

V2X INNOVATION PROGRAMME PHASE 2 MARKET ENGAGEMENT EVENT



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Innovate UK KTN exists to connect innovators with new partners and new opportunities beyond their existing thinking – accelerating ambitious ideas into real-world solutions.



V2X Innovation Programme

Phase 2 Market Engagement Event

Agenda

• Welcome	Eleanor Marshall	InnovateUK KTN	14:00
• Event Introduction	Kate Robertshaw	BEIS	14.05
• V2X Policy Context	Dave Barker	BEIS	14:10
• V2X Innovation Programme	Kate Robertshaw & Jona Ramadani	BEIS	14:20
• V2X Phase 1 overview	Sophie Randall	InnovateUK	14:30
• V2X Phase 2 proposals	Josey Wardle	InnovateUK	14:40
• Request for feedback	Josey Wardle	InnovateUK	14:50



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V2X POLICY CONTEXT



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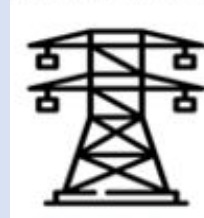


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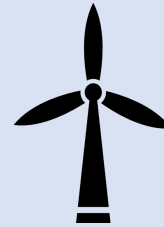
The electric vehicle revolution will increase electricity demand, but also useful energy flexibility



- **Smart charging** – shifting EV charging to off-peak periods or periods of abundant renewables
- **Vehicle-to-X technology (V2X)** – bidirectional smart charging, enabling export of energy from an EV battery to X = home, building or the grid



Reduce network and generation costs, lowering prices for all consumers



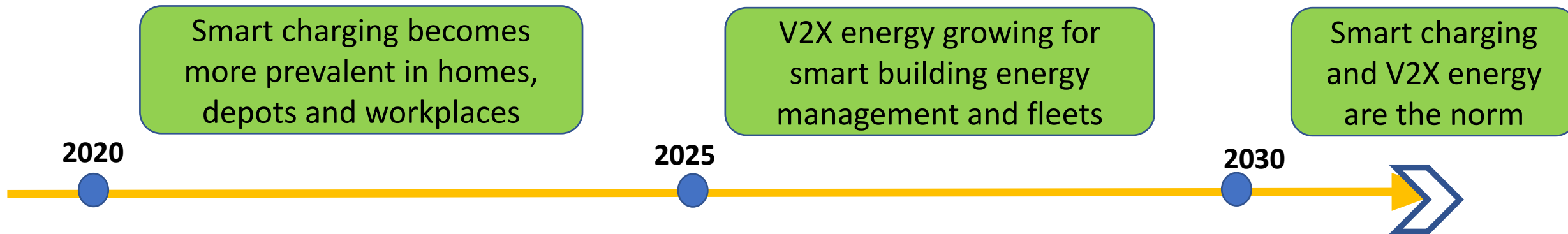
Maximise use of variable renewables



Reduce cost of charging for EV drivers (ca. £500 saving for average driver by smart charging)



The smart charging vision



Identified barriers:

- Consumer awareness and incentivisation
- Cyber security and grid stability risks
- Public smart charging
- Commercialisation of V2X energy

