Before you begin

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Drive Electric NSW EV destination charging grants Round 3 application

Background Information (the Strategy)

In 2021, the NSW Government launched the NSW Electric Vehicle Strategy (the strategy) to make NSW the easiest place to buy and operate an electric vehicle (EV) in Australia.

The <u>Drive electric NSW EV destination charging grants</u> are a \$20 million investment to rollout widespread, public EV charging infrastructure at visitor destinations across regional NSW.

The Government's objectives of the grants are to:

- overcome range anxiety and help to create a world-class EV charging network
- support destinations across regional NSW to be EV-ready
- support the growth of the NSW visitor economy and the ability to cater for an increasing number of EV drivers
- support the development of EV-friendly road trips across regional NSW

Before you begin

Before you begin you must read the Drive Electric EV destination charging grants <u>Round 3</u> <u>funding guidelines</u> to ensure you understand the eligibility and merit criteria requirements required to support your application. You can also read the frequently asked questions for further information.

Starting your application form

Progressing through the form in page order is suggested to reduce missing information and mathematical calculation errors. Please ensure you save as you go. To progress forward or backward through the application, click 'next page' or 'previous page' on the top or bottom of the screen.

Use the form navigation box on the left-hand side to navigate and move around pages of the application. Most importantly, ensure you save your progress at the bottom of each page before proceeding.

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• comply with any statutory obligations

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- the NSW Ombudsman and Audit Office of NSW
- the NSW Department of Premier and Cabinet
- the NSW Department of Customer Service
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Department off Planning, Housing, and Infrastructure

Locked Bag 5022, Parramatta NSW 2124

Phone: 02 9860 1440

Email: privacy@dpie.nsw.gov.au

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General

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Contact

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The User acknowledges and agrees with these Terms and Conditions.

User Agreement *

⊖ Yes

The User and its nominated O Yes representatives agree to be contacted by the Department or Service NSW for Business in relation to other relevant funding opportunities, programs and services from the NSW Government *

Eligibility

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The following eligibility questions will help you determine whether you are eligible to apply for the Drive Electric NSW Destination charging grants round 3.

Applicant requirements

Grant funding for round 3 is available to Charge Point Operators (CPOs), as a commercial organisation responsible for the ownership or operation of an EV charger.

An eligible applicant must:

- be a charge point operator that is either:
 - an entity incorporated under the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth)
 - a state-owned corporation or subsidiary of an Australian state or territory owned corporation
- have and provide the ABN of their organisation
- hold the following insurances:
 - \$20 million public liability
 - workers compensation

Do you confirm that you meet the above applicant requirements? *

○ Yes○ No

You have chosen a response which means you are ineligible to apply for this grant. Please refer to the guidelines for further information.

If you are interested in being a site host you can register your interest <u>here</u>.

Eligible zones and site requirements

Do you agree that you meet the following requirements outlined in the round 3 <u>funding</u> <u>guidelines</u>:

- All proposed chargers in this application are located within proximity to either a blue or green zone as listed in Appendix 1 (page 41)
- All proposed sites meet the site eligibility requirements listed in Table 4 (page 17)
- All EV chargers proposed meet the technical requirements listed in Table 5 (page 19)
- You will meet the operational requirements listed in Table 6 (page 20)
- You can provide a letter of support using the <u>NSW Government template</u> from each site host at each proposed EV charger location provided in this application
- You can submit required information to be assessed against the merit criteria outlined in Table 7 (page 23)
- Co-funding requested in this application form will only be used for eligible activities as listed in Table 9 (page 27)
- You can meet the maximum 12 month timeframe for installation and commissioning for all proposed sites after finalising of the funding agreement if this application is approved

Do you confirm that you meet the above requirements? *

- \bigcirc Yes
- O No

You have chosen a response which means you are ineligible to apply for this grant. Please refer to the guidelines for further information.

Reporting requirements

Project reporting requirements are provided in Table 12 of the funding guidelines (page 33)

It is a condition of funding that applicants must report on the usage and operation of charging sites on a 6-monthly basis for one year following the installation of each site. The objectives of the reporting are to increase:

- skills, capacity and knowledge of the EV charging industry
- public awareness and understanding of the EV charging infrastructure sector
- understanding of barriers to EV charging technology and solutions to address them
- understanding of the performance characteristics of EV charging technology
- understanding of the financial requirements for EV charging infrastructure

Project reporting requirements are provided in Table 12 of the guidelines.

