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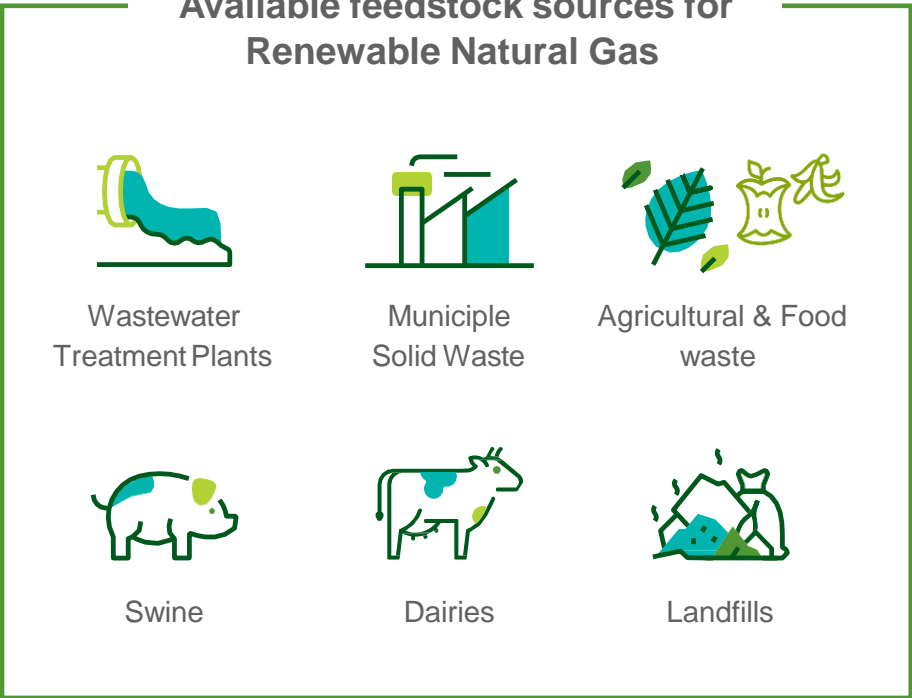
Manager, Renewable Gas Business Development

The Role of Renewable Gas

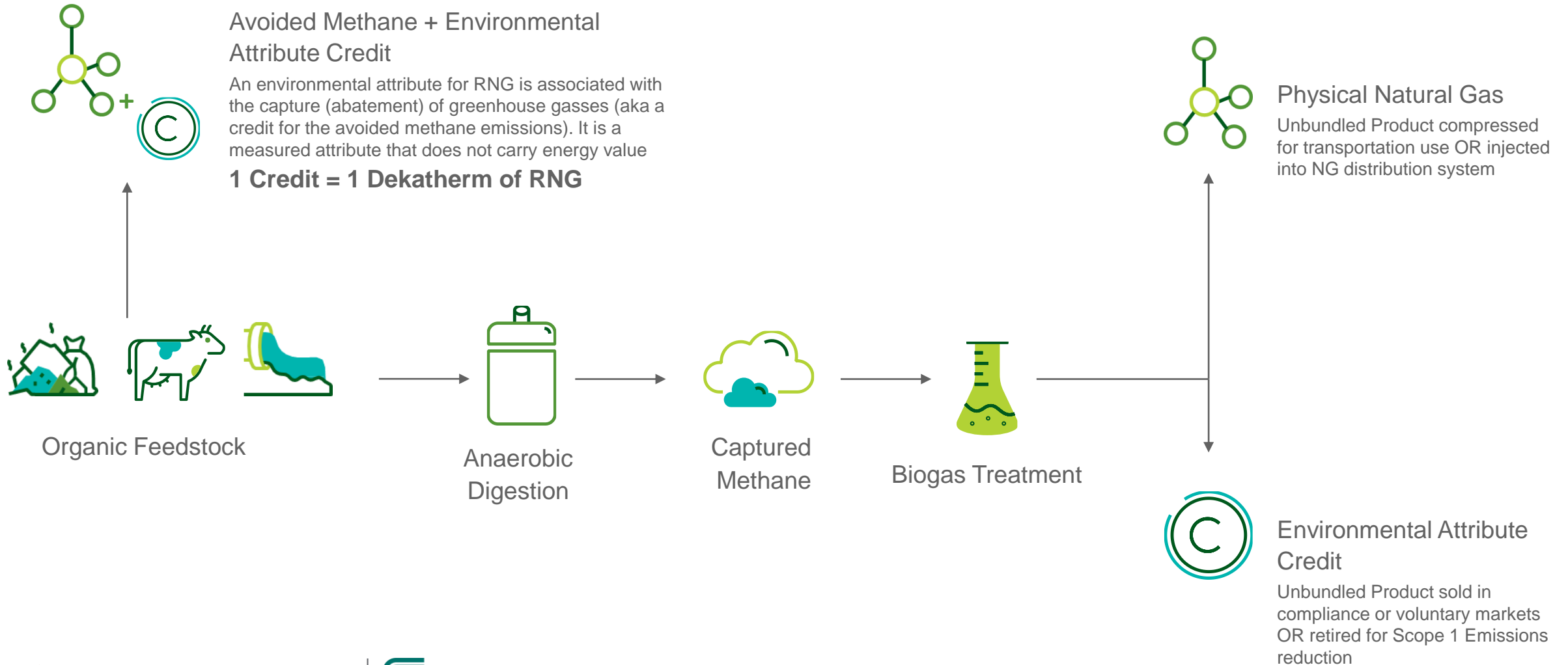
Renewable Natural Gas turns the problem of waste into renewable energy

What is Renewable Natural Gas (RNG)?

- RNG is a sustainable and alternative fuel produced from naturally occurring waste methane that is captured primarily from landfill, agricultural, wastewater plants, and food waste sites.
- Capturing this biogas at the source before it's emitted into the atmosphere reduces the amount of greenhouse gas emissions that contribute to the warming of our planet. **This is based on a total life cycle approach, not at the point of use.**

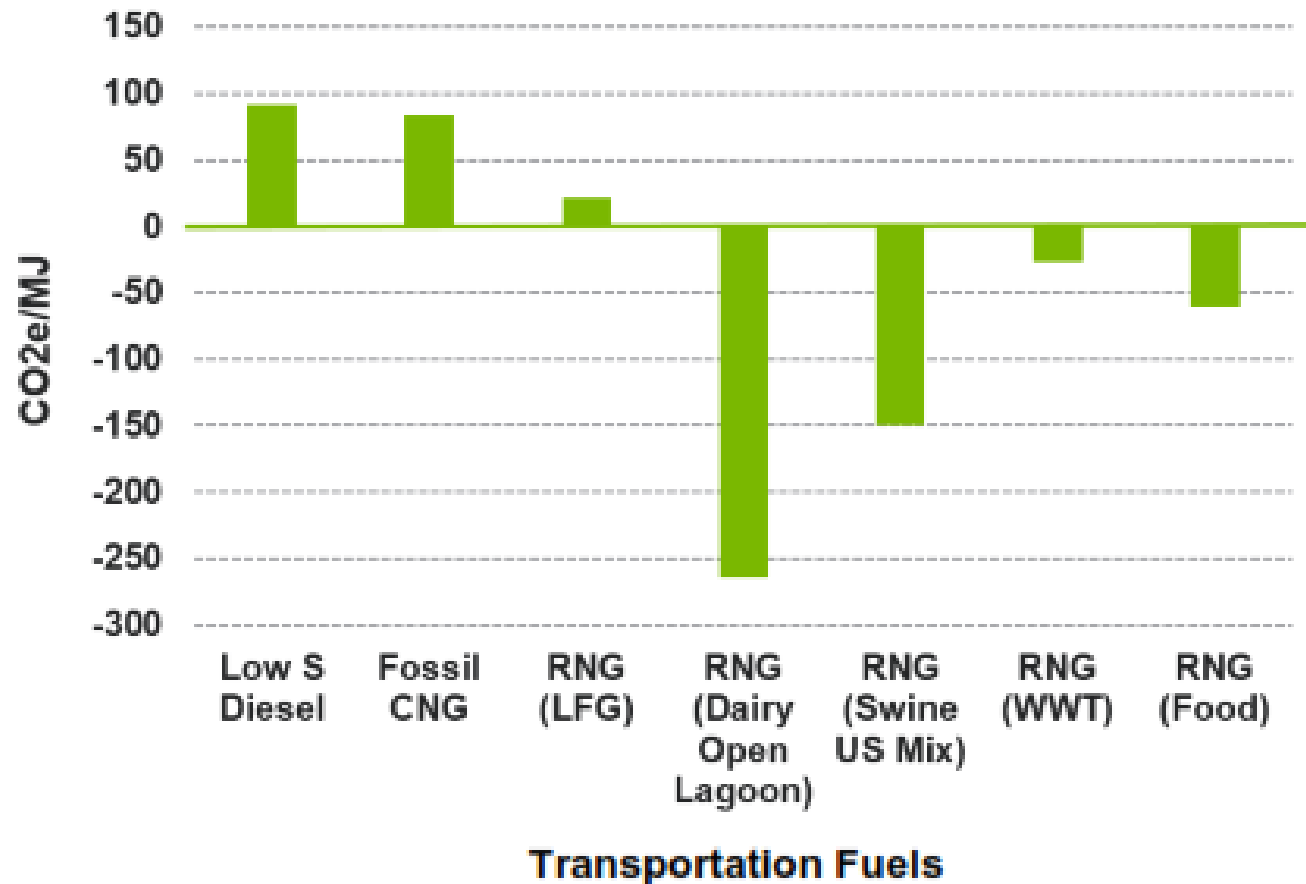


How RNG Works



Carbon Intensity of RNG Fuels

Figure 2.8. Relative CI of Transportation Fuels – DOE Argonne National Lab¹⁸



Source: AgStar Project Development Handbook, 3rd Edition



RNG Benefits

Renewable Natural Gas

is a critical component to our commitment to deliver clean, safe, reliable and affordable energy to our customers. RNG not only provides a sustainable, drop-in alternative source of geologic natural gas, but also provides additional benefits for our customers, the gas distribution system and local economies



Infrastructure. By integrating RNG, customers can reduce their emissions without upgrading equipment or infrastructure, assuming additional maintenance, or disrupting existing operations



Job creation. RNG projects create high-paying, clean-energy jobs, from plant managers and technicians to biologists and more



Environment. Integrating RNG facilities beneficially uses waste methane and can improve local air quality. Acquisition of the Environmental Attributes generated can be used towards a customer's Scope 1 emissions reduction for direct thermal use OR towards their Scope 3 emissions reduction for transportation fleet use with NGVs

Thank you!

Clean Transportation Summit

CHESAPEAKE UTILITIES CORPORATION

Justin Stankiewicz

Director,
RNG Development

By the Numbers



160+

years of providing
energy service



\$1.8B

in capital investment
over last 10 years



16

years of
earnings growth



~310K

customers



1,000+

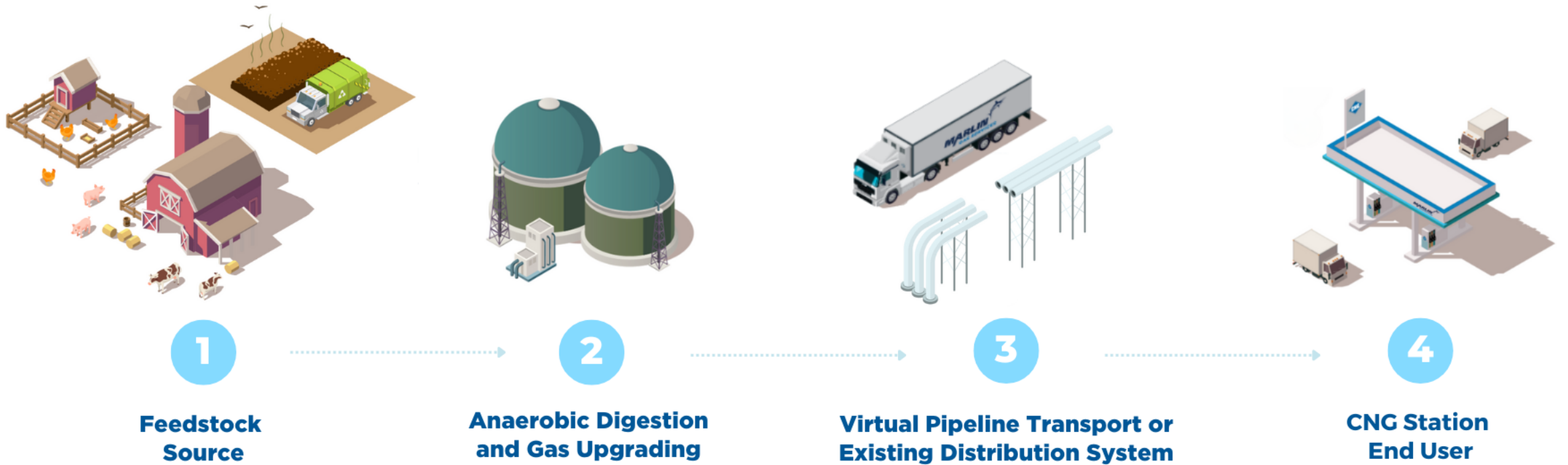
employees



\$2.2B

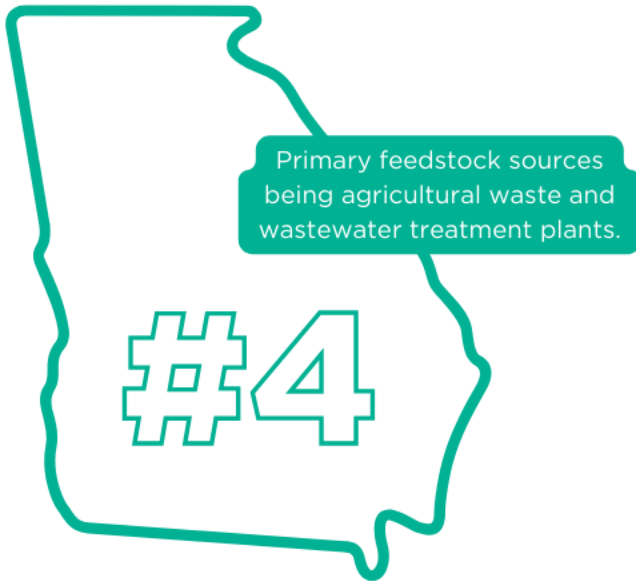
total assets

RNG Value Chain



Biogas Potential

Georgia ranks 4th out of 50 states for its biogas production potential.



According to the American Biogas Council, up to 57.44 billion cubic feet of renewable methane from biogas could be produced annually in the State for energy, fuel, heat, and more.

That's equivalent to...



Savannah CNG Station

In partnership with Atlanta Gas Light, Marlin Compression offers a high-capacity CNG and RNG public access compression station for natural gas vehicles, specializing in fleets, delivery companies, solid waste providers, mass transit vehicles and other logistic industries. **The facility is one of the largest public access CNG stations on the East Coast.**

Station Features

- Two vehicle lanes, one tube trailer lane
- Two standard hoses
- Two high flow hoses
- Fleet pricing available
- Renewable Natural Gas (RNG) available

Storage Features

- Three horizontal ASME cylinders
- 43,000 standard cubic foot (SCF) fuel storage



Why Switch to CNG?



Low-Cost Fuel

Domestically sourced, historically stable low-cost fuel



Reliability

CNG engines offer comparable power, torque and reliability to diesel



Reduce CO2

Reduces your carbon footprint and meets increasingly stringent emissions regulations



Time Saver

No time waiting on regeneration, no diesel exhaust fluid (DEF) or diesel particulate filter (DPF)



Cost Efficient

Natural gas vehicles are priced 2-3xs less than all-electric vehicles, and offer greater emission reductions



Health Conscious

Offers healthy improvements for your drivers with less noise and fumes compared to diesel trucks



Thank you.
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WM Renewable Energy

September 2023





Our Collection Commitment



At WM, we believe **Energy is Renewable.**

Our expansive fleet is setting industry-leading standards for recycling and waste collection with lower emissions.