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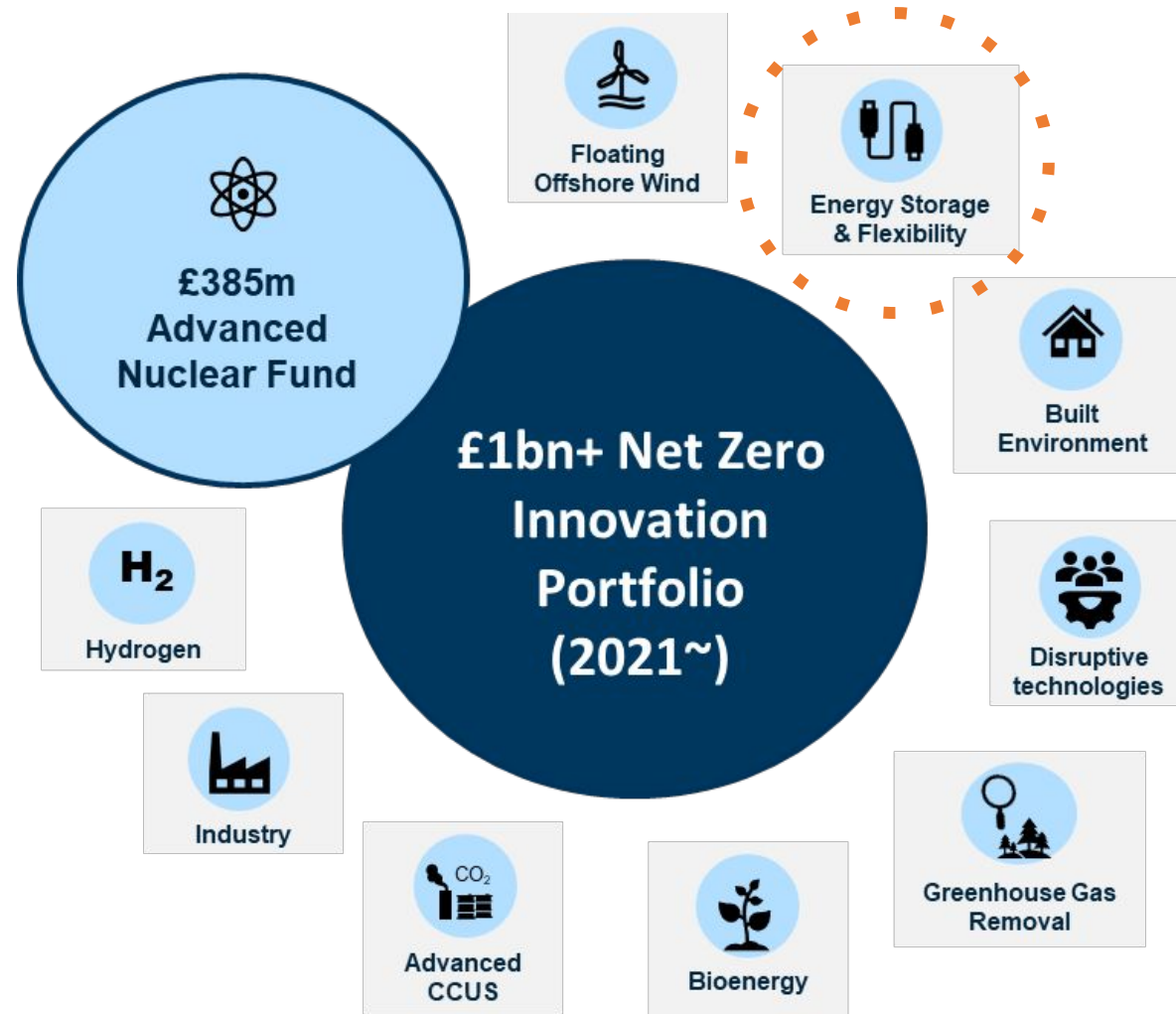


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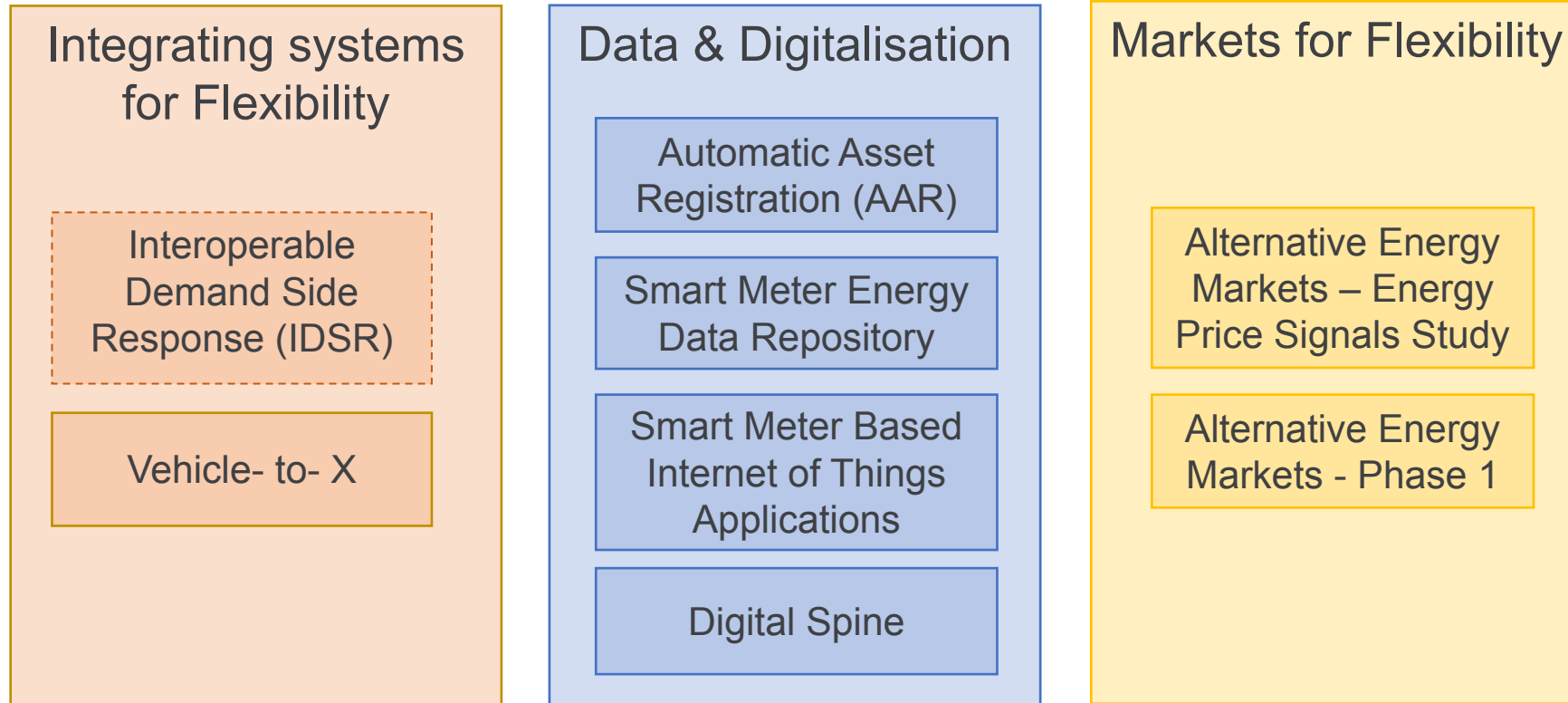
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NET ZERO INNOVATION PORTFOLIO



