

Electric Vehicle Charger Reliability and Accessibility Accelerator

- The Electric Vehicle Charger Reliability and Accessibility Accelerator (EVC RAA) Program is a federal grant program to **repair or replace broken EV chargers** to improve the reliability of existing public chargers.
- California was awarded **\$63.7 million to repair, replace, and install over 1,000 chargers at over 300 sites** across the state.
- These chargers will be required to maintain **97% uptime** for a minimum of 5 years after being repaired or replaced.
- Chargers must be on the federal list of eligible ports to qualify for this program and awards will be made through a competitive solicitation.
- Chargers in **Federal Justice40 and California-designated disadvantaged and low-income communities will be prioritized** for repair and replacement.
- Caltrans and the California Energy Commission will partner to implement the EVC RAA Program in California.