Do you agree to the reporting requirements for this program as listed in the guidelines? *

- O Yes
- O No

You have chosen a response which means you are ineligible to apply for this grant. Please refer to the guidelines for further information.

Contact Details

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Applicant organisation name *

Organisation Name

Applicant organisation ABN *

The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Busi	ness Register
ABN	
Entity name	
ABN status	
Entity type	
Goods & Services Tax (GST)	
DGR Endorsed	
ATO Charity Type	More information
ACNC Registration	
Tax Concessions	

Main business location

Must be an ABN. The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Applicant trading name

If you trade under another name using the above ABN, provide that trading name.

Registered address of the business *

Address

Postal address of the business (e.g. a PO Box) *

Address

If your postal address is the same as your registered business address, then tick the 'Same as above' option.

Applicant organisation primary website address

Must be a URL.

Authorised person

This must be an individual who is able and authorised to enter into a funding agreement with the NSW Government on behalf of the lead applicant organisation if the application is successful.

Authorised person contact *

Title	First Name	Last Name						
Authori	sed person pos	ition *						
Authoris Address	Authorised person postal address * Address							

Address Line 1, Suburb/Town, State/Province, Postcode, and Country are required. Provide the postal address of the authorsied person. If this is the same as the business postal address, then tick the 'Same as above' option.

Authorised person phone number *

Must be an Australian phone number.

Authorised person secondary phone number

Must be an Australian phone number.

Authorised person email *

Must be an email address.

Primary contact

This person will be contacted on all matters relating to this application. The primary contact can be the authorised person or an individual preparing the application on behalf of the organisation applying for the funding. If the primary contact will be the Authorised Person, then tick the 'Same as Authorised Person' box. If a different person is to be the Primary Contact, then complete all the contact details requested.

□ Same as authorised person

Primary Title	contact name * First Name	Last Name		
Primary	contact position	*		
Primary Address	contact postal a	ddress *		
Address Li	ne 1, Suburb/Town,	State/Province, Post	tcode, and Country are	required.
Primary	contact phone n	umber *		

Must be an Australian phone number.

Primary Contact Email *

Must be an email address.

Project Details

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Project title *

Please provide the title of the project with the following naming convention "Applicant Name - EV destination charging round 3".

Project description *

Word count:

Must be no more than 250 words.

Please provide a short description of the project (e.g. types of chargers, capacities of chargers, LGAs where sites are proposed, etc.). This information may be made publicly available on the NSW Government website.

How many sites proposed in this application are within proximity of Green Zones?

Must be a number.

How many sites proposed in this application are within proximity of Blue Zones? *

Must be a number.

Total project sites included in your bid

This number/amount is calculated.

Site Requirements

* indicates a required field

To be eligible for co-funding you must meet the following site requirements:

- site is located within proximity of a Green Zone or Blue Zone
- be available to the public for a minimum of 10 hours per day, 7 days a week
- no additional fees for site access (e.g. paid parking)
- installed in a parking location that allows for safe public access
- include instructional signage on how to use the EV charger. Signage must be clearly visible to the user at the charging site or accessible via a QR code displayed on the EV charger
- access for people with a disability has been considered

• site address has not already been approved for NSW Government funding under previous rounds of the EV destination charging grants or under previous rounds of the EV fast charging grants approved prior to this grant's application closing date. Approved sites that have been removed from funding agreements by the NSW Government may be considered

Do you commit to the site requirements as above? *

- O Yes
- O No

You have chosen a response which means you are ineligible to apply for this grant. Please refer to the guidelines for further information.

Technical Requirements

* indicates a required field

Hardware requirements

To be eligible for co-funding you must meet the following hardware requirements:

- a minimum of 2 bays serviced by 2 x DC charging plugs, with each plug able to provide a power output of 24-100kW
- 1 x AC charging plug with a maximum 22kW power output. **Note:** AC redundancy is not required if applying for more than 2 DC chargers per site or if the site already has an existing AC charger
- all chargers in your application are CCS2 for DC chargers and Type 2 socket outlet (untethered cable) for AC charger
- all installed chargers will be a minimum of Open Charge Point Protocol (OCPP) 1.6 and/or OCPP 2.0 communications capability, over at least one of ethernet, WIFI or 4G networks
- all chargers in your application have an ingress protection rating of IP54 or higher
- all chargers in your application have an impact protection rating of IK08 or higher
- all chargers in your application can be dynamically managed

Do you commit to the hardware requirements as above? *

- O Yes
- O No

You have chosen a response which means you are ineligible to apply for this grant. Please refer to the guidelines for further information.