WM operates the **largest heavy duty compressed natural gas (CNG) vehicle fleet** of its kind in North America with emission levels that are significantly lower than current EPA regulations.



12,000*

Alternative fuel heavy duty Class 8 vehicles



75%

of WM's routed collection fleet runs on lower-emission compressed natural gas rather than diesel



47%

of fuel allocated to our natural gas fleet comes from renewable sources



85%

of new vehicles purchases by WM utilize compressed natural gas

Our Compressed Natural Gas Difference

90% reduction in NOx emissions

of our fleet operates with emissions lower than the 2027 EPA standards of .035 NOx grams per horsepower-hour

-50%

56% reduction in CO₂e emissions

60 metric tons of greenhouse gas emissions (GHG) reduced for every diesel-powered truck replaced with CNG

60

40% reduction in GHG emissions attributed to our fleet since 2010

90M+ gallons of diesel fuel displaced each year by transitioning to CNG

*Total number of heavy-duty alternative fuel vehicles year to date.



Our Impact and Future



WM has been a pioneer in the environmental services industry, using alternative fuels in our fleet for decades and leading the transition to lower-emission vehicles.

We continue to explore and implement additional technologies including electric vehicles to best service our customers and reduce our impact.

Expanding with Electric



30+

Electric vehicles used in operations including Class 6 and light-duty vehicles



5+

Heavy Duty Class 8 Electric Vehicle (EV) pilots nationwide

Alternative Energy Commitment



\$ 1B+

in planned investments through 2026 to grow our renewable energy business



42%

reduction target for absolute Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions by 2031 compared to 2021 base year



65%

target for beneficial use of captured landfill gas by 2026



100%

allocation of renewable natural gas to our CNG-powered fleet by 2026



20+

years committed to alternative fuels including renewable natural gas, compressed natural gas, electric and other technologies



200+

Operational and planned CNG fueling stations for our collection fleet



28

Public CNG fueling stations in U.S. and Canada



Learn more at [wm.com](https://www.wm.com)

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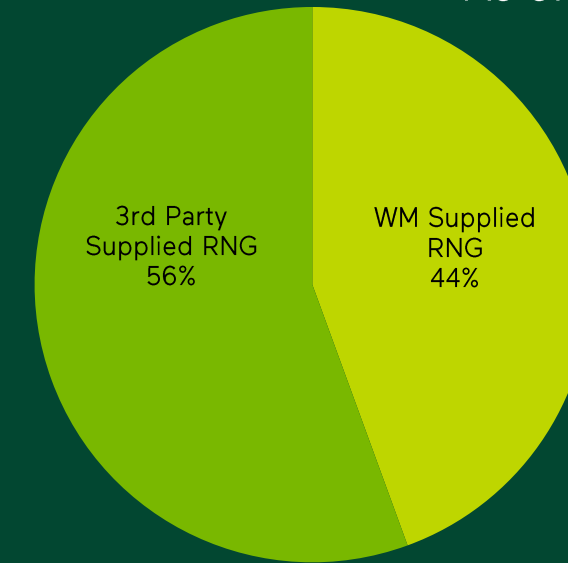


Importance of CNG in WM Fleet

Why CNG?

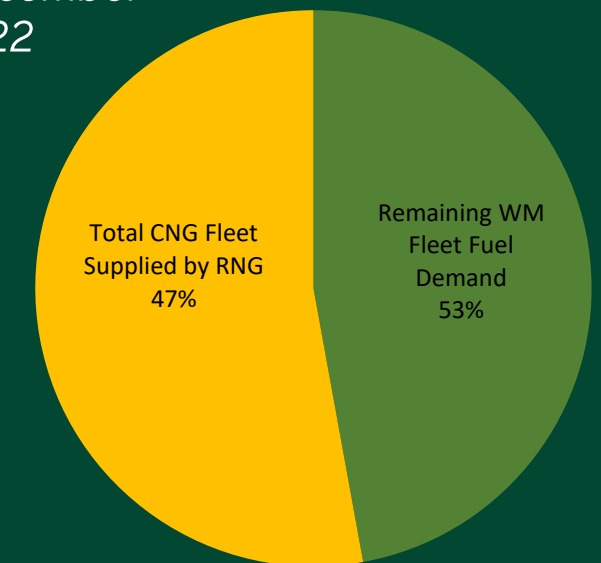
- Lower fuel costs
 - Commodity prices
 - Incentives (LCFS and RFS/RINs)
 - Tax credits distributed at BU level
- Reduce labor costs
 - CNG trucks can be fueled overnight > drivers spend less time waiting in line to fuel
- Reduced maintenance
 - Fewer filters to maintain and clean than diesel trucks
- Improved operational efficiencies
- Quieter than diesel
- Federal grants
 - Offset truck costs and infrastructure costs
- Environmental benefits
 - CNG meets emissions requirements through 2023
 - CNG trucks emit nearly zero particulate emissions

Total RNG Supplied



WM Fleet Supply & Demand

As of December 2022



Why not electrify collection fleet?

- Technology was the most similar to diesel trucks
- Weight limitations for heavy duty trucks – batteries add too much
- Technology not yet there for heavy duty trucks
- Charging time vs running time of trucks – trucks cannot run daily with only one charging session

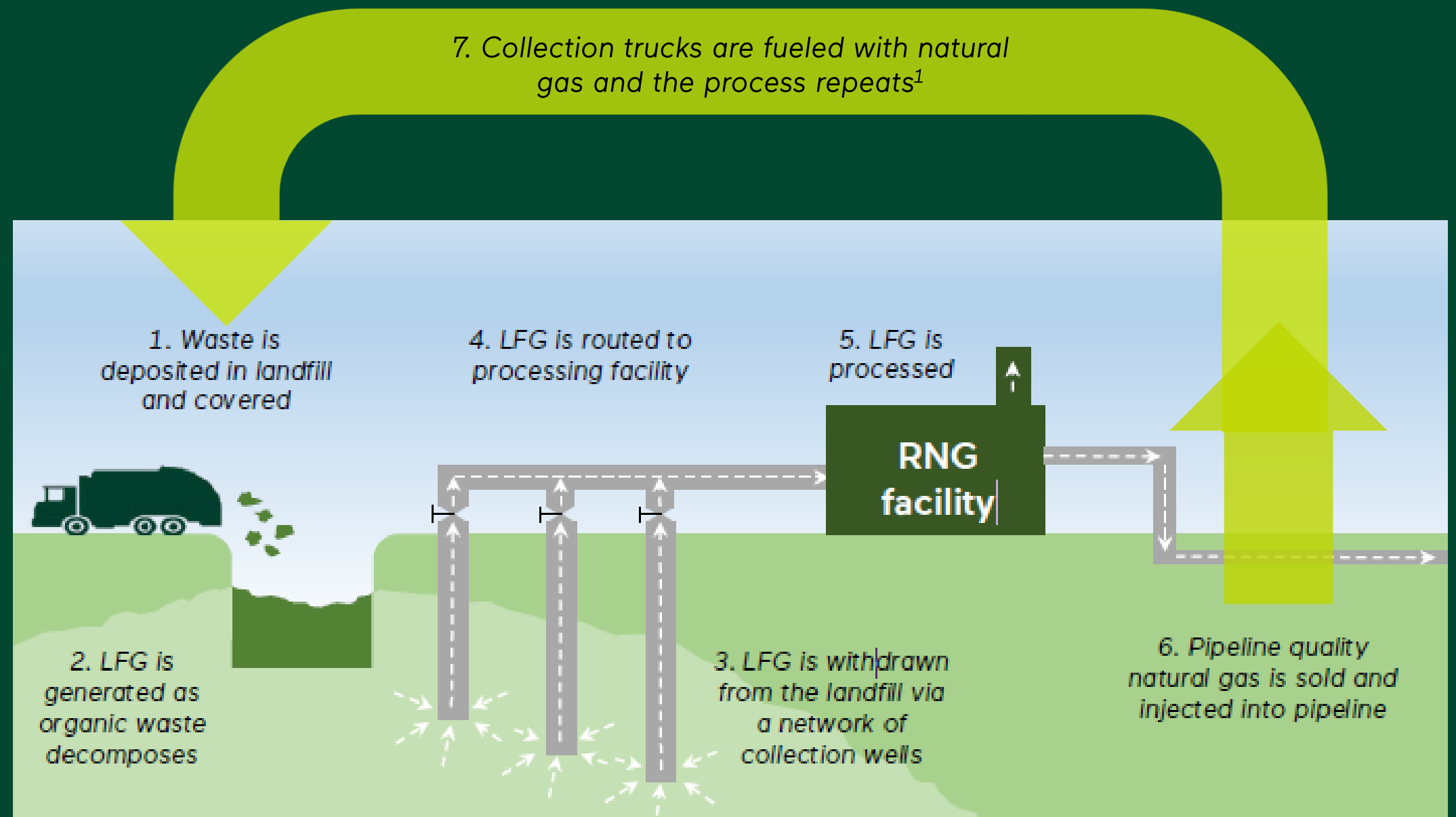
WM currently owns and operates a few electric delivery vehicles and has plans to add more, including automated side loaders and tractors.



Renewable Natural Gas (RNG) to Compressed Natural Gas (CNG)

Closing the Loop

- ❖ RNG is pipeline-quality natural gas
- ❖ Offers a cost-effective, drop-in, low-carbon replacement for conventional fossil natural gas
- ❖ Can be transported via existing natural gas infrastructure



1. Environmental attributes (EAs), RINs, etc. are generated through allocation of gas to trucks

WMRE RNG Operations

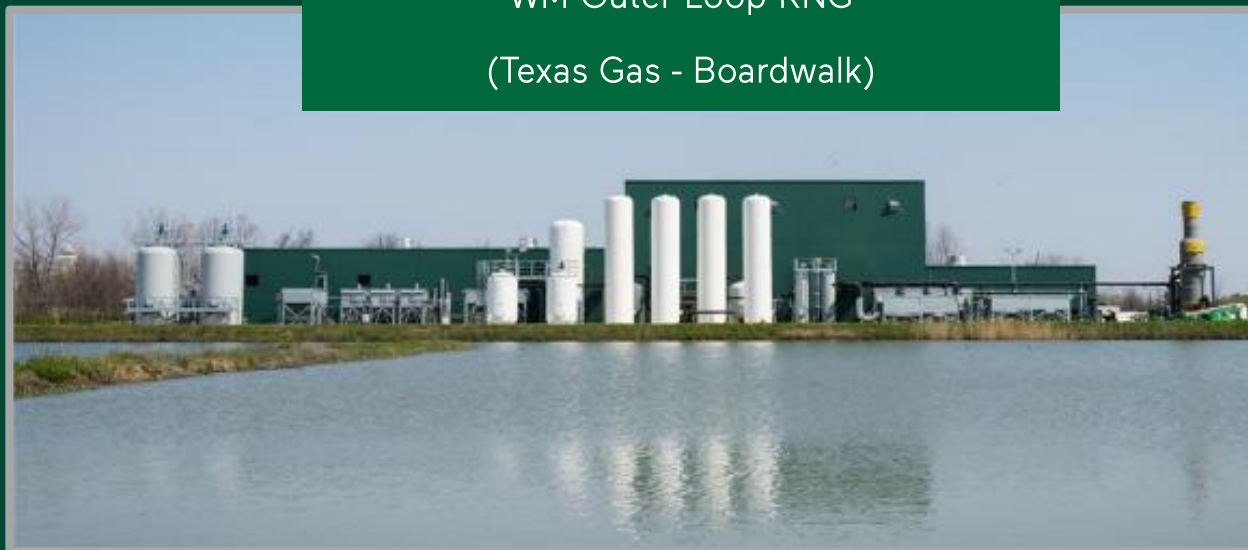
WM Milam RNG
(Ameren LDC)



WM Skyline RNG
(Atmos / PFC)



WM Outer Loop RNG
(Texas Gas - Boardwalk)



WM East Oak RNG
(Southern Star)



Georgia RNG Opportunities

Pine Bluff Landfill – Ball Ground, GA

- Active Development - pipeline constraint

Superior Landfill – Savannah, GA

- Current Power Plant – potential long term conversion

Wolf Creek Landfill – Dry Branch, GA

- Current Power Plant – potential shorter term conversion

R&B Landfill – Homer, GA

- Potential Development – pipeline constraint

Turkey Run Landfill – Hogansville, GA

- Active Development (3rd Party)

Evergreen Landfill - Valdosta, GA

- Potential Development

Georgia Fleet Stats

- **18 Hauling Companies**
- **7 CNG Fueling Stations**
 - No public stations
- **336 CNG Trucks**
- **265 Diesel Trucks**

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CURRENT AND FUTURE ELECTRIC VEHICLE APPLICATIONS



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Cobb County



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CEO of Green Energy
Services

COX OUR DIVISIONS AND BUSINESSES



CONNECTIVITY

COX



MOBILITY

Cox AUTOMOTIVE



NEW VERTICALS

COX
ENTERPRISES

Proven Stability, Commitment to Innovation & Sustainability

Legacy of Innovation

As a fourth-generation family-owned business, we measure success in decades, not quarters.

Future-Forward Vision

We are committed to pushing the boundaries and seeing beyond the visible horizon with a focus on innovation and continuous improvement.

OUR COX CONSERVES GOALS:



Zero waste to landfill by 2024



Water neutral by 2034



Carbon neutral by 2034

120
YEARS
OF INNOVATION



Mackenzie Baines

Product Director

Cox Automotive Mobility

As the vehicle is becoming an advanced connected, electric experience so are the health services to **care for, maintain and value** the vehicle

A one-stop solution for battery life cycle management

Battery Expertise

- Engineering Services & Consulting
- Battery Health Scoring
- Root Cause Analysis

Storage & After Sales Support

- Battery Storage and Distribution
- Dealer Support (Online & Call Center)
- Warranty Claims Processing

Logistics Optimization

- Reverse & Forward Logistics
- Dunnage Management & Packaging
- End-to-end Tracking

Extend First Life

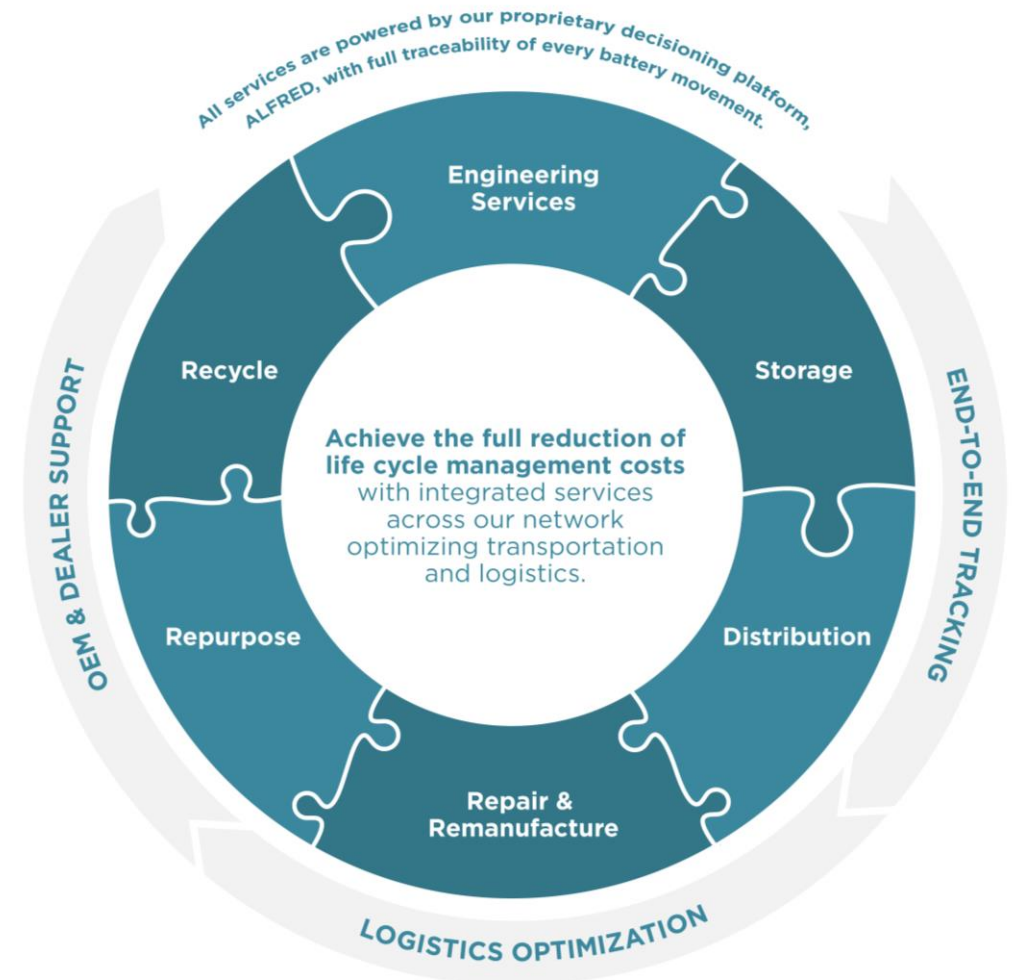
- Repair
- Remanufacturing
- Refurbishment

Repurpose

- Battery Grading
- Second Life Solutions

Recycle

- Pretreatment Recycling





Cobb County...Expect the Best!

