

## MAC Meeting

June, 2023

### WELCOME

### Maureen Moore

Corporate Communications Manager





### The EnergyUnited Way

### Be Safe

Every Employee. Every Task. Every Day.

### Be Secure

Cybersecurity is a shared responsibility.

### Be Present

Working intentionally with our core values in mind.

### Be Member Focused

Empower, Serve, Deliver, Engage.

**EnergyUnited** 

### SAFETY

**Debra Citta**Program Coordinator





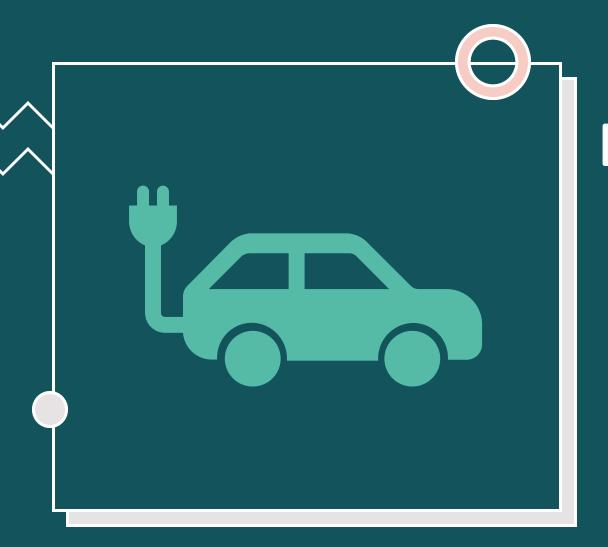
**Important Building Information** 

SAFETY FIRST



### INTRODUCTIONS





# EnergyUnited Electric Vehicle (EV) Charger Projects & Processes

**David M. Frescatore** 

Energy Services Sales Manager

Arturo Ramos, Jr.

Distribution Design Manager



### Who We Are & Our Responsibilities



We are the key accounts,
economic development
and business
development team within
the Energy Services
Division of EnergyUnited



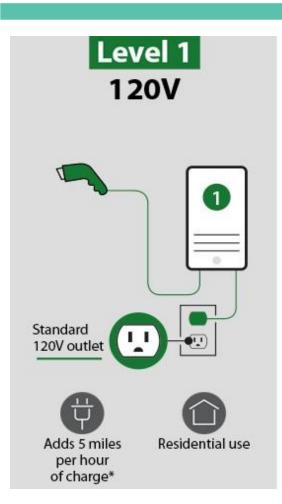
#### Our team includes:

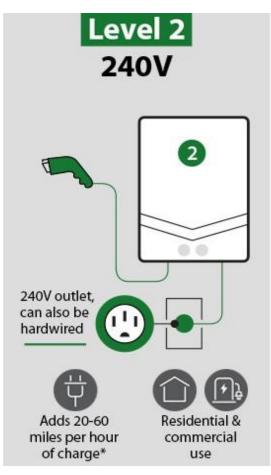
Josh Cleveland
Jared Wiles
Bryan Strauss
Justin Bridges

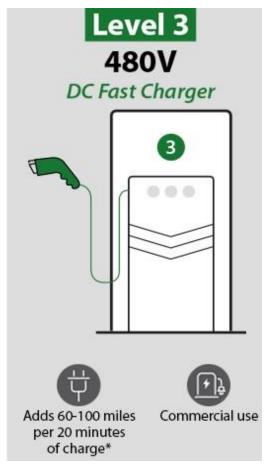


Our focus is to act as the primary interface to our Key Accounts, facilitate economic development & deliver sales growth (including EV Charging Station growth)

### The Variety Of EVs Installed In Our Territory







Level 1 - ~\$500 Outlet Install

Level 2 - ~\$1,500 - \$20K Hardware & Install

Level 3 - ~\$150K Hardware & Infrastructure Install





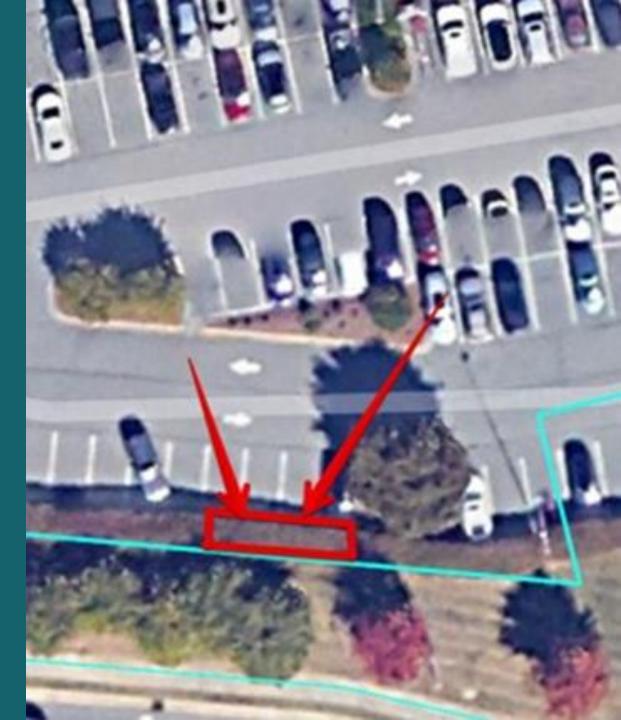
# Our Various Roles Concerning EV Projects

Residential sales – EV outlet & hardware installs

- Commercial Sales hardware, installation & infrastructure (Kurz manufacturing & UMC Business Office)
- EnergyUnited owned EV chargers (office locations & DC fast chargers located at Greenbriar Café & McDonalds Mocksville)
- EV grant research & location applications
- General consultation & education
- Partnering with large-scale Original Equipment Manufacturers also known as OEMs (ie. ChargePoint, Tesla)

