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San Diego is Truly Home to the Super Chargers
117 More Public Electric Vehicle Charging Stations Added to San Diego

SAN DIEGO, CA (October 2, 2012) – Councilmember Todd Gloria applauded his colleagues today for approving expansion of public electric vehicle charging infrastructure. As a result of the action, San Diego will add up to 117 public charging stations on City-owned property.

San Diego currently is ranked 16th of the 21 cities hosting charging stations in the nation based on its ten public charging stations, and the City will move to the top ranking with the addition of the new spaces.

Responding to the environmental consciousness of District Three residents, 33 of the new stations will be in neighborhoods represented by Councilmember Gloria:

- Five in Balboa Park (East lot adjacent to Park Blvd.)
- Four in North Park (4044 Idaho St.)
- Five on-street near Texas St. and El Cajon Blvd.
- Five on-street at 35th St. and Adams Ave.
- Five on-street near Normal St. and University Ave.
- Five on-street near Goldfinch St. and W. Washington St.
- Four in the North Park Parking Garage

Other locations for the new charging stations include the Carmel Mountain Library, Skyline Hills, and two parking garages downtown. The charging stations will be installed by ECOtality, which is using \$850,000 of its federal grant funds for the expansion. Through the agreement, the City will be reimbursed by ECOtality for electricity used at the charging stations.

“I know that by increasing publicly available charging infrastructure, electric vehicle adoption will further swell in San Diego, which will further improve our environment and our quality of life,” said Councilmember Gloria.

The charging stations are expected to be installed by the end of 2012

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