

## Student Assembly

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## **EV Charging Station Resolution**

Sponsor: Nicole DeLuna, Student Sustainability Fund Delegate

Fully aware that Austin College does not currently provide an electric vehicle (EV) charging

stations on campus, and the recommendations of the Environmental

Sustainability Advisory Committee, the Student Sustainability Fund (SSF), and the Environmental Studies Program in favor of installing said charging station,

**Cognizant** of the fact that numerous students, staff, and faculty within the Austin College

community drive electric vehicles, and that an estimated 15 individuals have expressed interest in having an EV charging station available on campus for their

personal use, based on an all-campus survey,

**Having seen** that the addition of an EV charging station would promote environmental

sustainability on campus and would solve transportation issues for members of

the Austin College community,

**Informed** that installing an EV charging station would advance our greenhouse gas

emission reduction commitment and help maintain our status as a green school

with various external rating organizations, such as the Princeton Review,

Be it resolved that the Student Assembly authorizes the purchase of the following items, to be

provided for by the allotted monies of the Student Sustainability Fund:

EV Charging Station - ClipperCreek model HCS-40 ruggedized
(<a href="https://www.clippercreek.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/HCS-SERIES-BROCHURE\_20190211\_Final\_low-res.pdf">https://www.clippercreek.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/HCS-SERIES-BROCHURE\_20190211\_Final\_low-res.pdf</a>) for a cost of \$688.84, including

shipping.

 A small donation receptacle, to be monitored by ACPD and the Environmental Studies Department, and purchased by the Environmental Studies Department. This receptacle will be used to collect donations for the minor electricity costs for the charger, and signage will request 50 cent donations for every hour of usage Signage that outlines details of EV charging station usage, as well as a sign that indicates Student Assembly's sponsorship of the station

The additional costs for installation, signage, and the receptacle will cost roughly \$300, based on estimates from the Environmental Studies Department, for a total of \$1000 to be provided for this project.

\*Note 1: The receptacle and signage will be determined and compiled by the Environmental Studies Department

\*Note 2: The installation will be completed by Physical Plant, and has been approved by Executive Director David Turk

\*Note 3: Any minor electricity costs that are not covered by the donated money will be covered by the Environmental Studies Department, although this amount is predicted to be extremely miniscule

that the charger would be monitored by the Austin College Police Department, and would be installed south of the Jackson Technology Center, detailed in Figure 2, with two new parking spots, and an adjacent handicapped parking spot.

that the Environmental Studies Department will facilitate a group forum (text, Facebook group, email list) in which the small community of users can communicate about issues related to the on-campus charger. Users will be encouraged to send information to the Environmental Studies Program





Coordinator.



Figure 2. Details of proposed mounting location

**Noting** 

**Further Noting**