## The future: OEM (Original Equipment Manufacturer) Led Station Installs

- OEM Tesla
- Location Northcross Shopping Center, Highway 73, Huntersville
- EV Charger Install Count 10 Propriety DC Fast Chargers, 4 CP L2 Chargers
- Expected Peak Electricity Load 1MW
- Roles & Responsibilities:
  - OEM Site Selection & Landowner Negotiations, EV Charger Hardware Installation & Commissioning
  - EnergyUnited Distribution Design & Infrastructure Installation



## Recent EV Projects with Grant Money

- Vendor ChargePoint
- Locations Greenbriar Café (Statesville) & McDonald's (Mocksville)
- EnergyUnited Owned & Operated EV Chargers
- 80% Of The Funding (~\$240K)
   obtained through VW
   settlement/grant money
- Remaining 20% investment paid by EnergyUnited



# Charging Station Opportunity Pipeline

- Grant money available, but partners, suitable locations, and the overall cost of projects are challenging
- EU led station pipeline has few opportunities currently
  - Concern for how quickly demand will show up
  - Station owners are looking for ROI, grants are not guaranteed
- OEM led station opportunity pipeline is growing
  - This is great news! OEM projects are similar to other C&I projects which we deal with all the time
  - Opportunity originates with Business Development Team and is qualified
  - Business Development works closely with
     Distribution Design to move the project forward
    - Engineering and design, easements, and infrastructure construction
    - Infrastructure Cost Estimation

# EU Distribution Design Team

- 17 Distribution Designers
  - Six Designers in Lake Norman
  - Five Designers in Foothills
  - Four Designers in Yadkin River
  - Two Designer in Triad
- Forced Account Service Orders
- System Improvement
- Copper Replacement
- Reject Pole Program
- Storm Damage Assessment
- Bird Dog for Out-of-Town Crews

# **Examples of OEM Led EV Charging Station Projects**

### Sheetz Mocksville TESLA Project

- Easement issues
- Transformer location
- Integrating with our existing utilities
- Developing a plan to keep other members energized during construction
- Boring challenges with other utilities





### **Sheetz Mocksville TESLA Project**

### Huntersville Target TESLA Project

- Easement issues
- Transformer location
- Integrating new design with our existing utilities





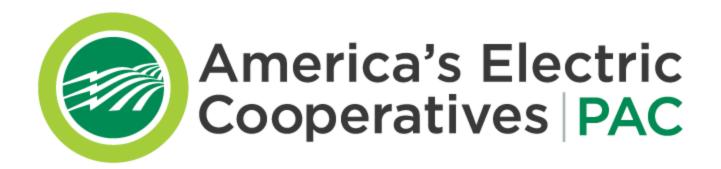
**Huntersville Target TESLA Project** 

### LEGISLATIVE UPDATES

Thomas Golden *CEO* 



### **Cooperative Advocacy**











# 2023 Rally in Raleigh March 22nd, 2023



#### Issues

- Increase penalties for critical infrastructure attacks
- Smaller economic development sites provide big impacts to North Carolina
- Protect the reliability of North Carolina's energy portfolio
- Electric cooperative innovation for rural North Carolina



Sen. Steve Jarvis, Republican, District 30



## 2023 Legislative Conference, Washington, DC April 18th, 2023



### Issues

- Prioritize reliability
- Modernize the federal permitting process
- Alleviate supply chain challenges
- Support cooperative farm bill priorities



Rep. Jeff Jackson, Democrat, District 14



### CO-OP UPDATES

Debra Citta

Program Coordinator





# Brand Evolution Project

- Formed a group of 20+ brand ambassadors to help facilitate and guide the cooperative with our Brand Evolution Project pending Board approval.
  - Ryan DeAndrea (LKN) Kevin Cox (LEX) and Joy Reep Shuford (Statesville) will be participating.
- Review the EnergyUnited Brand Audit results
- Deep dive of the Change
   Management Plan to review a <u>multi-</u>
   <u>year plan</u> for the EnergyUnited brand.





# EnergyUnited Foundation Application

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- Launched the new digital application for the EnergyUnited Foundation on April 1.
- Received more than 80 grant applications since April 1<sup>st</sup>

### **Congratulations to Our Winners**



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### 2023 Scholarship Winners



Elleigh Williams of North Iredell High who plans to attend NC State University



Yajat Govhardan of Crossroads Arts & Science Early College who plans to attend the University of Detroit Mercy

### **Touchstone Energy Sports Camp Winners**



Harris Patterson of Oak Grove Middle School who will attend the Carolina Basketball Camp at UNC-Chapel Hill this June



Mary Bill of The Brawley
IB School who will attend the
Wolfpack Women's Basketball
Camp at NC State





Thanks to our Volunteer Judges and Interview **Participants** 



- Denise Cascardi (Statesville)
- Penelope Paugh (Statesville)
- Kevin Cox (Lexington)
- Richard Johenning (Lexington)
- Matt Vernon (Lexington)
- Ryan DeAndrea (Lake Norman)
- Randy Brookner (Lake Norman)
- Michelle Dean (Lake Norman)
- Dan Akers (Lake Norman)

# SAVE THE DATES



2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Driving Change EVent

Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>

CATS Academy – Troutman, NC

**NEXT MAC MEETING** 



**EnergyUnited Annual Meeting** 

on

Thursday, September 21<sup>st</sup>
At 4 pm
Meeting will be held
in-person and live
streamed