



COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

Electric Vehicle Product Commission
Indiana Government Center
302 W Washington St
Indianapolis, IN 46204
Thursday, November 17, 2022

1. Pursuant to IC 9-13-3, the Electric Vehicle Product Commission (the Commission) meeting was called to order by Chairman Ben Wrightsman at 9:35 a.m. EST on Thursday, November 17, 2022. The meeting was conducted in person and virtually using Microsoft Teams.

a. Commission members physically present at the meeting:

Ben	Wrightman	BIC
Craig	Kelle	Toyota
Mike	Maten	GM
Sen. Jim	Buck	State Senator

b. Commission member virtually present at the meeting:

David	Dukes	Stellantis
Mike	Karickhoff	State Representative

c. Commission members absent from the meeting:

Danny	Ernstes	UAW
Paul	Mitchell	ESN
Rep. Carey	Hamilton	State Representative
Sen. J.D.	Ford	State Senator

d. The Commission approved the previous meeting minutes.

2. Opening Comments

Ben Wrightsman: Regarding the report, I have received positive feedback from many of the people I have talked to. Also, I have had meetings with several different government agencies about how to build off our report.

3. Annual Report Follow up:



Rep. Karickhoff: After the report was published, I had the opportunity to attend several events and see some cool things. I can report that our work is being noticed across the country.

Mike Maten: As I travel for work, I am always sure to share the Commission's work. It is great that we have something tangible to point to.

Ben Wrightsman: I know that Steve Dunlop and the Purdue team continue to refine the data for us. I am excited to see what updates they have for us.

Sen. Buck: As we look to the future, infrastructure is going to be the key to ensuring that EVs can be efficiently phased in.

Rep. Karickhoff: In my opinion, infrastructure is the biggest concern. It is great to have EVs, but we need to be able to efficiently charge them.

Mike Maten: I think recycling is also important. This may be something that we want to dedicate an entire meeting to.

David Dukes: As we have discussed before, a trained workforce is essential. We cannot make anything without workers.

Ben Wrightsman: At BIC, we are partnering with schools to address the workforce questions and ensure that folks are properly trained. Additionally, other countries are being innovative, but I see that they are failing in recycling.

Craig Kelle: I think that Hydrogen complements the electric space well. The supply chain is going to be critical to making alternative vehicles scalable.

Ben Wrightsman: We have laid out a plan to guide our future reports. However, we can still make changes to this and find other areas that we want to investigate.

4. Legislative Update:

Sen. Buck: I want to see how the IGA's Utility Committee shakes out. I think that we could work with them to help guide our future plans.

5. Public Comment:

None



6. Closing Remarks:

Make Maten: The National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure plan is coming together. I think we should all review this once published.

Ben Wrightsman: As we head into 2023, everyone should think about what they want to study. We have laid out a plan to guide our future reports. However, we can still make changes to this and find other areas that we want to investigate.

7. Scheduling of Future Meetings:

December 16th, 2022, at 9:30am

8. Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned at 11:05 am.