Please upload data sheets of all chargers at each site included in your application evidencing the charger hardware requirements above * Attach a file:

Software requirements

To be eligible for co-funding, software proposed in this application must be:

- capable of remotely managing the EV charger(s)
- supported within Australia
- compatible with OCPP 1.6 or 2.0
- customer facing app or interface available on Android and iOS operating systems
- capable of publicly showing prospective users the availability status of the charger via the EV Council's Charge at Large app

Do you commit to the software requirements as above? *

- ⊖ Yes
- O No

You have chosen a response which means you are ineligible to apply for this grant. Please refer to the guidelines for further information.

Please provide the name of the software	e you will be using *	
Please upload documentation (informati software requirements as above, includi *	-	
Attach a file:		

Payment options

Do you agree that all DC chargers proposed in this application will:

 provide an option for contactless payment that supports credit and debit card transactions that does not require a payee's mobile or internet signal. This requirement is optional for chargers installed for AC redundancy or existing chargers at eligible sites
 clearly display pricing without the payee requiring mobile or internet signal to access

using

- the pricing. Pricing may be comprised of elements including:
 - cents per kWh
 - cents per minute
 - cents per session

*

- ⊖ Yes
- O No

You have chosen a response which means you are ineligible to apply for this grant. Please refer to the guidelines for further information.

Operational Requirements

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To be eligible for co-funding you must meet the following operational requirements:

- commit to installing and maintaining chargers in accordance with AS/NZS 3000:2018 Electrical Installations
- commit to maintaining chargers in a serviceable condition for at least 5 years from the date of installation
- all chargers source renewable energy to cover 100% of their electricity usage
- a 24/7 customer helpline and staff trained at each proposed location in charger operation
- location and operational details of each EV charger published on Google Maps, Plugshare & Charge at Large app
- a minimum availability/uptime of 98% each month for at least 50% of all plugs on site
- commit to installing instructional signage on how to use the EV

Do you commit to the operational requirements as above? *

- O Yes
- O No

You have chosen a response which means you are ineligible to apply for this grant. Please refer to the guidelines for further information.

Branding

Applicants must adhere to the NSW Funding Acknowledgement Guidelines, including clearly displaying a 'Co-funded by the NSW Government' branded decal sticker on all co-funded EV chargers or incorporating NSW Government branding into any EV charger wrap designs. Any third-party branding or advertising must not conceal the NSW Government branding.

Do you commit to the branding requirements above? *

Yes
 No
 Link to the funding acknowledgement guidelines can be found <u>here</u>.

You have chosen a response which means you are ineligible to apply for this grant. Please refer to the guidelines for further information.

Site Details - Overview

There is no limit to the number of sites proposed in an application. However, through the assessment process, the NSW Government will cap any funding awarded to successful applicants at a maximum of \$4 million (ex GST).

A maximum of 2 sites per eligible zone can be approved per application.

The NSW Government co-funding contribution is up to 80% of the Total Project Value (TPC) per site, capped at:

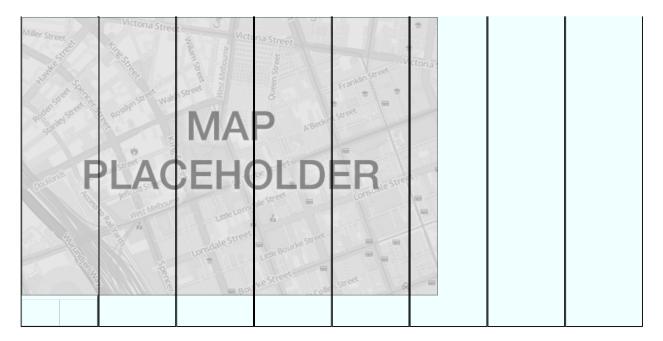
- Green Zones \$100,000 per site
- Blue Zones \$200,000 per site

Please ensure there are no blank rows in any of the following tables as this will result in an error.