Cobb County Fleet Management



- Appx. 2,700 vehicles
- Over 10 million miles traveled
- Over 750,000 residents
- 64 EV's, 55 charging stations 78 charging ports
- 33 propane bi-fuel trucks, with onsite propane pump
- 2 ANG vehicles with onsite pump and meter



The Tax Assessors
Fleet is 75% EV



Rangers use E-Bikes to
patrol Parks and Trails



Sheriff's office uses Mach-E
for Administrative Duties



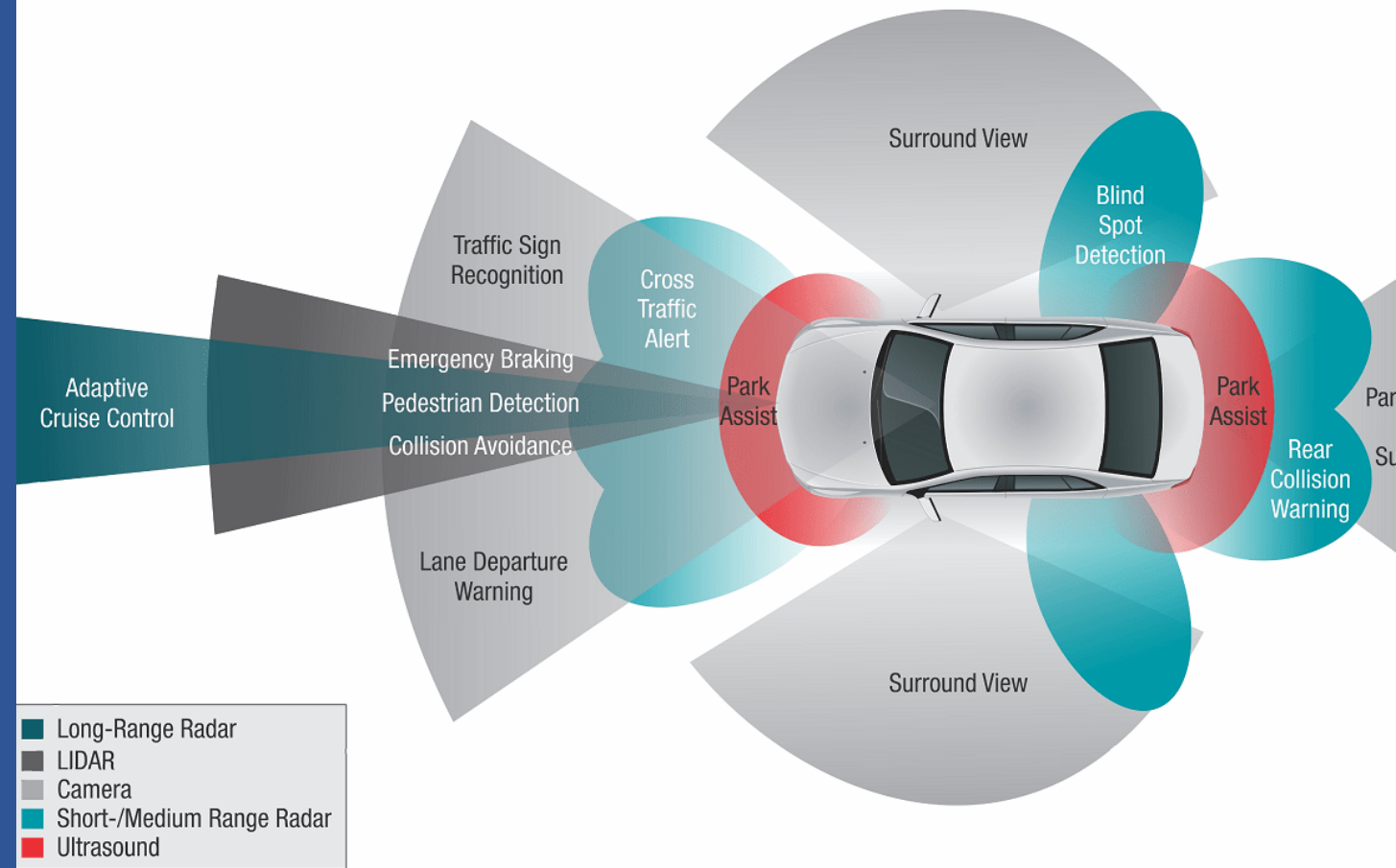
Prisoner Transport Van 3-year Total cost of ownership Diesel vs Electric

*Our transport vans travel on average 24,000 miles a year

Total cost savings in the first 3 years is 40,514.00

Future Plans

- More EV and Hybrid vehicles
- Improving Charging infrastructure
- Alternative Fuel Research & Implementation
- Technician Training
- Sustainability Planning





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Cobb County Fleet Management

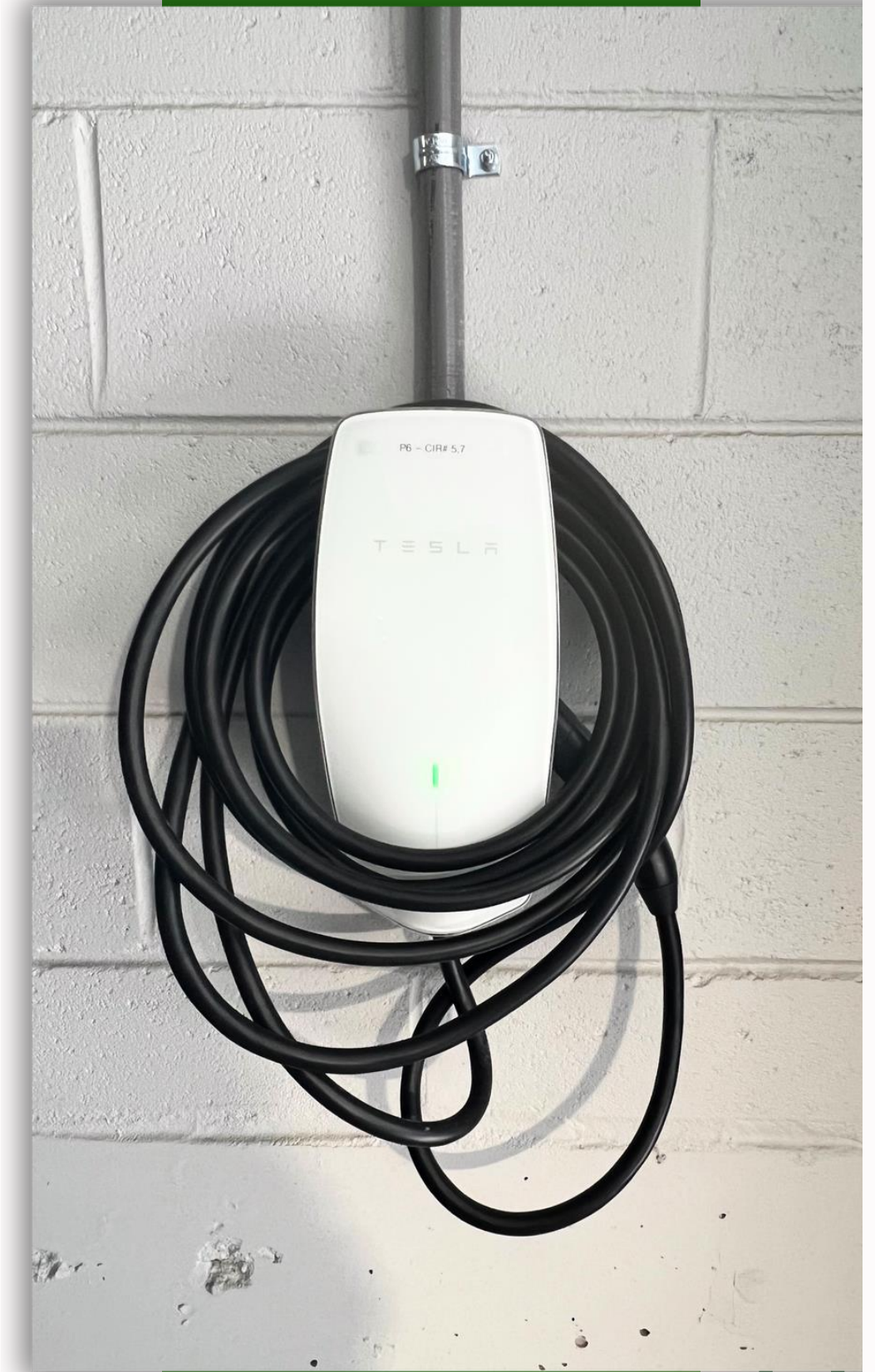
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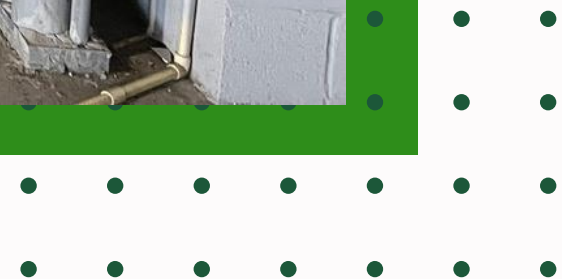


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Electrical Panels

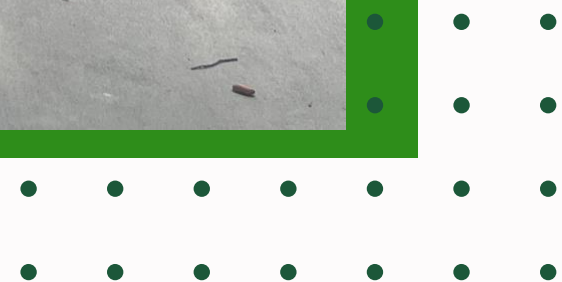
- **Capacity Planning:** Electrical panels for EV chargers need to be properly sized to accommodate the charging requirements of the installed charging stations. This includes considering the panel's amperage rating to ensure it can handle the additional load without overloading the system.



EV CHARGING STATIONS

Level 2 (L2)

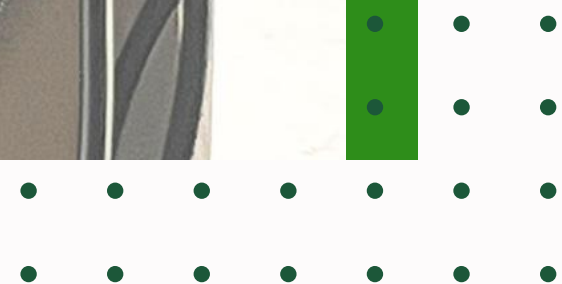
- **Efficiency:** L2 chargers are more efficient than standard Level 1 chargers, providing faster charging times for electric vehicles.
- **Voltage and Amperage:** L2 chargers typically operate at 240 volts and can deliver higher amperage compared to Level 1 chargers, enabling quicker charging.



EV CHARGING STATIONS

Level 2 (L2)

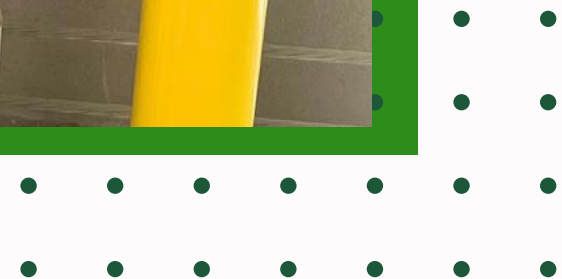
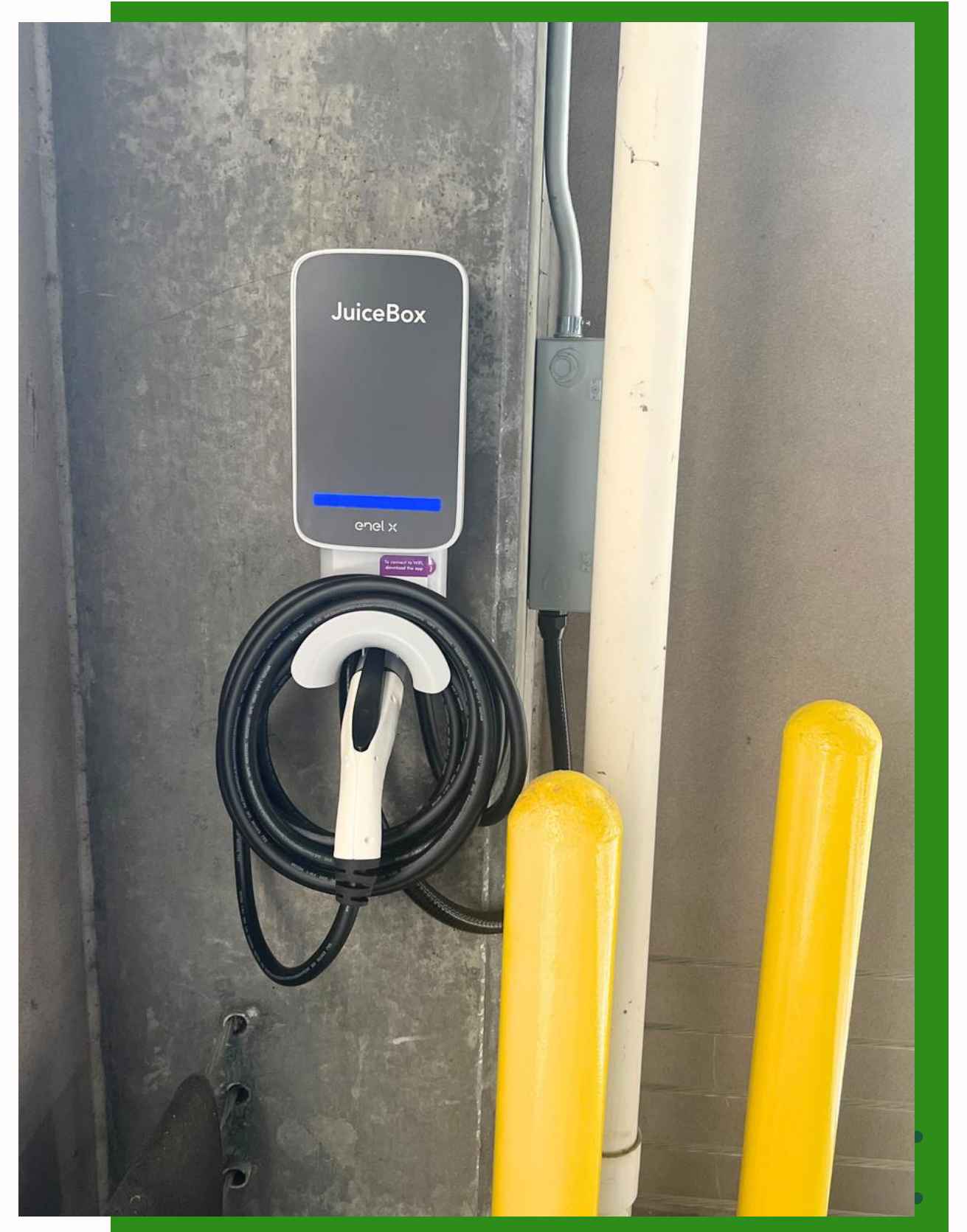
- **Charging Speed:** They can charge an electric vehicle roughly 3 to 5 times faster than a standard Level 1 charger, making them suitable for daily use and reducing charging times.
- **Residential and Commercial Use:** L2 chargers are suitable for both residential and commercial applications, offering versatility in charging solutions.



