AC - Alternating Current: The type of electrical current that periodically reverses direction.

ALM – Accessory Load Management: A smart charging feature allowing homeowners to not have to dial their amperage output of the charger down due to an older home that can't handle all the electrical loads being powered at their residence such as range, AC, dryer, etc. This will utilize an amperage device installed on their circuit box that monitors the demand and will prevent overloading from occurring when trying to charge their EV.

- BEV Battery Electric Vehicle: A type of electric vehicle that is powered solely by a battery, without any internal combustion engine.
- BMS Battery Management System: A system that manages the charging and discharging of batteries to ensure safe and efficient operation.
- CAN Controller Area Network: A vehicle bus standard designed to allow microcontrollers and devices to communicate with each other.
- CCS Combined Charging System: A type of fast charging system for electric vehicles that combines AC and DC charging in one connector.
- CHAdeMO Charge de Move: A DC fast charging standard for electric vehicles that was developed in Japan.
- DC Direct Current: The type of electrical current that flows in one direction.

DLB — Dynamic Load Balancing: This is a way that level 2 and level 3 chargers can be set up to dispense the available voltage when vehicles pull up to the charging lanes. Electrical requirements to power multiple chargers can be very expensive since most locations do not have the electrical bandwidth required to give full power to each of their multiple chargers on site. With the utilization of DLB the power supply can be shared by up to 25 chargers.

- DoD Depth of Discharge: The percentage of the battery capacity that has been used.
- DoE Department of Energy (United States): A federal department responsible for energy policy and research in the United States.
- EMV Electromagnetic Compatibility: The ability of electronic devices to operate without interfering with each other.
- EV Electric Vehicle: A vehicle that is powered by an electric motor and a battery, without any internal combustion engine.
- EVSE Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment: The equipment used to charge electric vehicles.
- FCV Fuel Cell Vehicle: A type of electric vehicle that uses a fuel cell to generate electricity, instead of a battery.

First Come First Served - : This term is used when setting up a string of EVSE that is set to DLB parameters. This means the first vehicle to attach to a charger will receive the highest output that the charger can deliver and that the vehicle will take. The other vehicles that plug into subsequent chargers

will share the remaining power output available from the site. As vehicles pull away from the charging lanes, the power outputs will be recalibrated accordingly.

- GB/T Guóbiāo/Tiĕbiǎo: A Chinese national standard for electric vehicle charging.
- HEV Hybrid Electric Vehicle: A type of vehicle that combines an internal combustion engine and an electric motor.
- ICE Internal Combustion Engine: An engine that burns fuel internally to produce power.
- IEC International Electrotechnical Commission: An international organization that develops and publishes standards for electrical technologies.

ISO15118 -: SAE protocol which allows vehicles to be bi-directional with chargers. This is needed support for V2x to operate.

- J1772 SAE J1772: A North American standard for electric vehicle charging connectors.
- kWh Kilowatt Hour: A unit of energy equal to one kilowatt of power used for one hour.
- kW Kilowatt: A unit of power equal to 1,000 watts.
- kWp Kilowatt peak: A measure of the maximum output of a solar panel or another energy-generating system under ideal conditions.
- LiFePO4 Lithium Iron Phosphate: A type of lithium-ion battery chemistry that is known for its safety and long cycle life.
- Li-ion Lithium Ion: A type of rechargeable battery that is commonly used in electric vehicles.
- L1 Level 1 Charging: A type of electric vehicle charging that uses a standard household outlet and provides a slow charge.
- L2 Level 2 Charging: A type of electric vehicle charging that uses a higher voltage outlet and provides a faster charge than Level 1.
- L3 Level 3 Charging: A type of fast charging system for electric vehicles that provides an even faster charge than Level 2.
- NCA Nickel Cobalt Aluminum: A type of lithium-ion battery chemistry that is known for its high energy density.
- NMC Nickel Manganese Cobalt: A type of lithium-ion battery chemistry that is known for its high power density and long cycle life.
- NiMH Nickel Metal Hydride: A type of rechargeable battery that is commonly used in hybrid electric vehicles.
- OCPP Open Charge Point Protocol: A communication protocol used by electric vehicle charging stations to communicate with central management systems.
- OCV Open Circuit Voltage: The voltage of a battery when it is not connected to a load or a charging source.

- PHEV Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicle: A type of hybrid electric vehicle that can be charged from an external power source, and has a larger battery than a traditional hybrid electric vehicle.
- PID Proportional Integral Derivative: A type of control algorithm used in charging systems to regulate the voltage and current.
- RFID Radio Frequency Identification: A technology used in electric vehicle charging systems to identify and authenticate users.
- SAE Society of Automotive Engineers: An international professional organization that develops and publishes standards for the automotive industry.

SAEJ2595: A protocol allowing for wireless charging up to 11 KW.

- SOC State of Charge: The percentage of the battery capacity that is currently available for use.
- SOH State of Health: A measure of the overall health and performance of a battery.
- V2G Vehicle-to-Grid: A technology that allows electric vehicles to feed energy back into the grid when they are not being used, providing a source of energy storage and backup power.
- V2H Vehicle-to-Home: A technology that allows electric vehicles to be used as a backup power source for homes and buildings.
- V2X Vehicle-to-Everything: A term used to describe the integration of electric vehicles into the broader energy system, including the grid, homes, and other buildings.
- W Watt: A unit of power equal to one joule per second.
- ZEVA Zero Emissions Vehicle Association: A trade association that represents companies in the electric vehicle industry