

# EVs for Good Application - Spring 2021

RENEW Wisconsin's EVs for Good initiative fosters the expansion of and transition to electric vehicles among mission-based nonprofits in Wisconsin. If you have any questions, please contact [sam@renewwisconsin.org](mailto:sam@renewwisconsin.org).

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1. Email address \*

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2. Name of Organization \*

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3. Street Address \*

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4. City \*

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5. Zip Code \*

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6. Phone Number \*

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7. Primary Point of Contact's Name \*

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8. Contact's Title or Role \*

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9. Organization's Employer Identification Number (EIN or FEIN) \*

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10. Nonprofit Status

Please provide proof of your tax-exempt status: either an IRS letter or current certificate from Wisconsin's Department of Financial Institutions.

Files submitted:

11. About your Organization \*

Provide a brief overview of your organization's mission and core programs, including your annual budget, the size of your staff and how long you've been operating. (Limit 200 words)

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12. About your EVs for Good Application \*

Tell us about why your organization wants to purchase an electric vehicle. (Limit 200 words)

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**13. About your Transportation Needs \***

Which grant(s) are you applying for? Check ALL that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- Electric Vehicle or Electric Bike/E-Cargo Bike Grant (max \$5,000)
- Electric Van or Bus Grant (max \$10,000)
- Level-2 Electric Vehicle Charging Equipment (max \$500)

**14. About your Electric Vehicle \***

Please state the make, model, and year of the electric vehicle your organization plans to purchase. NOTE: if planning to purchase a e-bike or an e-cargo bike, please state which make and model bicycle you plan to purchase.

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**15. More About your Electric Vehicle \***

Please explain why you are considering purchasing this particular electric vehicle. NOTE: if planning to purchase a e-bike or an e-cargo bike, please state why you are choosing to purchase a bicycle or cargo bike.

**and not a gas one?**

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**16. About your Plans to Incorporate the EV \***

Please describe (1) what the organization plans to use the vehicle for (2) how this will help serve the organization and its members and (3) how this aligns with the mission and operations of the organization. NOTE: if planning to purchase an e-bike or an e-cargo bike, please describe what you will use the bike for and how this will help the organization. (Limit 200 words)

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**17. Electric Vehicle Cost \***

Please state the cost of the electric vehicle your organization wishes to purchase.

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**18. Charging Equipment \***

Does your organization plan to install electric vehicle charging equipment?

*Mark only one oval.*

Yes

No

**19. EV-Charging Cost**

If applicable, please state the total cost of your electric vehicle charging equipment.

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**20. Total Award Amount \***

Please state the size of your grant request. The request should be no more than \$5,000 for an electric vehicle and no more than \$10,000 for an electric van or bus. If the organization plans to install charging equipment, please add \$500 to the total amount of the award request.

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**21. Budget and Fundraising Plan \***

The EVs for Good program is designed to help support projects, not to fund them entirely. Does the organization plan to (1) use funds from an existing budget or capital campaign (2) create a public fundraising campaign (3) apply for a bank loan or other financing or (4) create some other arrangement? Describe your plan for funding the balance of the vehicle's cost. (Limit 200 words)

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**22. Vehicle's Impact \***

EVs for Good intends to issue grants to organizations that will demonstrate how electric vehicles can impact communities for good, especially communities who have not traditionally benefitted from clean transportation. We want our grantees to demonstrate impact in one or more of the following areas: (1) Social Justice (2) Serving Low-Income Communities (3) Serving Communities of Color (4) Serving Children or Seniors (5) Working in Rural Wisconsin, especially Northern Wisconsin (6) Community Education. Please check each category in which your project or organization will have an impact.

*Check all that apply.*

- Social Justice
- Low-Income Communities
- BIPOC Communities
- Children or Seniors
- Rural Wisconsin
- Education

Other:  \_\_\_\_\_

**23. Vehicle's Impact - Explain \***

Using the categories above, describe in detail how the electric vehicle will have an impact on this organization in one or more of these areas. Please describe (1) what the organization plans to use the vehicle for (2) how this will help serve the organization and its members and (3) how this aligns with the mission and operations of the organization. (Limit 200 words)

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**24. Publicity and Education \***

One goal of EVs for Good is to use organizations that receive grants as models to educate and inspire more people to pursue electric vehicles. There are several potential ways your organization could use the visibility of your project to educate your community or the public about the benefits of EVs, including hosting an open-house of your facility and/or charging equipment, inviting local officials for a tour, creating case studies or educational materials, and more. Describe your plan for educating your community about electric vehicles. (Limit 200 words)

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**25. Anything else?**

Please use this space to explain anything else you think we should know about your organization or your transportation needs. (Limit 200 words)

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**26. Review and Submit \***

Please make sure to review the MOU that grantees would sign upon accepting an award. Please send a copy of the organization's proof of tax-exempt status, this would be either an IRS letter or current certificate from Wisconsin's Department of Financial Institutions. These documents can also be emailed to [SolarforGood@renewwisconsin.org](mailto:SolarforGood@renewwisconsin.org). Check the boxes below to confirm that you have completed these steps.

*Check all that apply.*

- I have reviewed the EVs for Good Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to be signed if awarded.
  - I have attached a copy of the organization's proof of tax-exempt status.
  - I am authorized by an officer of the organization to apply for and receive this grant.
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