EV CHARGING STATIONS

Level 2 (L2)

- **Installation:** They require professional installation and access to a 240-volt power source, which may involve some electrical work and potential costs.
- **Connector Types:** L2 chargers come with various connector types (e.g., J1772, Type 2, etc.), so compatibility with your electric vehicle is essential.





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RENEWABLE PROPANE PANEL



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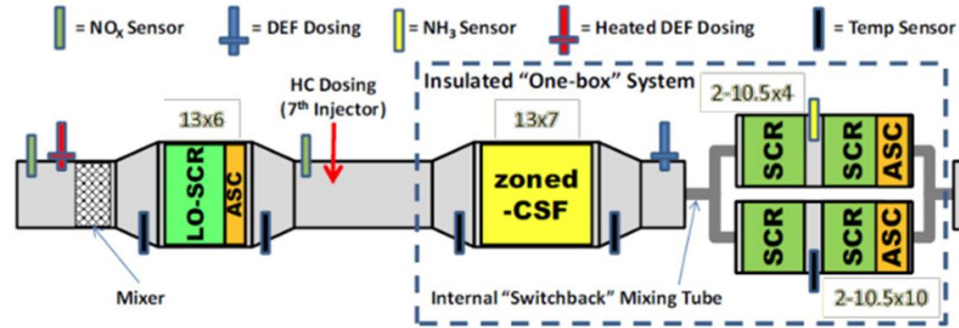
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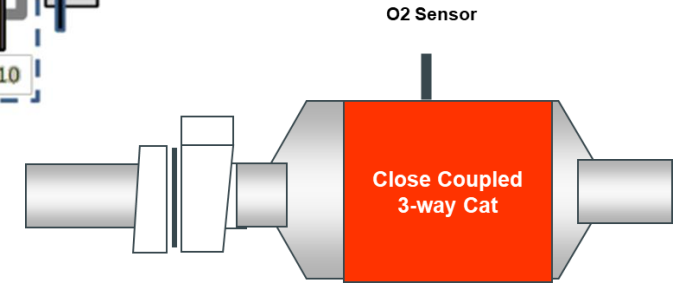
The Diesel Emissions Challenge



Diesel - Current emissions = Single module.



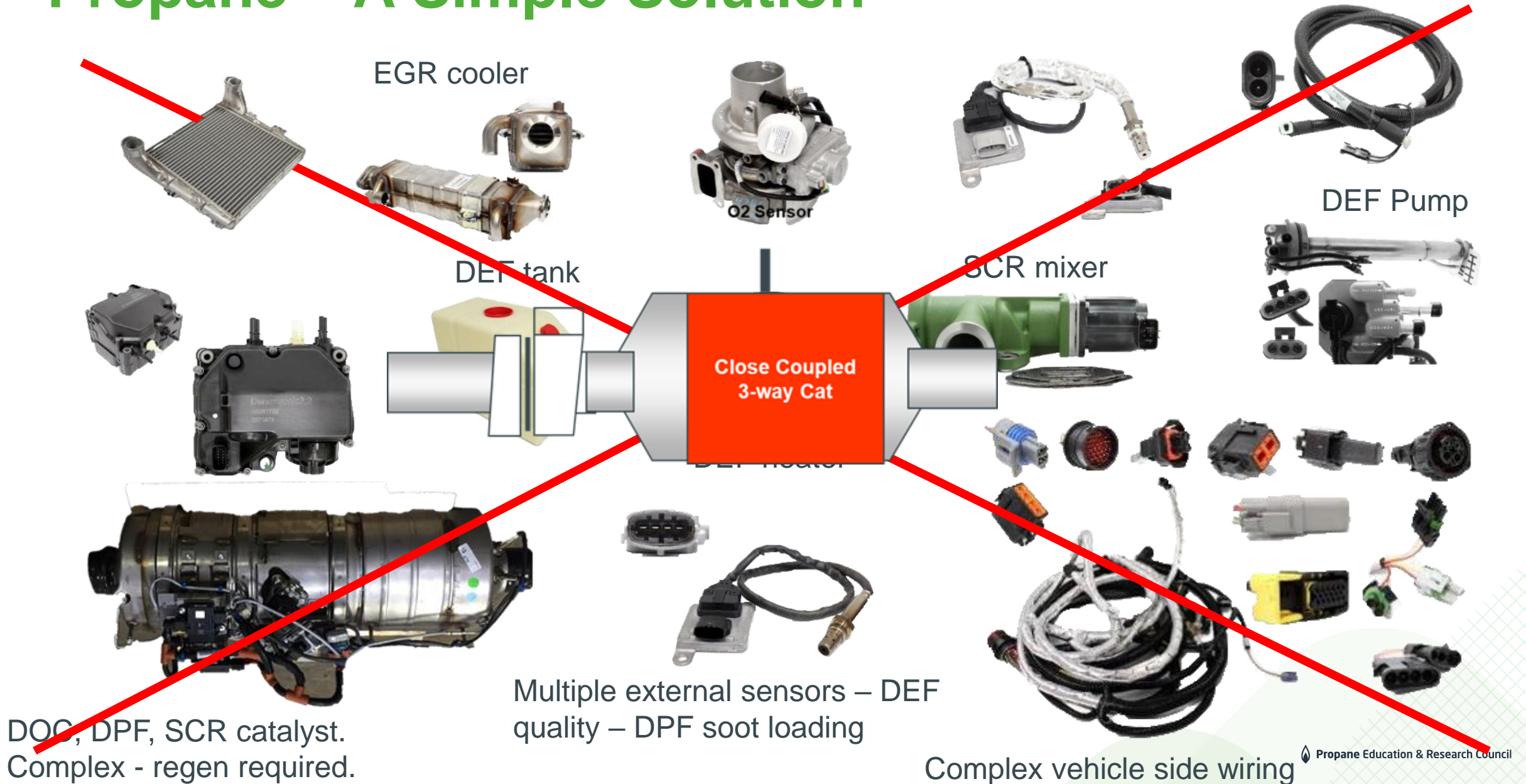
Diesel - 2028 Emissions Technology. Complex, costly, difficult to package, significant interaction with engine and operator.



Propane – Current and future emissions via a simple catalytic converter.

- 2027 EPA and CARB emissions limits increase significantly diesel exhaust after treatment technology. The target is 0.035 grams NOx.
 - Complex and costly, difficult to service, iterates engine performance, requires urea fluid.
- Propane engines already meet future emissions limits via a simple catalytic converter. No development required. Highly developed coast to coast fuel supply infrastructure.

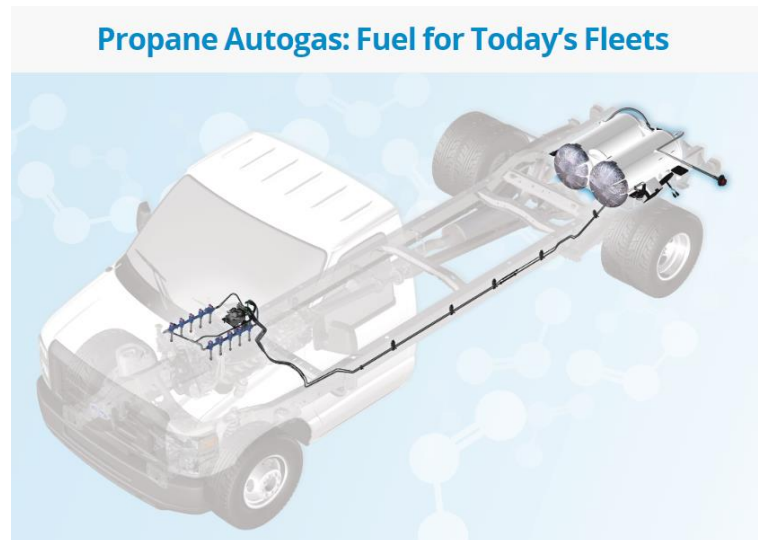
Propane – A Simple Solution



On-Road Propane Options – In Production Today

1. Converted engines - Blossman/Alliance Autogas
 - Convert existing vehicles to run on propane
2. Roush – Specific engines for school bus/transit applications

Solutions that are available today





F150
3.3 PFDI
5.0 PFDI
2.7/3.5 PFDI
(SUMMER 20)

F250-F350
6.2 PFI

F450-F750
7.3 PFI (2021 MY)

E450
6.2 PFI
7.3 PFI (2021 MY)

TRANSIT
3.5 PFDI
3.5 ECOBOOST
(FALL 20)

EXPLORER
3.3 PFDI



SILVERADO 1500
5.3 DI

SILVERADO
2500/3500
6.6 DI

EXPRESS/SAVANA
6.0 PFI



DURANGO
5.7 PFI

CHARGER
3.6 PFI

RAM 5.7 PFI
3.6 PFI
(SUMMER 20)



OEM Propane Options

- Light & medium duty Ford trucks & vans, school bus.
- Factory Ford warranty maintained.
- No loss of HP / torque / towing capacity.
- Serviceable with existing diagnostic equipment.
- EPA & CARB Certified.

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CLEANTECH



Ford F-53 / F-59



Ford E-350/450



Ford F-450/550



Ford F-650/750



Blue Bird Vision

Micro Bird G5

In Development – Ready for 2027

Base Engine

- 6.7L displacement
- 107 mm bore x 124 mm stroke
- 4 head bolt iron block
- 4 valve aluminum cylinder head

Air Handling System

- Dual independent cam phasing
- Wastegate turbocharger with command WG actuator
- Compressor by-pass valve
- Non-egr system
- Positive crank case ventilation
- Compression release exhaust brake

Vehicle Integration

- System weight improved over B6.7 diesel
- Customer interfaces similar to B6.7 diesel



Electronics/Controls

- CM 3580
- No aftertreatment control module

Fuel and Ignition System

- Direct injection
- M14 spark plug
- Coil-on-plug connection

Lube System

- GF-6A Oil Required (10w30 and 5w30)
- Controllable Piston Cooling Nozzles

B6.7 Propane Differences

- Fuel system (port fuel vapor injected, low pressure rail)
- No evaporative fuel control
- Cylinder head (to accommodate fuel system)
- Intake camshaft (different profile)
- Wiring harness (to accommodate fuel system)
- Calibration and software
- TWC (underfloor) .02 g/hr. only

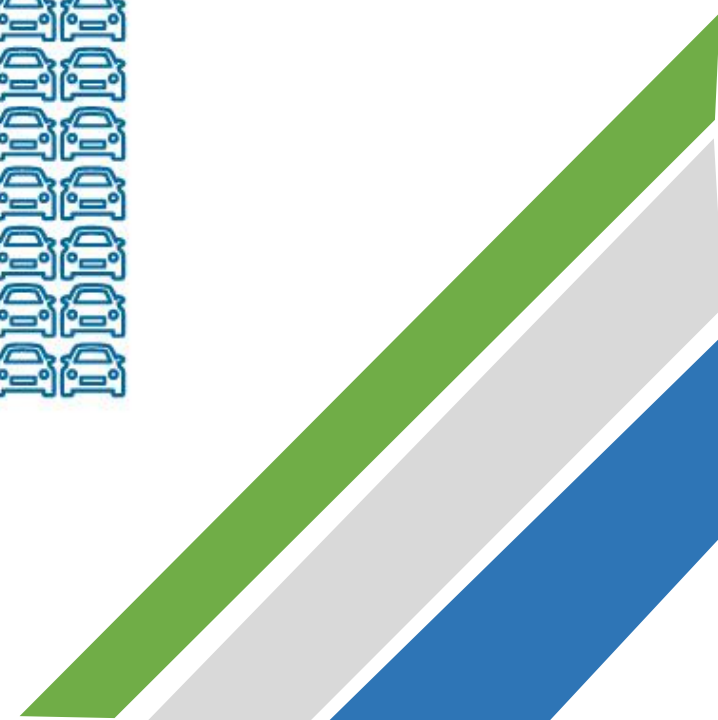
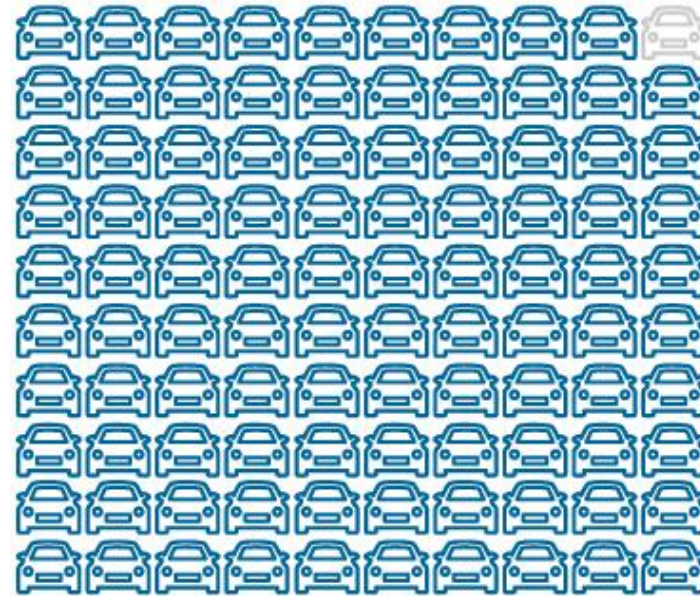
Cummins Aftertreatment System

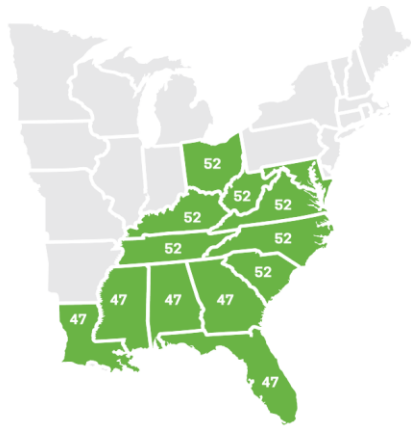
- On-engine three-way catalyst

Domestic

99%

of propane autogas
used in the U.S. is
produced in
North America

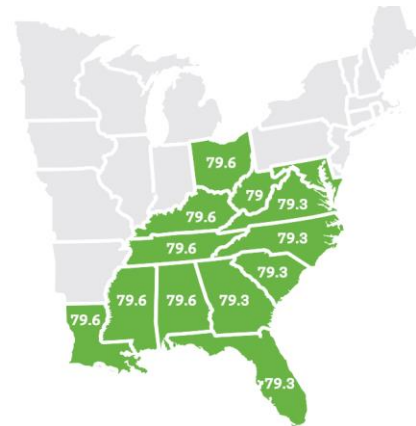




RENEWABLE PROPANE (rP) 50/50 blend of propane and renewable propane (rp)

Currently, renewable propane provides a lower carbon footprint solution in all 50 U.S. states except Vermont when compared EVs that are charged using the electrical grid. The entire U.S. propane industry is targeting at least a 50 percent replacement of conventional propane with renewable propane by 2050.

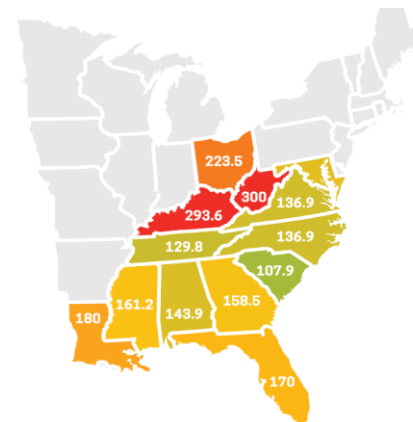
47 gCO₂eq/MJ
AVERAGE FOOTPRINT



CONVENTIONAL PROPANE

Because of propane's low-carbon, high-energy output, it's a perfect fuel for residential and commercial applications such as vehicle fleets, agriculture and industrial work, and landscape management, just to name a few.

