

# ELECTRIC VEHICLE (EV)



# CHARGING GUIDELINES

To ensure EV charging stations remain safe, accessible, and fair for all users, please follow the guidelines below when using an electric vehicle (EV) charger. The City of Brampton provides public EV charging stations across various municipal locations to support residents and businesses.

- Cost: \$1/hour for the first 3 hours, increasing to \$5/hour thereafter.
- Availability: 53 charging ports are available citywide, including City Hall, West Tower, Rose Theatre, recreation centre and other City-owned properties.

Reminder: Under the Electric Vehicle Charging Act, 2019, vehicles parked in an EV charging space must be plugged in. Vehicles not connected to a charger may be subject to a \$125 fine.

## 1. Park only if you're charging an EV

- Only electric vehicles (EVs) and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles (PHEVs) may use charging spots.
- Gas-powered vehicles must never park in these spaces.

## 2. Move your car when done charging

- EVs charge slower after 80%, so aim to charge only what you need.
- Please limit charging time to 3 hours so others can use the station.
- Once finished, move to a regular parking spot.

## 3. Handle EV Charging Equipment with care

- Always return the charging cable to its holder before leaving.
- Do not leave cables on the ground where they may be damaged.
- If an EV charger is damaged, please report it to [energy@brampton.ca](mailto:energy@brampton.ca)

## 4. Never unplug another vehicle

- Please respect other users and wait until the charger is available.

## 5. Use the app for updates

- The City of Brampton's networked charging stations connect to a provider app.
- Use the app to check your vehicle's charging status remotely.