Green Zone site details

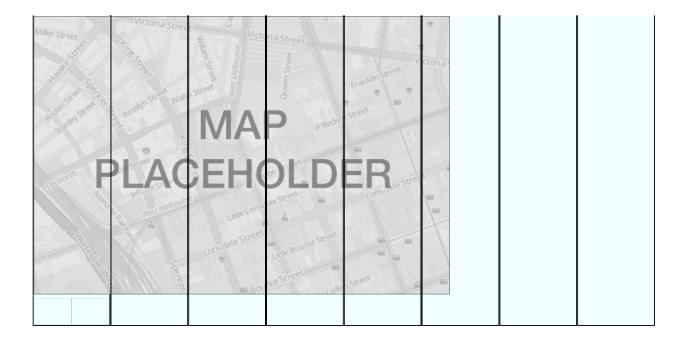
Please provide details of all proposed sites within a **Green Zone**. Click the "Add More" button to add an additional row for each site proposed. The total number of rows entered should match how many sites were proposed on Page 4 - Project Details.

Site address	Latitude	Longitude	Local Governme Area (LGA) of site address	Zone name	Site name		e d nticipated installation end date
Address Line 1, Suburb/ Town, State Province, Postcode, and Country are required.		Longitude can be copied from the 'site address' column under the map image Must be a number.			Include a site name that is easy to understand. It could be a building name, a street name, or a business name.	Must be a date.	Must be a date.



Please provide details of all proposed sites within a **Blue Zone**. Click the "Add More" button to add an additional row for each site proposed. The total number of rows entered should match how many sites were proposed on Page 4 - Project Details.

Site address	Latitude	Longitude	Local Governme Area (LGA) of site address	Zone e nt ame	Site name	installatio	e 4 nticipated o i nstallation e end date
Address Line 1, Suburb/ Town, State Province, Postcode, and Country are required.	/previous column. Must be a number.	Longitude can be copied from previous column. Must be a number.			Include a site name that is easy to understand. It could be a building name, a street name, or a business name.	Must be a date.	Must be a date.



Site Details - DC Chargers

Enter details for DC chargers proposed at each site in the following tables.

Green Zone site details

Site address	Site name	Number of chargers	Number of DC charge ports	Rated capacity in kW	Model of charger	Provide a brief description on where the proposed chargers will be installed in relation to the building and carpark
This question is read only.	This question is read only.	Must be a number and at least 1.	Must be a number and at least 2.			Must be no more than 250 words.
				○ 24 kW ○ 50 kW ○ 60 kW ○ 75 kW		

	O 80 kW	
	O 90 kW	
	O 100 kW	

Site address	Site name	Number of chargers	Number of DC charge ports		Model of charger	Provide a brief description on where the proposed chargers will be installed in relation to the building and carpark
This question is read only.	This question is read only.	Must be a number and at least 1.	Must be a number and at least 2.			Must be no more than 250 words.
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	_			O 50 kW		
				O 60 kW		
				O 75 kW		
				O 80 kW		
				O 90 kW		
				O 100 kW		

Site Details - Existing Infrastructure

Enter details for existing infrastructure at each site in the following tables. If there is no existing infrastructure on site, enter 0.

Green Zone site details

Site address

Site name

If there is existing charger infrastructure on site, how many

Provide more information on existing charge ports. Include model

		charge ports are there?	number, power output and location
This question is read	This question is read	If not applicable enter 0.	<u> </u>
only.	only.	Must be a number.	write N/A.
			Must be no more than
			250 words.

Site address	Site name If there is existing charger infrastructure on site, how many charge ports are there?		Provide more information on existing charge ports. Include model number, power output, location	
This question is read only.	This question is read only.	lf not applicable enter 0. Must be a number.	lf no chargers on site write N/A. Must be no more than 250 words.	
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Site Details - AC Charger Redundancy

Enter details for AC charger redundancy proposed at each site in the following tables. AC charger redundancy is not required for sites applying for more than 2 DC plugs or if a site has an existing AC charger.