79.6 gCO₂eq/MJ
AVERAGE FOOTPRINT



ELECTRICAL GRID

Along with emissions, the U.S. electrical grid can also lead to higher NO_x and particulate matter emissions than the regulated internal combustion engine vehicles tail-pipe productive. Hence, full electrification is not correlative to decarbonization.

167 gCO₂eq/MJ
AVERAGE GRID ELECTRICITY

ELECTRIC VS. PROPANE

Graphs Below Represent the Carbon Intensity of Electricity Compared to Conventional and Renewable Propane

Easy to Operate Infrastructure

SIMPLE DISPENSING



ARRIVE AT PUMP



SWIPE CARD



THE STAÜBLI QUICK
CONNECT NOZZLE IS JUST
AS SIMPLE TO HANDLE AS
A TRADITIONAL "GAS
PUMP" NOZZLE. SIMPLY,
POSITION THE NOZZLE AT
THE CONNECTOR AND
OPERATE THE TRIGGER.



ENTER CREDENTIALS



BEGIN REFUELING

Smaller Installations



- Scalable skid mounted fueling equipment can expand as your fleet grows
- *Dual 1000 gallon tank skid only requires about 3 parking spaces*
- *Skid mounted equipment typically provided by propane supplier at little to no cost to the customer*

Larger Installations

Autogas Fueling Infrastructure can grow as you grow!

Starting with a single 1000 gallon skid-mounted fueling system and expanding to a 30,000 gallon tank system with little costs to the fleet owner.

Most propane suppliers will provide the fueling system at little to no cost with a fuel agreement in place.



Thank You!

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Henry County Schools

Clean Propane Initiative



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- *Safe Energy*
- *Reliable Energy*
- *Cheap Energy*

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Groome Transportation- Airport Shuttle

Groome Transportation – Overview

- Groome Transportation:

We are a third generation family owned company with 4 divisions:

- 1) Airport Transportation- numerous airport locations providing door to door service to and from the airport
- 2) Campus Shuttles- transporting students daily on many major campuses
- 3) Military bases- transporting military personnel to major airports daily
- 4) Medical facilities- transporting patients at major hospitals daily

Groome Transportation – Why Autogas?

1. Clean - propane autogas is environmentally friendly and helped us achieve some of our sustainability goals
2. Cost - propane cost considerably less than gasoline on fuel costs and maintenance
3. Tax credits received for running a clean alternative fuel to gasoline or diesel



Groome Transportation – By the Numbers



How many vehicles do you have in Georgia?

Over 300 that serve the Atlanta airport



How many locations to you have in Georgia?

11 locations that serve the Atlanta airport



How many vehicles do you have in your fleet?

504 Vehicles



How many total locations do you have?

43 locations across 15 states



How many miles do you travel per year (total company)?

Over 34 million miles annually between airport shuttles, campus shuttles, military bases, and medical facilities



How long has Groome been running autogas on their fleet vehicles?

13 years

Savings Using Autogas vs Gasoline



Propane Autogas
(previous 12 months)

Total \$ Spent
\$2,362,233.15
(w/o tax credit)

\$1,868,433.00
(with tax credit)



Gasoline
(previous 12 months)

Total \$ Spent
\$3,777,571.98



Savings
(previous 12 months)

\$(1,415,338.83)
(w/o tax credit)

\$(1,909,138.98)
(with tax credit)

Assumptions: propane autogas achieves 85% of the fuel economy of gasoline on average

*Tax credit for propane autogas is \$.37 cents per gallon - good through December 2024

(11 Atlanta locations only)

GROOME **transportation**

Thank You!

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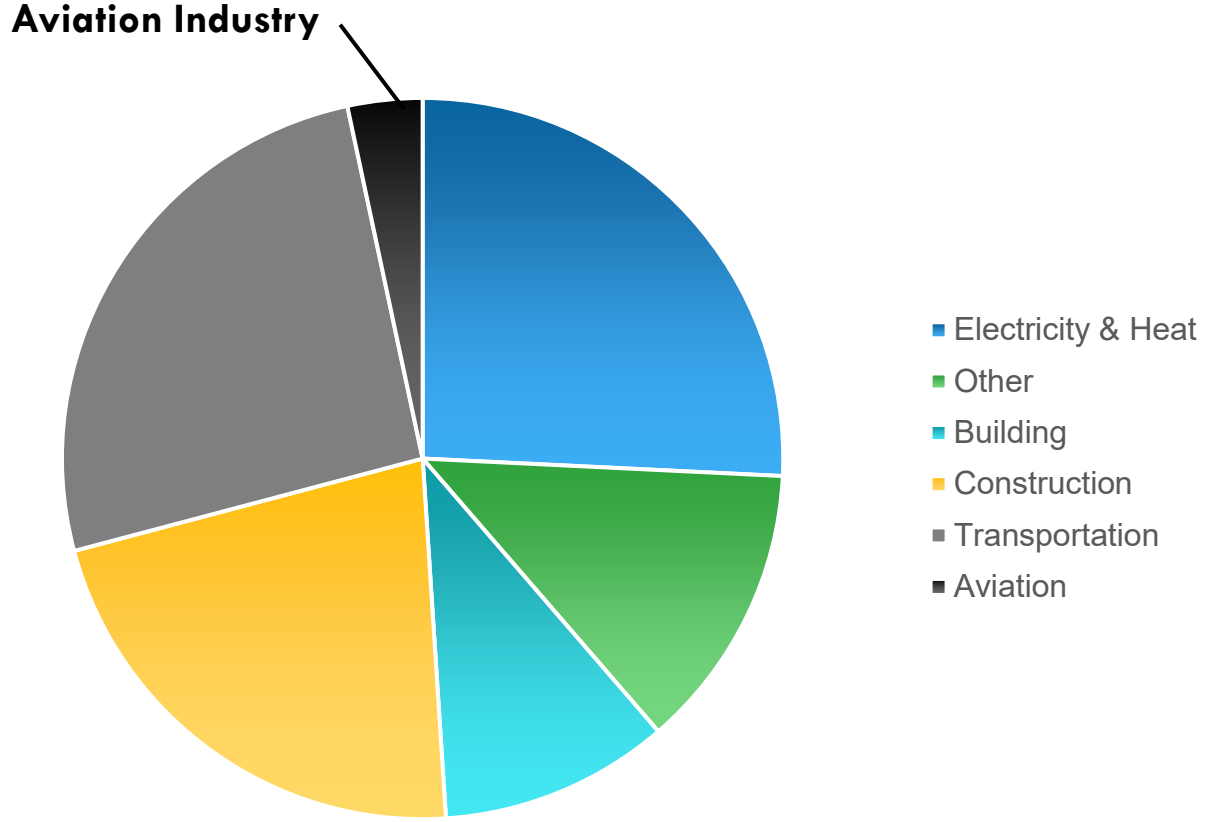
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Today, aviation contributes to 2-3% of global CO₂ emissions, and the industry is on pace to grow significantly in the coming decades

Aviation is also one of the hardest sectors to decarbonize

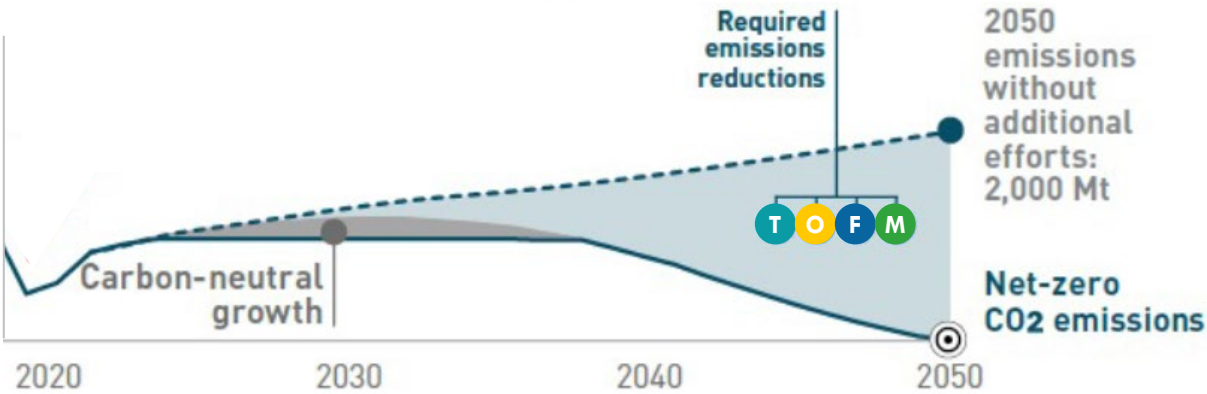


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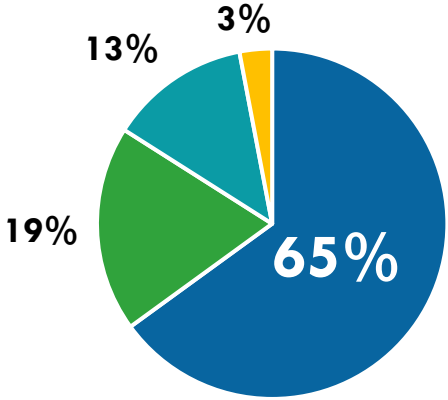


SAF offers the most significant opportunity to decarbonize aviation at 65% share of overall reduction in GHG emissions

Aviation is a growing source of CO2 emissions and Alcohol to Jet technology is one of the most promising solutions to get to net-zero



- F SAF
- M Offsetting/Capture
- T New technologies
- O Operations



Source: IATA, Fly Net Zero, October 2021

We are supported by a group of world-class investors and funders



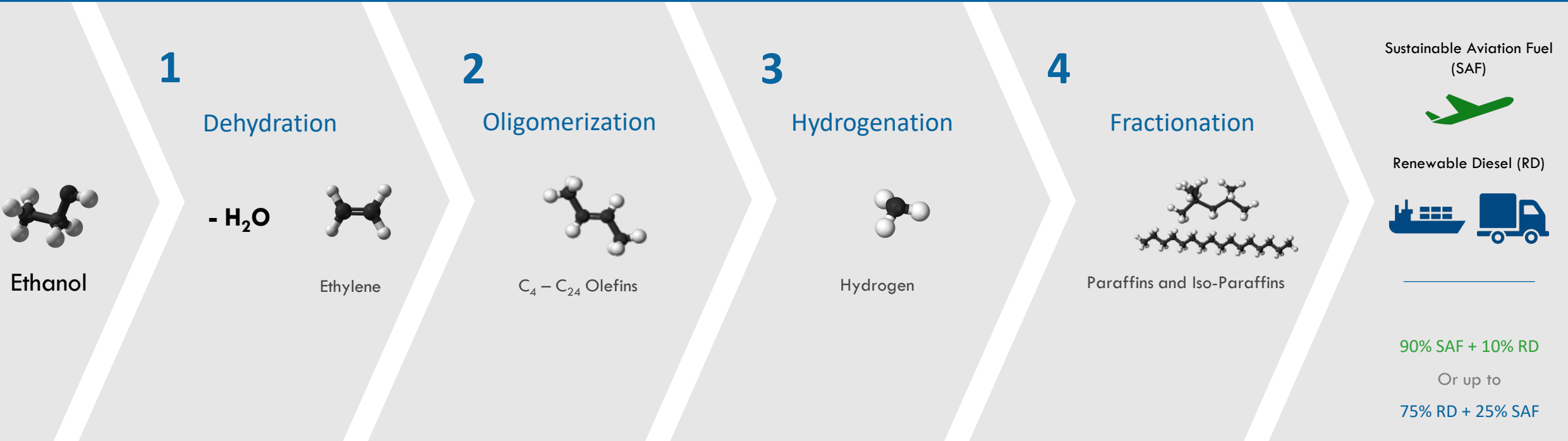
LanzaTech



- ✓ Funding commitments
- ✓ Commercial-scale projects commitments
- ✓ Offtake commitments
- ✓ Knowledge, support, and secondees commitments
- ✓ Feedstock supply flexibility commitments
- ✓ Innovative commitments

Our technology converts ethanol to drop-in SAF and RD

The LanzaJet® ATJ Process



Stakeholders in our Technology Development



Leveraging existing ethanol supply while continuing to develop additional waste-based sources = foundation for scalable SAF industry

Leveraging & Transitioning Existing Ethanol Supply

1G

- Existing low-Cl ethanol production
- Cellulosic ethanol
- Waste-based ethanol

Building New Waste-Based Ethanol Supply

2G

- Industrial / landfill off-gasses
- Agricultural waste and residues
- Municipal Solid Waste (MSW)
- Corn fiber cellulose / sugarcane bagasse



Later this year, we'll complete the world's first ATJ commercial-scale biorefinery

LanzaJet Freedom Pines Fuels



December 2022



July 2023

Meeting the moment...

- Policy support
- Technology partnerships
- Private investment, capital deployment
- Continued commitments and meaningful market signals from aviation industry

Robust, and sustainable market for agriculture, creating jobs across rural America, strengthening energy security, and decarbonizing an entire industry...

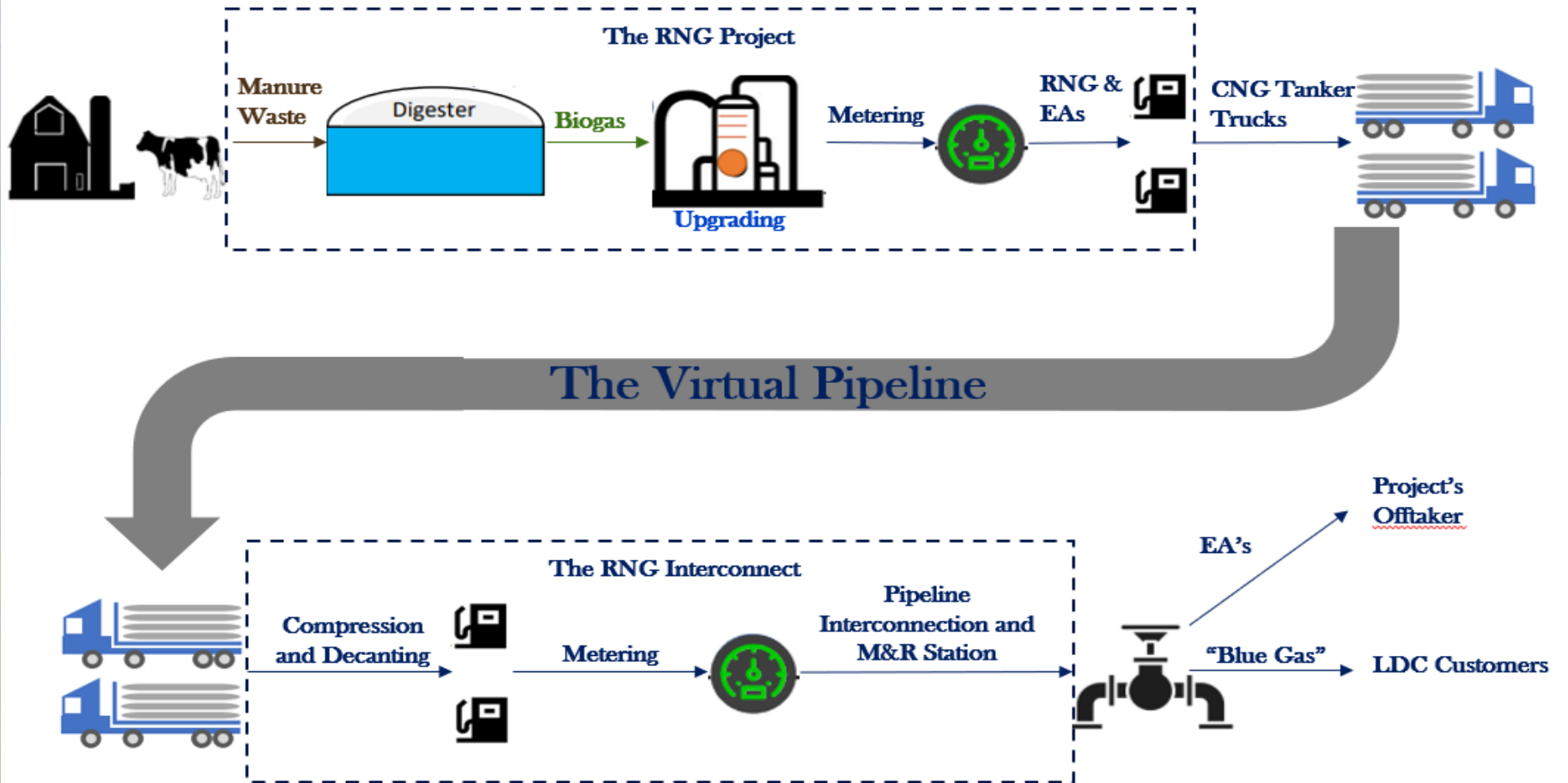
Someday is Now.

