



# ELECTRIC VEHICLES

*There's never been a better time to buy an EV. Here's why.*

## Many EVs Are Available in Washington State

An ever growing number of both battery electric vehicles (BEV) and plug-in hybrids (PHEV) are hitting the market now in Washington – with more on the horizon.

The vehicles listed below qualify for the Washington state sales tax exemption, as well as the federal tax credit.

Make & Model	2017 MSRP	Estimated Sales Tax Saved	Battery Range (miles)	Total Driving Range (miles)
<b>Plug-In Hybrid Electric Vehicles (PHEV) = Electric first, with gas backup</b>				
Chevrolet Volt	\$33,220	\$2,176	53	420
Chrysler Pacifica Hybrid	\$41,995	\$2,176	33	566
<b>Battery Electric Vehicles (BEV) = All electric, no gas needed!</b>				
BMW i3	\$42,400	\$2,176	114	114
Chevrolet Bolt	\$37,495	\$2,176	238	238
Fiat 500e	\$31,800	\$2,162	84	84
Ford Focus EV	\$29,120	\$1,980	115	115
Kia Soul EV	\$33,950	\$2,172	93	93
Mitsubishi i-MiEV	\$22,995	\$1,564	62	62
Nissan Leaf	\$30,680	\$2,086	107	107
Tesla Model 3	\$35,000	\$2,176	215	215
Volkswagen e-Golf (2016)	\$28,995	\$1,462	83	83

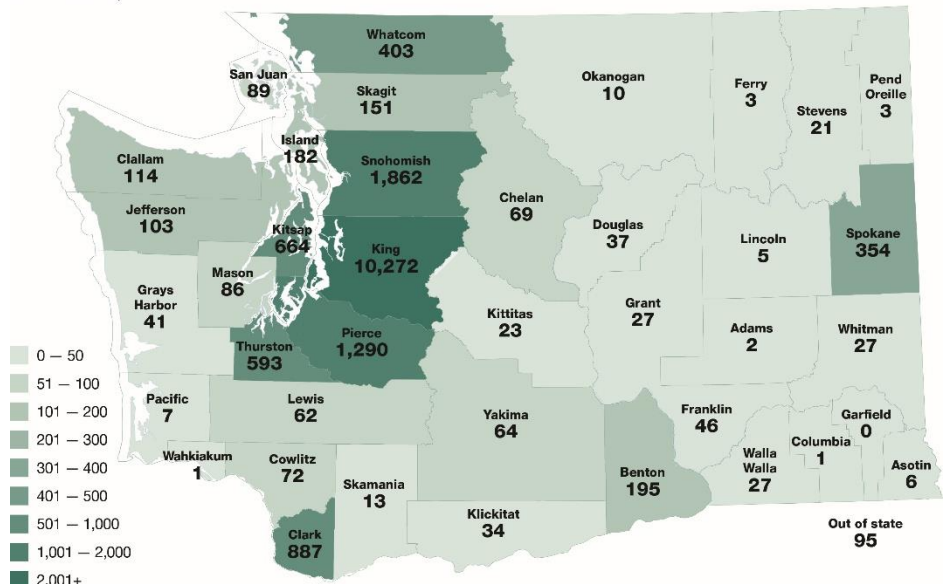
Washington has one of the highest percentages of EV car sales in the nation, with **almost 18,000** EVs registered statewide.

### Washington's Top Models:

1. Nissan LEAF (6,505)
2. Chevy Volt (1,837)
3. Tesla Model S (1,616)

## 17,941 Plug In Electric Vehicles Registered in Washington

As of June 30, 2016



Map includes Electric Vehicles (EVs) produced by major automakers since about 2011. It does not include cars that were converted to EVs by their owners, neighborhood EVs or EV models from the 1990's that are still registered in Washington, or motorcycles. WSDOT created this map based on data provided by the Washington State Department of Licensing.

# Electric Vehicles: Driving Change in Washington

## An ever-expanding network of charging stations makes driving EVs more convenient.

- Washington has an extensive network of public and private charging stations that can easily take you across the state!
- Washington helped create the nation's first "electric highway," offering public charging along I-5 from Canada to Mexico.
- Our state has the fourth highest number of charging stations in the nation, with over 60 DC fast charging locations and 600+ Level 2 charging locations.
- Check out the U.S. Department of Energy's Alternative Fuel Station Locator online to see them all!

Fast charging stations now connect major destinations across Washington State!



## EVs = Zero Tailpipe Emissions.

- EVs don't even have tailpipes! They don't emit any greenhouse gases or toxic air pollution. Compare that with a conventional gasoline car, which emits 20 pounds of pollution per gallon burned.

## EVs Make Cents.

- Thanks to low electricity costs statewide, drivers save thousands of dollars in gas by plugging in.
- Most electric vehicle purchases are exempt from Washington State sales tax, which can save buyers thousands of dollars.
- You can also receive a federal tax credit of \$2,500 - \$7,500 for purchasing a new EV.
- EVs are cheaper to maintain.  
Fewer moving parts = less maintenance = less time (and \$\$) at the auto mechanic.

Western Washington Clean Cities Coalition is a not-for-profit membership organization dedicated to expanding the use of alternative fuels and advanced vehicle technologies. We provide education, technical expertise, networking opportunities and funding assistance to help members invest in local, sustainable transportation solutions.