Green Zone site details

Site address	Site name If there is Does existing this site charger require infrastruct Ce on site, charger how many redunda charge ports are there?	chargepoi	Power output rbf AC chargepo	Model Number rt	Provide a brief description on where the proposed chargers will be installed in relation to the building and carpark
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			O Yes O No		O 7 kW O 22 kW		

Site address	Site name	charger infrastruc	this site require t AC e charger	of AC chargepor	Power output of AC chargepor	Model Number t	Provide a brief description on where the proposed chargers will be installed in relation to the building an carpark
This question is read only.	This question is read only.	lf not applicable enter 0 This question is read only.		lf AC charger redundancy is not required leave field blank. Must be a number.	lf AC charger redundancy is not required leave field blank.	lf AC charger redundancy is not required leave field blank.	If AC charger redundancy is not required leave field blank. Must be no more than 250 words.
			O Yes O No		O 7 kW O 22 kW		

Site Details - Site Requirements

Green Zone site details

Site Site name How many What How will Outline address hours a daytourism the site be how access letter of will the sitecategory powered byfor people support does this with

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		be open to the public?		renewable energy?	disabilities has been considered	
This question is read only.	This question is read only.	site must not	Refer to Appendix 2 of the guidelines for list.			
				 Onsite renewable energy generators 		
				Off-site renewable energy generators		
				 Surrender of green products that certify renewable electricty generation 		

Blue Zone site details

Site address	Site name	How many hours a day with the site be open to the public?	tourism category does this	the site be	Outline how access for people with disabilities has been considered	support from the
	This question is read only.	site must not	Refer to Appendix 2 of the guidelines for list.			
				 Onsite renewable energy generators Off-site renewable energy generators 		

	 Surrender of green products that certify renewable electricty generation 	
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Site Details - Co-funding

Green Zone site details

Co-funding in Green zones is up to 80% of total project costs capped at \$100,000 per site.

Co-funding can only be used for eligible expenditure as per Table 9 on page 27 of the funding guidelines.

If the proposed TPV and related 80% co-funding exceeds the maximum funding available of \$100,000 per site, then the total co-funding request will be adjusted accordingly during application assessment and approval process.

Site address	Site name	Total project value (TPV) per site	80% of TPV
This question is read only.	This question is read only.		If this number is above \$100,000 it will be adjusted during the assessment process. This number/amount is calculated.

The co-funding request figure for one or more of your sites is over the approved \$100,000 cap and will be re-calculated during the assessment process.

Blue Zone site details

Co-funding in Blue zones is up to 80% of total project costs capped at \$200,000 per site.

Co-funding can only be used for eligible expenditure as per Table 9 on page 27 of the funding guidelines.

If the proposed TPV and related 80% co-funding exceeds the maximum funding available of \$200,000 per site, then the total co-funding request will be adjusted accordingly during application assessment and approval process.

Site address Site name Total project 80% of TPV DELETE value (TPV) per site

This question is read only.	This question is read only.	Must be a dollar amount.	If this number is above \$200,000 it will be adjusted during the assessment process. This number/ amount is calculated.	Must be a dollar amount.
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The co-funding request figure for one or more of your sites is over the approved \$200,000 cap and will be re-calculated during the assessment process.

Project totals

This table summarizes the total sites, charge ports and Total Project Value (TPV)details entered into this application form.

The 80% of TPV is indicative of the total NSW Government's co-funding contribution, however final co-funding will be capped and re-calculated accordingly during the assessment process.

Please confirm the total number of sites you have entered on page 8 'Site Details – Overview' matches the below figure. If different, please amend the proposed site quantity on page 4 'Project Details' to match the number of sites you have entered.

Total number of sites		Total project value (TPV) for all sites	80% of Total Project Value
This number/amount is calculated.	-	This number/amount is calculated.	This number/amount is calculated.

Merit Criteria

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Multiple files can be attached. The information provided in the following sections will be competitively assessed against the merit criteria in the guidelines. Please address all aspects of each merit criterion.

Project plan

Please upload a detailed plan with the following sections clearly marked:

Strategy and vision

- An overview of the applicant's corporate strategy regarding EV charging and operating a DC charging network
- The rationale for the total number of sites in the application
- The rationale for the proposed location of chargers across different zones in the application

Previous experience

- An overview of similar projects, including whether similar timeframes and budget expectations were realised
- The use of hardware and software solutions that have a proven track record, provide high reliability, and create a positive user experience

Project delivery plan

- An overview of how each proposed site will be managed and delivered on time, including but not limited to:
 - expected timeframes for projects to become operational
 - the readiness of projects to commence construction
 - how all charging units will be dynamically managed, demonstrating efficient energy use and load management
 - the ability for the site(s) to deliver energy to drivers at rated capacity of proposed chargers
 - identification of roles and responsibilities including profiles of key project team members at each proposed site
 - identification of key project delivery risks and how these will be managed
 - rationale for the charger types, capacities (kW) and configuration proposed at each site.