The Gas Authority

- Clean Cities Transportation Summit
- Renewable Natural Gas

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RNG Process – from Manure to Natural Gas



RNG Process – from Manure to Natural Gas

- The Players:
 - City of Eatonton – Natural Gas Utility
 - Two Dairy Farms in Putnam County
 - Sustain RNG – a Duke Energy Company
 - Sapphire Gas Solutions – CNG Transportation
 - City of Dublin – Natural Gas Utility
 - West Rock Paper
 - The Gas Authority

The Dairy Farm in Eatonton, GA



Waste Management Process

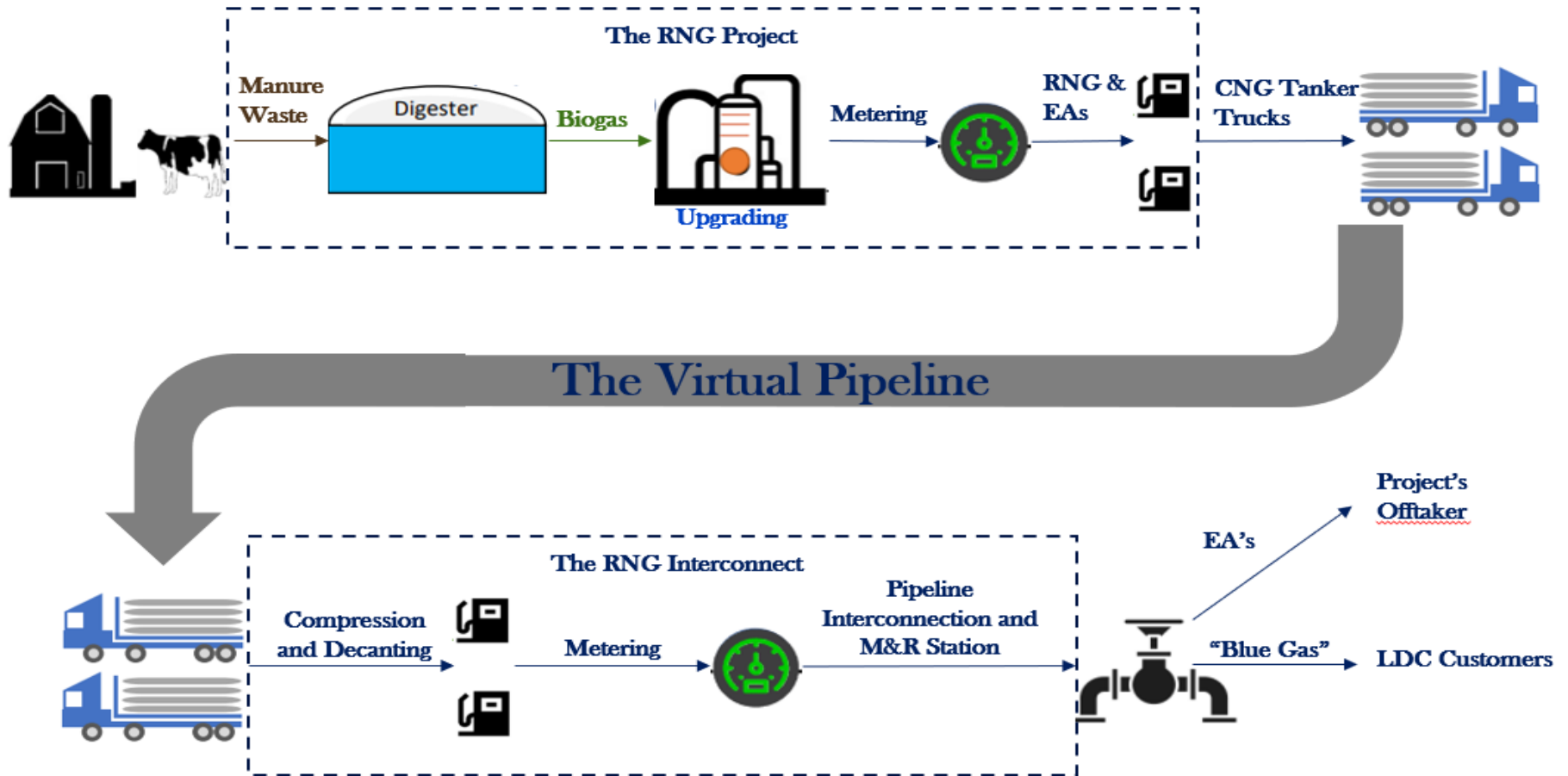


Natural Gas Compression



RNG Process – from Manure to Natural Gas

What is a “Virtual Pipeline”?



Injection Site in Dublin, GA



Output of process

- Current Fuel Source and Output:
 - 4000 milk cows
 - 250 Dekatherms per day output
 - Digester has a capacity of 500 Dekatherms per day
 - Compressor and Injection site have a 2500 Dekatherm per day capacity
- Timing:
 - Commissioning now – compressed gas being injected into the Dublin System
 - Full load expected by November 2023
- Future Goals:
 - Optimize current process with added farm participation
 - Prove concept and look for additional farm sites for future Digestors

A great success story....

- The Farmers:
 - Improved waste management and new revenue stream
- The City Gas systems:
 - Increased revenue selling gas to the Developer
 - Decreased cost for “Brown” renewable gas
- The Developer
 - Value of the “Green” credits for diesel replacement in California plus federal RIN credits
- Westrock Paper
 - Additional volumes of gas produced are first through the Meter
- The Gas Authority
 - Connecting the dots for its members and increasing the natural gas volumes in rural Georgia

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CURRENT AND FUTURE HYDROGEN APPLICATIONS PANEL



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Plug is a Pioneer in the Hydrogen Ecosystem

Plug is vertically integrated on the entire H2 value chain



1st to create a market for Fuel Cell technology



Provider of turnkey solutions: FC, H2 supply, storage, dispenser



One of the largest fuel cell manufacturer globally



World's largest purchaser of liquid hydrogen



40+ years of electrolyzer and H2 liquefaction experience



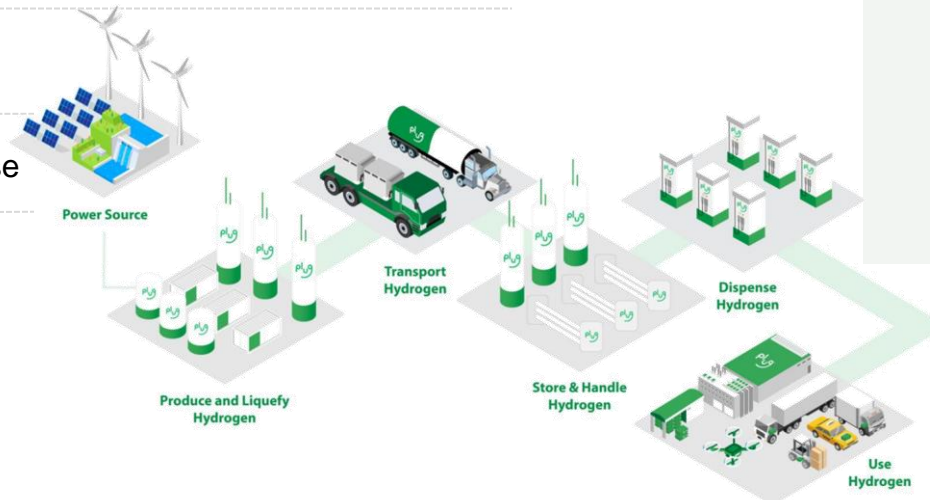
Building a global green hydrogen generation network



50+ trademarks



~70% blue chip customer base



Key performance indicators

~4,000

Employees

\$1.4bn

2023 expected revenues

60,000+

Fuel cells in operations

1bn+

Operating hours on Plug's fuel cell technology (2bn+ kilometers)

500 tons per day

Green hydrogen generation capacity in 2025

4.5GW

Installed electrolyzer capacity in 2025 (external & BOO)

USD 2bn

Cash on balance sheet to invest in production capacity

\$5bn+ Market Cap.

Listed on Nasdaq



Plug's Ecosystem of Products

Production

Transport and Storage

End Uses

Electrolyzers & Liquefaction

- < 1 MW up to 200 MW architectures
- Hardware or BOO solutions available
- Installation included upon request, in house EPC
- In-house liquefaction OEM and EPC



Green Hydrogen Production Network

- Construction underway across the U.S. with offtake volumes available 2023
- 500 TPD green hydrogen by 2025



Green Hydrogen Delivery & Storage

- Green hydrogen supply from own resilient network - zero and low CI options
- No complicated long-term contracts
- Liquid or high-pressure gas deliveries
- Large volume H2 storage (liquid and gas) options



Hydrogen Fueling Stations

- 350 & 700 bar fueling stations, up to 3 tons per day of H2 dispensing
- Full turnkey services (EPC, service, and IoT)
- Mobile refueler product



FCEVs in Mobility

- Class 1-3 material handling
- Terminal tractor, cargo tractors, container mover, tow tractors
- City buses
- Class 4-8 vehicles
- Aviation for regional aircraft
- Mining equipment



Stationary Fuel Cells

- < 1 MW up to 200 MW architectures
- Millisecond response grid stabilization (peak, backup, and baseload power)
- Installation included upon request
- Hardware and PPA solutions available
- Clean, quiet, and secure!



Service and Maintenance

- Uptime and reliability guarantees available
- Over 500 highly skilled technicians
- Remote monitoring and 24x7 technical assistance

Private Ecosystem

- Ask how we can build you your own ecosystem (pipelines or delivery)
- We offer custom built networks of hydrogen generation, delivery, storage, dispensing, and FC apps
- This can be across the entire US or regional in scale



Plug's Fuel Cell Applications

Material Handling



- 15+ years of experience
- 60,000+ fuel cells with over 2bn kilometers of operations cumulated
- 1 kg of H₂/day average consumption
- Value proposition / key advantages:
 - Shorter refueling times
 - Higher facility productivity
 - Greater operating ranges
 - Lower maintenance costs
 - Lower total cost of ownership
 - Lower environmental impact

Vans



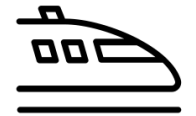
- Joint-venture with Renault
- Address 30% of the light commercial vehicle sector by 2030
- Fuel cells capacity of 30KW
- 6 kg of H₂/ day average consumption

Stationary



- Stationary fuel cell for grid support or back up solution
- Grid stability, back up solution for data centers, hospitals, telecom infrastructure, etc.
- Capacity up to several MWs (containerized solution)
- Several ton(s) of H₂/day consumption

Other Applications



Plug is also working on other fuel cell applications:

- Heavy duty trucks
- Aircrafts
- Airport's ground support equipment
- Mining vehicles
- Train
- Etc.

Hyvia, our JV with Renault to Fuel the Future H2 Light-Commercial-Vehicles Champion in Europe



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Renault
Group



- Plug has created a JV with Groupe Renault to offer fuel cell utility vehicles to customers in the logistics sector and develop emission-free mobility in Europe
- Renault's 100y+ of experience in LCVs and European market leadership with Plug's best-in-class H2 technology and expertise is set to create a European champion targeting **30% of the H2 LCV market in Europe by 2030**
- **Hyvia appears as a key hydrogen demand vector for Plug and requires the deployment of a robust territorial hydrogen network on a national and continental scale**

