## January 2025: DRIVE ELECTRIC LONG ISLAND NEWSLETTER



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# **Upcoming Events:**

- Jan 13 EV 101 at Sachem Public Library, Holbrook, 7pm
- Jan 23 Town of Babylon
   Sustainability Fair, 7:30am 1:30pm

**We're hiring!** Education & Outreach Coordinator needed.

**PSEG LI Residential Charger Rebate** 

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# ELECTRIC VEHICLES 101



Monday January 13, 2025 7:00-8:00pm

Sachem Public Library 150 Holbrook Road Holbrook, NY

Thinking of buying or leasing an electric vehicle?

Join Drive Electric LI to learn the basics about electric vehicles and charging, with the opportunity to ask current EV owners why they chose to go electric and what it's really like to drive an EV.

Join us outside after the presentation to view electric vehicles and speak to drivers.



Contact Rosemary Mascali at rmascali@usgbc-li.org for more information. drivelectriclongisland.org

All events can be found on our events pageclick HERE.



### **EDUCATION & OUTREACH COORDINATOR**

Drive Electric Long Island is seeking an independent contractor as Education & Outreach Coordinator for a community engagement campaign for Long Island centered around electric vehicles. Requires 25-30 hours per week, including 2 to 3 evening events per month and occasional weekend events. Must be an electric vehicle owner/driver and live on Long Island.

The Education & Outreach Coordinator will organize electric vehicle events that educate the public on the basics and benefits of electric vehicles. These include both virtual and in-person EV 101 events in partnership with Long Island libraries, towns, and other organizations, and organize and conduct EV Ride and Drive and EV Showcase events at corporate locations and larger public events on Long Island.

For additional information about this opportunity and to apply, please send resume to info@ driveelectriclongisland.org.

Get up to \$300 off a Residential Charger from PSEG LI



Qualified PSEG Long Island customers can receive a \$200 rebate off a qualified ENERGY STAR® Certified Level 2 EV charger. Customers located in Disadvantaged Communities or who are on the Household Assistance Program can receive an additional \$100 – totaling \$300 in rebates. An interactive map of designated Disadvantaged Communities can be found here.

Click HERE for information on how to apply.





Governor Hochul Announces Additional \$28.5 Million is Now Available to Install Electric Vehicle Fast Chargers Along Major Travel Corridors Across New York State

Funded by the federal National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure (NEVI) formula funding program, the State's new competitive Downstate Direct Current Fast Charger (DCFC) program will improve consumer access to reliable electric vehicle (EV) charging. This second round of NEVI funding focuses on locations south of Interstate 84, including the lower Hudson Valley, New York City, and Long Island.

**Read More** 

Does an EV Work as Well in Cold Weather?

"But what happens if it gets really cold, or snows?" is an understandably common question from car shoppers considering an electric vehicle for the first time. Rest assured, shoppers. EVs do fine in winter, though



range can be somewhat reduced—and there are a few new things to remember. Here's our short list of what you need to know about driving EVs in cold weather.

## **Read More**

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