



Heavy Duty Truck Electrification Incentive Pilot



Seattle's Heavy Duty Vehicle Electrification Incentive Pilot is the nation's first City-based incentive program for the electrification of Heavy-Duty Trucks (drayage trucks). Point of sale rebates will be funded for new electric vehicles operating in the Duwamish community that serve the Port of Seattle.

Addressing Harmful Health Disparities & Climate Pollution

Seattle's Duwamish Valley is by far the region's largest cluster of freight-related jobs and activities. Port-adjacent communities throughout the Duwamish Valley are continuously exposed to sources of pollution from industry, diesel trucks and other transportation emissions.

Studies have found that Beacon Hill, Georgetown, and South Park rank higher in both air pollution levels and asthma rates in children, as compared to other neighborhoods in Seattle.

For years, Seattle's community-based organizations in the Duwamish Valley have called for the electrification of drayage trucks to address the problem of harmful diesel emissions in the neighborhood.

SEATTLE'S GOALS TO REDUCE TRANSPORTATION EMISSIONS



30%

ZERO EMISSIONS
DELIVERIES BY 2030



82%

EMISSIONS
REDUCTION BY 2030



CARBON
NEUTRAL BY 2050

Why trucks?

Port operation depends on approximately 4,000 drayage vehicles to serve the Ports of Seattle and Tacoma.

Drayage trucks are some of the heaviest polluters in the region. The nearly constant operation of these diesel engines pours pollution into the Duwamish Valley, Downtown Seattle, and nearby neighborhoods.

Reducing diesel emissions is a top priority for the City of Seattle. Diesel pollution disproportionately impacts people living in environmental justice communities.



How to Apply

Below is an overview of the application process. For a more detailed guide to applying for an incentive, please check out our **"How to Apply Guide"** in the Program Guide. For any questions or clarification, reach out to **OSE_Trucks@seattle.gov** for assistance.



Step 1: Review Program Eligibility and Requirements

Check if you qualify by reviewing the eligibility criteria on the Program Guide or the website.

Step 2: Prepare Required Documents and Information

Gather all documentation and information, including fleet information, ownership documentation, operation details, scrappage plan (if applicable), funding plan, and proof of capacity.

Step 3: Access the Application Form

Visit the official website of the Heavy Duty Vehicle Incentive Pilot program or the designated application portal and access the most up-to-date application version.

Step 4: Complete the Application Form

Fill out the application with accurate, detailed information. Provide all required documentation and information.

Step 5: Submit the Application

Once you have reviewed your application, submit it through the designated submission method.

Step 6: Application Review and Evaluation

After submission, your application will undergo a review and evaluation process. Applicants will be notified of the status of their application within a specified timeframe.

Step 7: Further Steps and Assistance

If your application is successful, you will receive instructions on the next steps to proceed with the program, including any additional requirements or documentation needed. If your application is not successful, we may contact you about future funding opportunities.

INTERESTED IN APPLYING IN THE FUTURE?
Fill out our interest form!