Maintenance and customer service plan

- An overview of ongoing ownership, operation and maintenance at each site, including but not limited to:
 - responsibility and resourcing for timely customer support and maintenance at each proposed site
 - how a commitment to maintaining chargers in a serviceable condition for a minimum of 5 years from the date of installation has been considered
 - maintenance schedules and expected timeframes for reactive maintenance, including how you will meet the minimum uptime requirement
 - how chargers will be decommissioned or replaced at their end of life

Upload your responses to the above merit criteria *

Attach a file:

Financial plan

Please upload a detailed financial plan which includes:

- a breakdown of the total installation cost estimates per site including (where available and applicable):
 - EV charger hardware and associated components
 - civil and electrical works

- electricity supply authority connection fees (if required)
- planning approval (if required)
- installation of NSW Government approved regulatory parking signage and pavement marking (if required)
- annual operational and maintenance cost estimates including (where available and applicable):
 - electricity
 - hardware and software maintenance
 - customer service
 - site license agreement and/or ongoing parking space leasing
- revenue forecasts for multiple charger usage scenarios (i.e. low, medium and high) including:
 - number of charge sessions per day, expected dwell times, expected kWh delivered per charge session
 - user costs, methods of payment, and how proposed fees reflect appropriate market pricing for charger power output and dwell time
 - rationale for any assumptions made
 - payback periods with and without NSW Government co-contribution

Upload your financial plan *

Attach a file:	-	

Tourism merit and amenities

Please upload a response which demonstrates:

- how each proposed site in this application meets a tourism category outlined in Appendix 2 (page 44 of the guidelines) and/or listed in the <u>Australian Tourism Data</u> <u>Warehouse</u>
- how the EV chargers located at each proposed site will support the regional NSW visitor economy
- the length of time the EV chargers will be made available at each proposed site within a 24-hour period and how this relates to the operational business hours of each site
- the strengths and features of each proposed site, such as whether a site:
 - is co-located with local amenities or attractions
 - includes restrooms
 - is safe and has suitable public lighting during all hours of operation

Upload a response to demonstrate how you meet the tourism merit and amenities criteria $\$

Attach a file:

Declaration and Authorisation

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Declaration

The Applicant represents and warrants that this application has been submitted by an authorised representative of the Applicant.

Where this Application is submitted in the course of employment by a representative of any kind (e.g. authorised representative or agent) of the Applicant, you: (i) acknowledge and agree that the Applicant is deemed to be jointly and separately bound by this application; and (ii) represent and warrant that you have the authority to represent and bind the Applicant as contemplated by this provision.

By submitting this application form I hereby declare that:

- I have read and understood the funding guidelines, FAQ and Funding Agreement for the NSW EV destination charging grants round 3
- I understand that I may be requested to provide further clarification on documentation to verify the information supplied in this form and that the NSW Government may consult with other agencies and enlist external technical or financial advisors to advise on information provided in this application form
- I agree for my project to be automatically considered in other NSW funding programs
- I have read and understood each of the acknowledgements, agreements, representations and warranties provided above, and that each of these are true and correct
- all information provided including the responses to each question in the relevant sections of this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge
- any information contained in this application may be disclosed to other Government agencies, staff administering the program, and to external stakeholders (including consultants, lawyers and other advisers) as part of the assessment of this application
- I am authorised to submit this application on behalf of, and have the authority to represent and bind the Applicant
- I understand that any false declaration may render this application ineligible/invalid
- all relevant conflicts of interest have been declared

If successful, I:

- understand that my organisation must enter into an agreement with a signed funding agreement with the NSW Government before financial assistance is provided
- understand that, if an offer of financial assistance is made, I will have a limited period of time of 10 working days in which to negotiate and finalise an agreement before the funding deed is formally executed
- declare the information contained in this application, to the best of my knowledge, is true, accurate and complete
- acknowledge that if the NSW Government is satisfied that any statement made in the application for funding is incorrect, incomplete, false or misleading, the NSW Government may take appropriate action. I note such action may include excluding an application from further consideration, withdrawing an offer of funding, and/or terminating any funding deed entered into

l agree to the above declaration *	🗆 Yes		
Name of authorised	Title	First Name	Last Name
person *			

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Position *		
Phone number *	Must be an Australian phone number.	
Email *		

Must be an email address.