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NPA PARKS COMMISSIONER URGES PLANNING FOR ELECTRIC CARS

Parks Board Commissioner Ian Robertson wants an inventory of electric car infrastructure

NPA Parks Board Commissioner Ian Robertson will present a motion at this evening's Parks Board directing city staff to identify current electric car infrastructure so they can begin planning for increased plug-ins to support electric cars.

Commissioner Robertson says we need to start planning now to have support in place for increasing numbers of electric cars. "By 2025, 35% of all the cars produced in the world will be hybrid or pure electric," says Robertson. "If Vancouver wants to keep its position as one of the greenest and most sustainable cities in the world, we need to start planning now."

Robertson says an inventory is the first step in planning for additional electric vehicle infrastructure.

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