Notice of Motion Economic Growth, Housing and Environmental Sustainability Committee

8th June 2021

Electric Car Charging

Electric cars are becoming more abundant on Moray's roads with every passing year. Both the UK and Scottish Government have pledged to phase out the need for new petrol and diesel cars and vans by 2030.

We have concerns that we have not reviewed the electric vehicle charging policy since 2014. At present we are the only council to continue to charge a flat rate fee.

We are also keen to review our network of chargers and how we are moving forward with providing a wider network across the region.

We have concerns that the flat rate fee is detrimental to local users who require just short period of charging rather than full charges.

This motion seeks to ask council to agree to a full review paper being presented to the next meeting of the Economic Growth, Housing and Environmental Sustainability Committee.

The paper is to include a review on payment options for charging and a current position statement on our network of charging units, future plans and options to increase the network.

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