HYVIA



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CABINE H2-TECH



MASTER CITY BUS
H2-TECH



FUEL CELLS



GREEN H2
CHARGING STATIONS



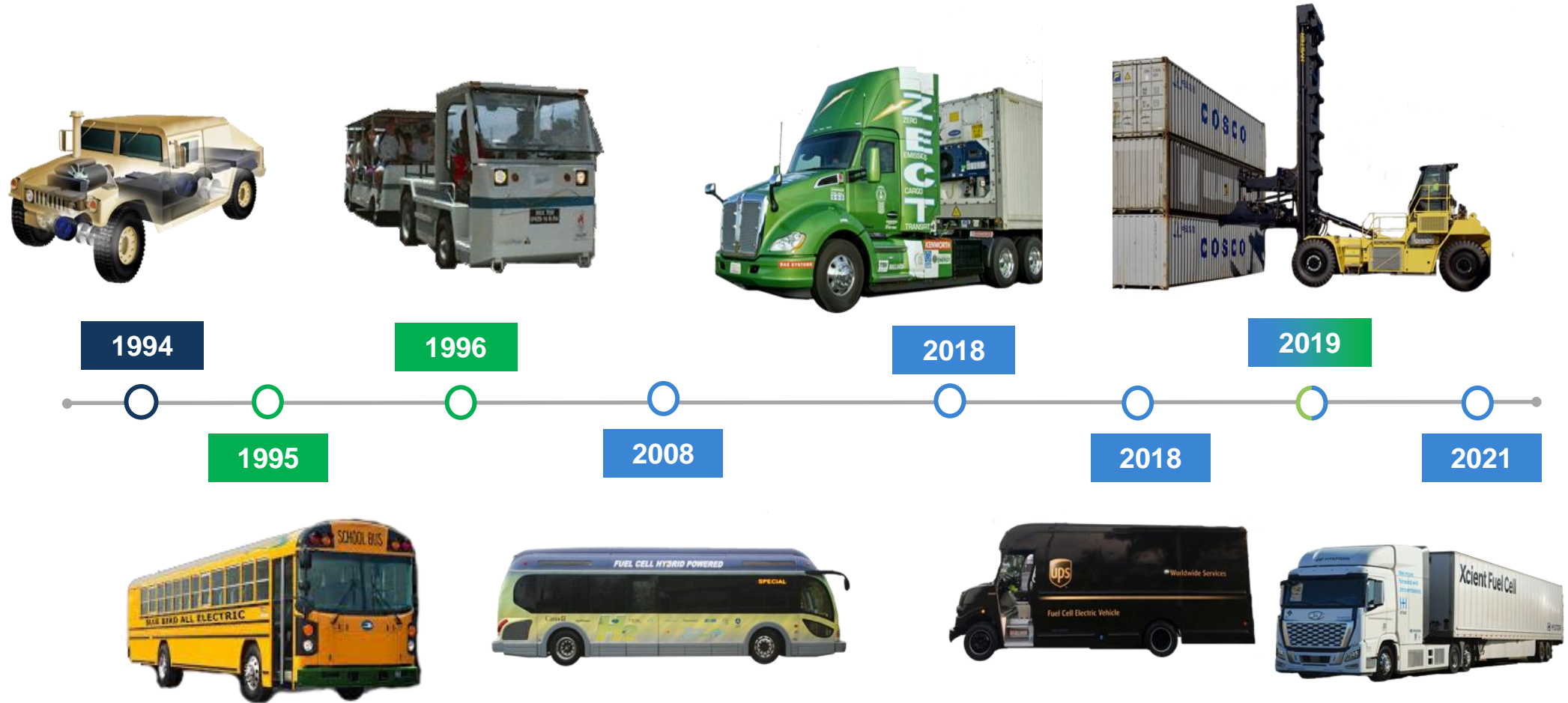
GREEN H2 PRODUCTION
AND STORAGE





Green Hydrogen at Work™

CTE Technology Development Projects



Hydrogen Fuel Cell Projects

CTE has led 40+ hydrogen based projects over the past 30 years

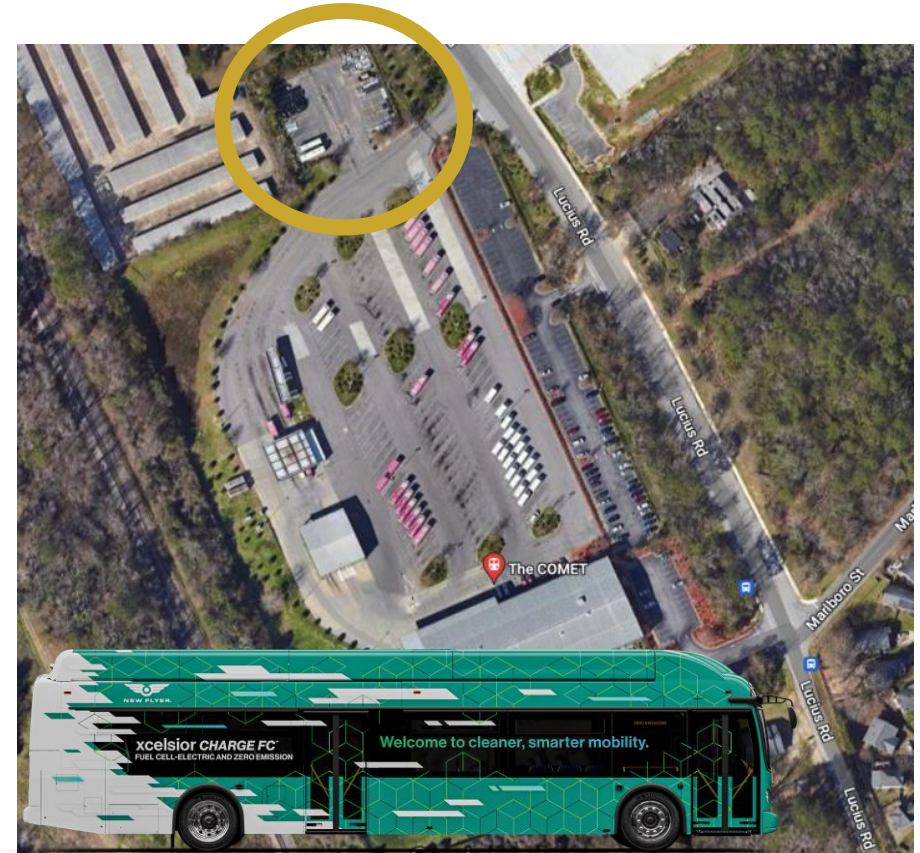
- AC Transit FCEB Support (13 FCEBs)
- AC Transit and OCTA FCEB (\$45 million – 20 buses)
- Shell Oil Light-Duty H₂ Fueling Station
- Champaign-Urbana - FCEB deployment, Electrolysis H₂ Station
- SamTrans FCEB Deployment (10 FCEBs)
- **COMET Columbia, SC - FCEB, H₂ Station**
- Winnipeg Hydrogen Fueling Station – FCEB deployment, Electrolysis H₂ Station
- Foothill Transit – FCEB, Liquid H₂ Station
- North County Transit District - H₂ Station
- Fuel Cell Electric Class 8 Drayage Truck (Kenworth)
- Fuel Cell UPS Class 6 Delivery Van (2 deployments)
- Fuel Cell Electric Top Loader – POLA (Hyster-Yale)
- NorCal Zero Class 8 Trucks and Infrastructure (Hyundai)



The Central Midlands Regional Transit Authority

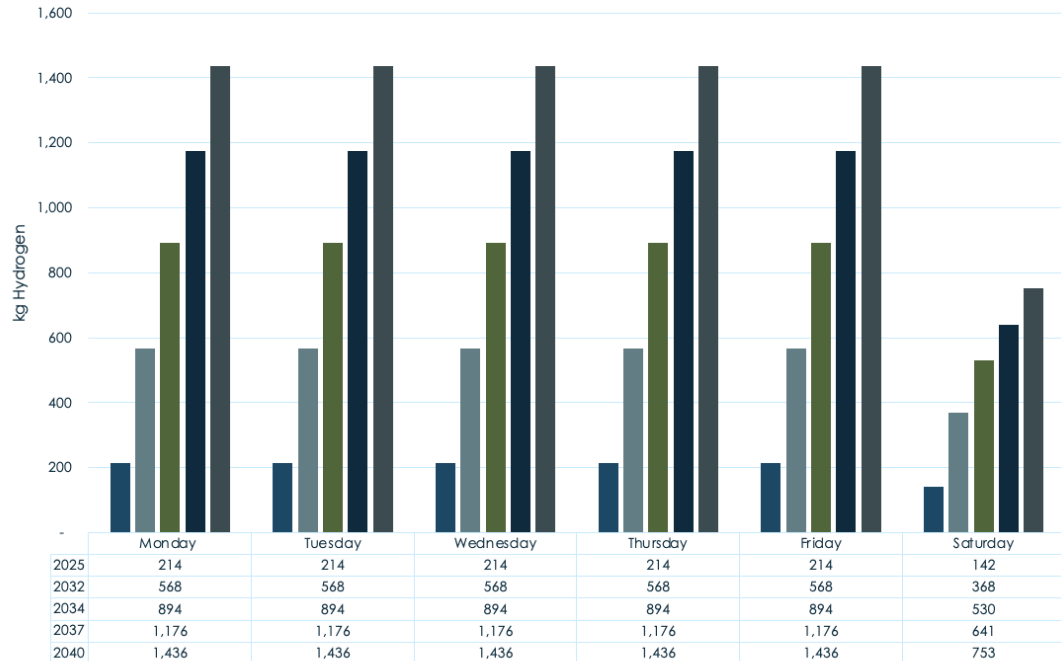
Columbia, SC, 2021-2024, \$5 million

- **Deploy** 2 New Flyer fuel cell electric buses and 2) battery electric buses
- **Manage build** of hydrogen fueling station in partnership with Fluitron and Linde



Hydrogen Fueling Infrastructure Assessment

Daily Hydrogen Demand



Each year represented on the chart is each year Operator would add additional FCEB.

Hydrogen Fueling Scenarios

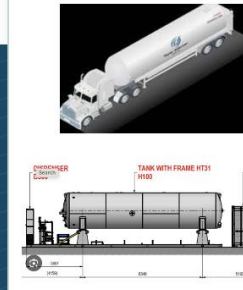
Scenario 1

Mobile Refueler for 5 years and then Permanent Station for 15 years



Scenario 2

Permanent Station with Delivery for 20 years

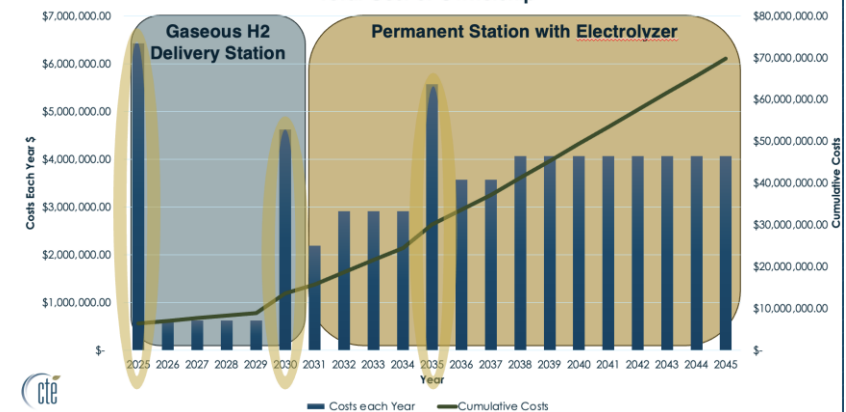


Scenario 3

Permanent Station with Electrolyzer for 20 years



Total Cost of Ownership





T680 FCEV

Fuel Cell Electric Vehicle

KENWORTH

The World's Best[®]





- Class 8 Tractor
- 82,000lb GCWR
- Toyota Fuel Cell
- 450mi Range
- 15-20 min Fill Time
- 60kg H₂ Storage
- 310kW Motor
- Drayage
- Regional Haul
- Linehaul



T680 FCEV

KENWORTH 100

- Shore to Store Program
- 4 Year CARB-Funded Demonstration
- 10 T680FCEV Prototypes
- Proved Viability of Hydrogen as a Fuel
- Reduced CO₂ by 74.66 tons/Truck Annually





- **H₂ Infrastructure**
Commissioned by Shell
- **Operating Partners**
 - **Toyota Logistics**
 - **UPS**
 - **Total Transportation Services Inc.**
 - **Southern Counties Express**
- **Drayage Operations**
 - **POLA, POLB, Port of Hueneme, Inland Empire**



Southeast Hydrogen Energy Alliance

- 2006 ● Organized as the South Carolina Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Alliance
- 2020 ● Reconstituted as Southeast Hydrogen Energy Alliance
- 2021 ● Commissioned SE Green H2 Supply Chain Study
- 2022 ● Southeast Clean H2 Hub Collaboration
 - Convening
 - 200+ organizations
 - 400+ professionals
- 2023 ● Launching new Working Groups and Roadmapping efforts



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Outreach & Partnerships

Stakeholders and Partners Management:

- Identify potential members and manage engagement based on SHEA mission and vision
- Develop marketing and development materials to grow SHEA's and members/partners footprint
- Quarterly Virtual Funding Opportunity Updates

State legislature Engagement:

- Energy and environmental policy development
- Energy-related budget proposals
- Identification and engagement of "champions" to support hydrogen-conductive efforts in the SHEA region



Knowledge Development

Workforce Development:

- Promotion of hydrogen-related trade and professional education at local and state level
- Scholarship and internship programs

Technoeconomic Knowledge:

- Monitor and project regional supply chain
- Infrastructure requirements and opportunities
- Supply/Demand Analysis opportunities
- Policy & Regulation Development
- Safety Training (H2 101's)
- Regional Roadmapping
- EJ and DEIA Impact mapping

WFD&ED Council:

- Industry-Academic Council on H2 Workforce and Education



Networking

H2 Events:

- Roundtables and discussion panels
- H2 Summit
- Technology, startup, company spotlights and networking
- Monthly Webinars
- State-focused events

Social Media:

- SHEA web page for news, technology, and member highlights;
- LinkedIn, Twitter for daily/weekly blasts and highlights

Meetings:

Annual Regionally Rotating Member Meeting



H2 Advocacy

Educating Communities, Government, and Stakeholders:

- Advocate for technology, projects, training, pollution, workforce development, economic development with local/state/federal stakeholder
- Webinars to raise awareness of potential of hydrogen development needs and opportunities

The Hydrogen Storage and Power Solution

Provides 3X the energy density of lithium at 30% of the weight



Soldier Power



UAVs and UUVs



Transport (scooters, delivery AVs, air taxis)

Soldier Power needs lighter weight, longer runtime

UAVs/UUVs needs longer endurance (runtime), elimination of battery management & charging time

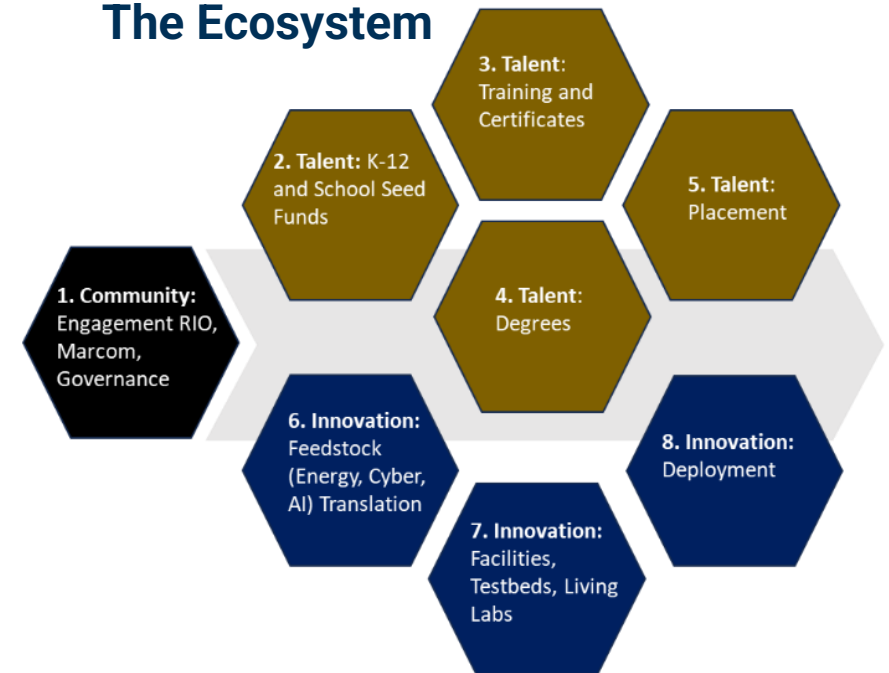
TRANSPORT needs lower emissions, range extension, and elimination of battery management & charging time

ACCEL-USA (Accelerating and Catalyzing Clean Energy Leadership for the USA)

Vision: Within 10 years, make GA a globally dominate clean energy technology hub with an equitable, vibrant workforce and continuum of technology innovation, entrepreneurship and commercialization

- Over 100 GA companies have engaged
- Technology Pillars in PV, Batteries, **Hydrogen** and EVs
- Technology Cross-cuts: AI and Cybersecurity leveraging the capabilities of GA-AIM (Artificial Intelligence for Manufacturing)
- Increase commercialization and entrepreneurship in clean energy technologies
- Create 'first of its kind' world-class technology testbeds to scale, demonstrate and validate the clean energy technologies of the future and provide a real-world training ground for the workforce of the future
- Create new, high-wage, high-quality jobs and develop a well-trained clean energy workforce
- Include underserved and underrepresented populations in the economic benefits realized by the Hub – from innovation through implementation
- Develop a more resilient domestic supply chain that is prepared to compete globally within the clean energy sector

ACCEL-USA The Ecosystem



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Georgia Tech Snapshot: Student Competition Teams

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September 2023

Student Competition Center

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Welcome to the Georgia Tech Student Competition Center

The Student Competition Center (SCC) at Georgia Tech is home to seven student engineering competition teams. With its extensive machining resources, the SCC is ground zero for fostering engineering innovation amongst hundreds of students.

GT Motorsports



Website

GT Motorsports builds an internal combustion engine race car every year to compete in the Formula SAE competitions against over 120 other college teams.

GT Off Road



Website

GT Off Road designs and fabricates off-road vehicles to compete in the annual Baja SAE competition.

GT Solar Racing



Website

GT Solar Racing is a group of motivated students who are passionate about advancing vehicle technology through building solar-powered race cars.

EcoCAR



Website

EcoCAR redesigns a Chevrolet Blazer to use a hybrid powertrain and connected and automated vehicle technology to participate in the EcoCAR Mobility Challenge.

HyTech Racing



Website

HyTech Racing develops a new fully electric race car every year to compete in the Formula SAE competitions against other schools across the country.

RoboJackets



Website

RoboJackets competes in seven different robotics competitions around the world and promotes robotics throughout Georgia.

Wreck Racing



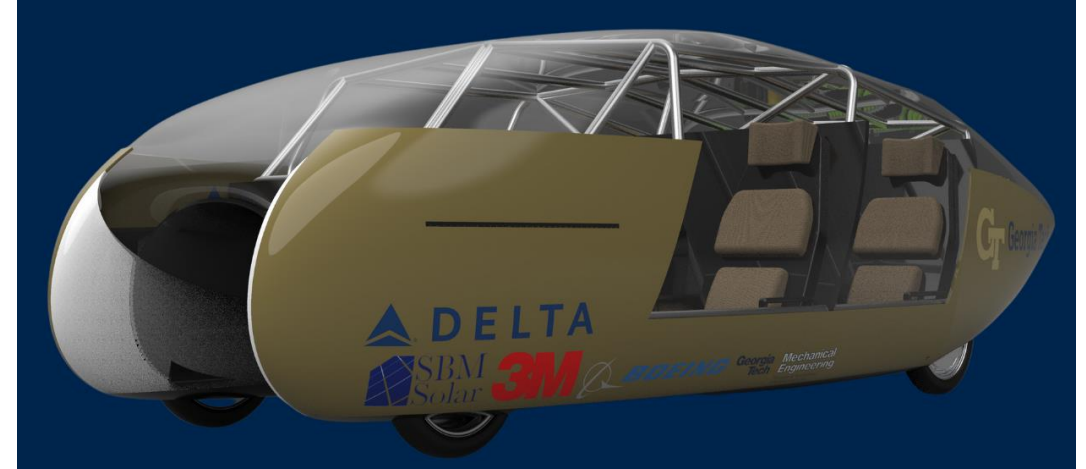
Website

Wreck Racing is an all-student racing team that consists of students from all majors who design and fabricate cars to compete in the annual Grassroots Motorsports \$20XX challenge.

