



# **EV Transportation and Technology Summit**

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## **Promotion Efforts**

- Website
- Community events
  - Clean Cities
  - Trade shows
  - Earth Day
  - Schools
  - Parades
  - Presentations



- Internal promotion
  - DOE Workplace charging
  - EV experience program





## **Workplace Charging**

## Internal

- Company chargers made available for personal vehicles
- Pilot Program for 2 years- Temporary Benefit
- Supports industry goal of promoting PEV's
- Establish permanent program

## External

Not promoting at desired level







## **Internal Communication**

## **INSIGHT**



A publication for the men and women of TECO Energy

#### Team members are getting plugged in

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Sean Lobur with his Nissan LEAF

Tampa Electric team member **Sean Lobur** has no regrets about no longer stopping at gas stations.

As the owner of an all-electric plug-in Nissan LEAF, the GIS technician with Mapping Services has traded gasoline for electricity to power his 66-mile weekday commute from Seminole, a community in Florida's Pinellas County,



to Tampa Electric's Eastern Service Area.





## Lead by Example

#### Vehicles

- 16 Volts
- 3 LEAFs
- 17 Plug-in Electric Boom Trucks
- 24 Chargers

## Challenges

- Vehicle availability that fits our fleet applications
- Plan to increase as vehicles are available









## **Current Focus**

#### **Drive Electric Florida**

Support the initiative and adopt programs/legislation that fits within our evolving strategy- be flexible

## **Public Charging Opportunities**

Is the current number of public chargers adequate for the next generation of EV buyers?