<https://scc.gatech.edu/>

GT Solar Racing Overview

In GT Solar Racing we compete in the American Solar Car Challenge where we drive across the country in a race with a single battery charge



GT Solar Racing: Key Challenge

Currently working on material testing for our composite chassis in order to prove its validity in possible different crash scenarios



GT Hytech Racing Team

- Student-led, **fully electric, formula-style racecar** engineering team.
- We design and develop a new race car **each year**
- Compete against other schools like MIT, CMU, Cornell etc.
- **Mission: Build the next generation of engineers through the pursuit of performance as a tool, not an end goal.**



HT07 in Formula SAE Electric 2023, Michigan International Speedway

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HyTech Racing

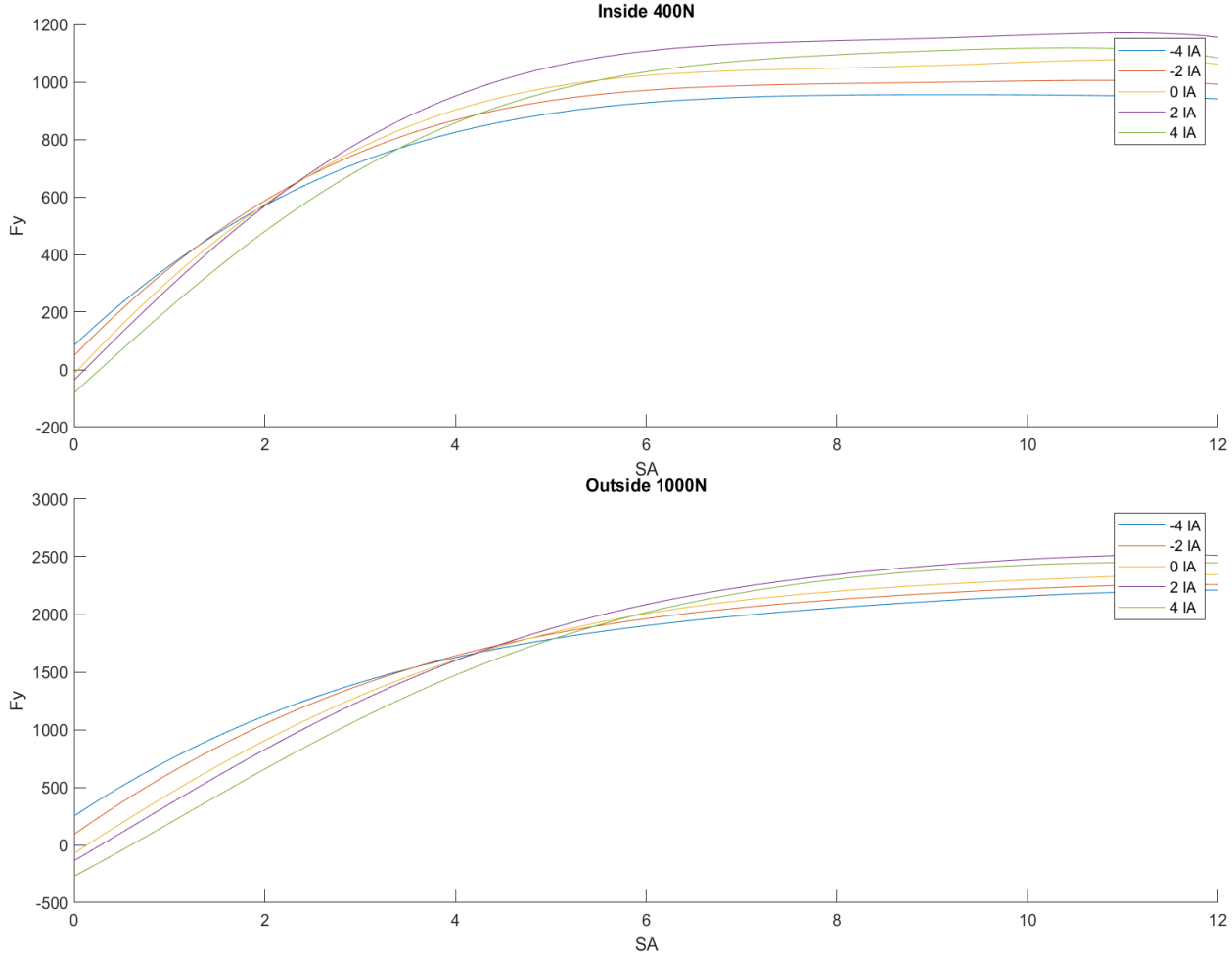
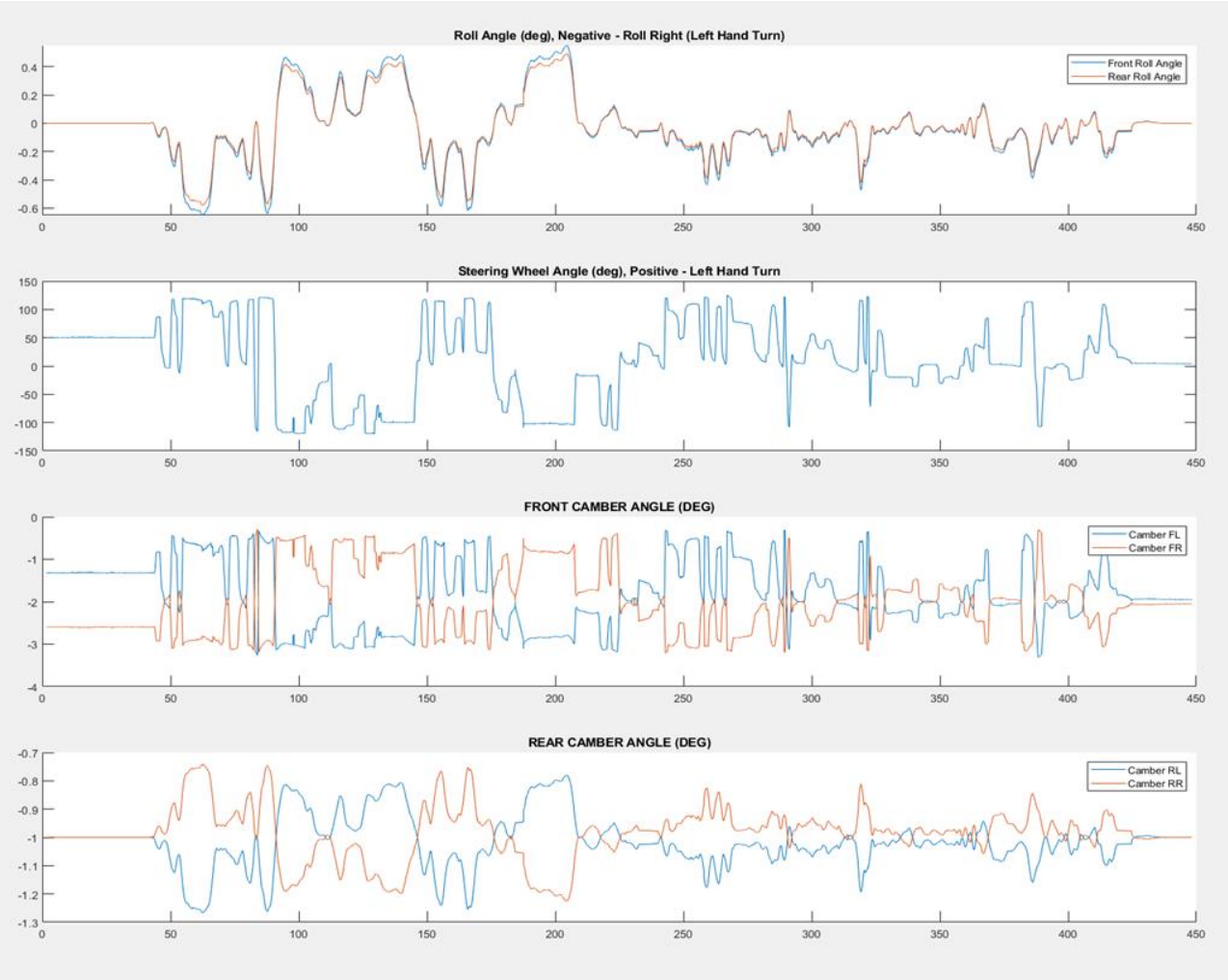


HT06 in Formula SAE Electric 2022, Michigan International Speedway



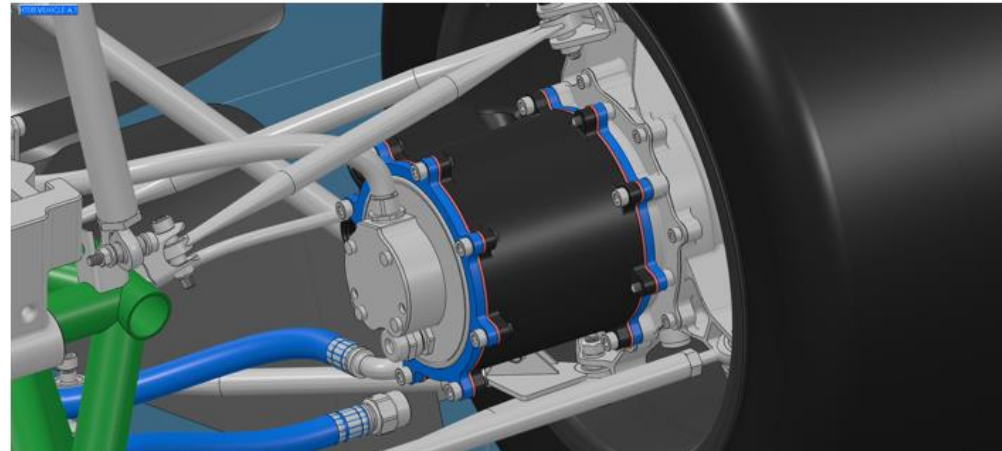
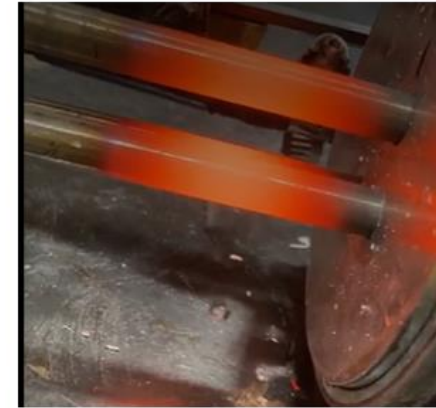
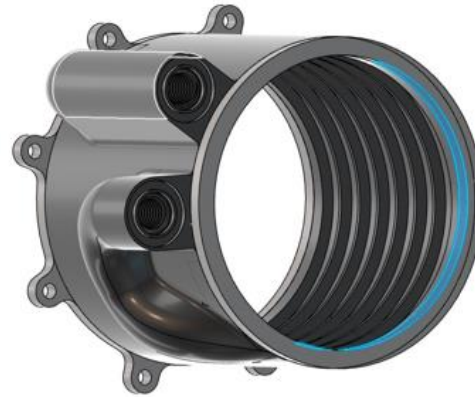
HT05 in Formula SAE Electric 2021, Las Vegas Motor Speedway

Hytech Team Challenge 1 – Tire Optimization



Hytech Team Challenge 2 – Cooling Jacket

- Cooling Jacket Seals
 - Types of seals
 - Neoprene
 - Buna
 - Viton
 - Real vs Spec Sheet
 - Compression
 - Lack of concentricity of motor
 - Repeatable installation
 - Winking
 - Thermal Expansion



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WORKING WITH EPA FOR FEDERAL FUNDING



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GRANTS OVERVIEW



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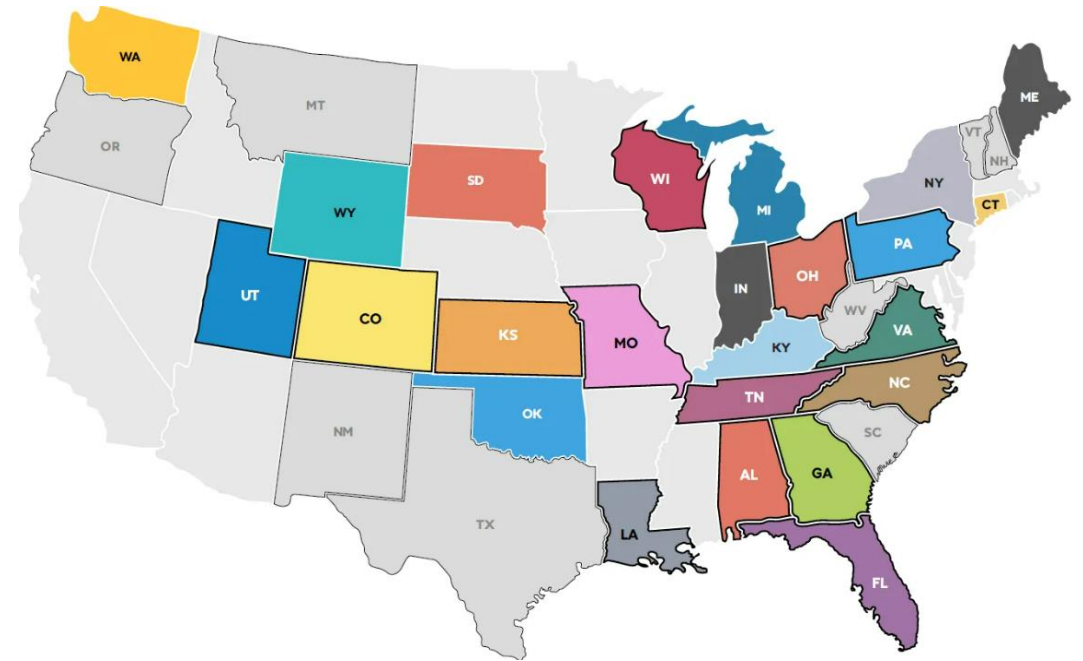


Clean Cities Georgia Grant Initiatives

Drive Electric Georgia



- Part of multi-state initiative called DRIVE EVs USA with 14 original states and growing
- Increase EV adoption and infrastructure through education and stakeholder engagement through six priority areas:
 - Consumer education
 - Utility engagement
 - State & local infrastructure planning
 - State and local government officials' education
 - Dealer engagement
 - Fleet engagement



EMPOWER Workplace Charging



- DOE funded workplace charging grant focused on equity with over 30 states involved
- Funded to increase education and outreach to local businesses to install charging stations
- Not funded for the installations but will be working to connect businesses with resources to help pay for install costs



EMPOWER
WORKPLACE CHARGING

Clean Cities Energy & Environmental Justice Initiative



- Funding for training and a full-time Community Engagement Liaison: Pamela Fann
- Create Community Transportation Action Plans, focus areas include Buford Highway, City of Covington, and City of Jackson

New Projects



New – Awarded as Subrecipients

CALSTART

Zero Emission Vehicle East Coast Corridor Project

SACE & EV NOIRE

Advancing Equitable Access to EVs, Infrastructure,
and Jobs in Underserved Communities

Funding Education and Awareness



Webinars and Presentations

- EPA's Clean School Bus Grant Webinars: Bus Technology, Infrastructure, and Utilities
- Share latest opportunities through newsletter
- Offer presentations with latest funding updates
- Open for collaboration and grant management

Future Work



Proposed – U.S. DOE VTO and EERE

1. CC-GA – Southeast Clean Cities Network Expansion
2. MILEPOST – Everest
3. TRIANGLE CLEAN CITIES – Test Real-World Charging
4. LOUISIANA CLEAN FUELS – Recharge
5. PLUG IN AMERICA – EV Events

Open Now – Closes Dec 1st

Diesel Emission Reduction Act (DERA) – looking for partners and collaboration

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CLEAN CITIES GEORGIA: 30 YEAR REVIEW



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