Flexibility Innovation Programme

Seeks to enable large-scale widespread electricity system flexibility through smart, flexible, secure, and accessible technologies and markets



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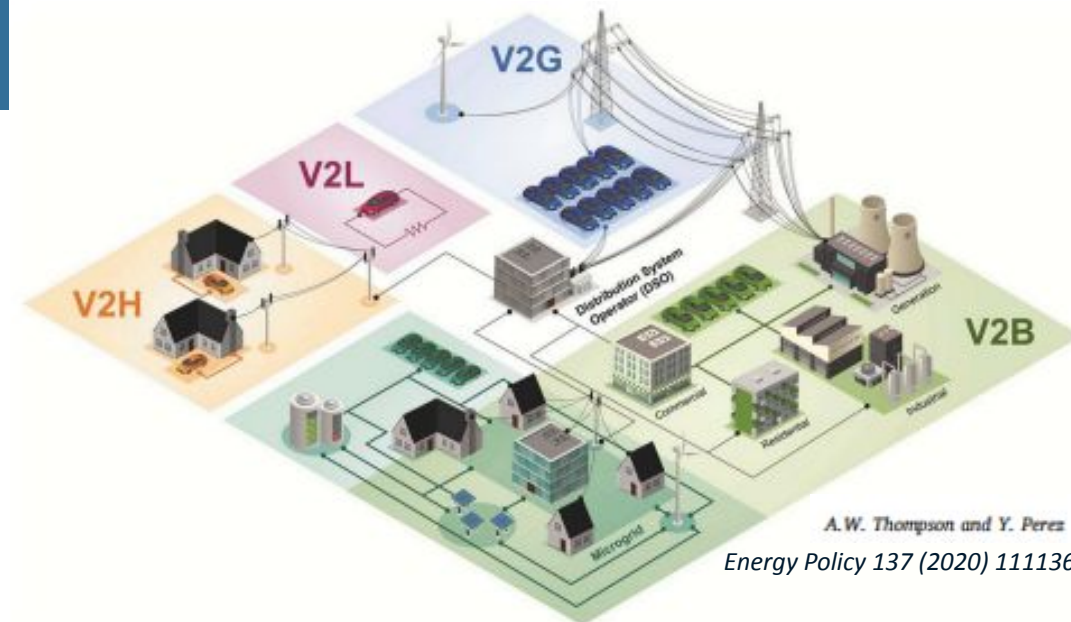
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www.gov.uk/government/publications/flexibility-innovation

V2X Innovation Programme Summary

Programme Funding:	Up to £ 12.6 million
Timing:	September 2022 – March 2025
Phase 1:	17 research & development projects Awarded £3.2 million funding Running September 2022 - August 2023
Phase 2:	Anticipated £ 9.4 million funding available for small-scale demonstration projects



V2X Innovation Programme

Programme Objectives

- Motivate, enable and incentivise a range of consumers
- Address business & consumer **barriers & concerns**
- Inform **future V2X** policy decisions
- Facilitate an **increase in V2X capacity**



V2X Innovation Programme Objectives

Phase 1:

- **Design and develop** new V2X components, sub-systems, products & services, including business models
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Phase 2:

- **Test and demonstrate** new V2X products & services
- Demonstrate **V2X as source of flexibility** in markets and services
- Demonstrate **V2X integration** with building/micro-grid energy management, and with the wider digital and energy systems



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V2X PHASE 1 OVERVIEW



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V2X Phase 1 Projects

- Delivering prototype hardware, software or business models which can reduce entry barriers for domestic or non-domestic use of V2X bi-directional chargers to provide energy flexibility services
- Addressing one or more of the following challenges:
 - Reduce the cost gap between V2X and single direction smart charging without compromising safety or capability
 - Develop next generation on or off-vehicle bi-directional charging using DC Combined Charging System (CCS), DC Charge de move (CHAdeMO) or AC V2X technology
 - Develop innovative V2X commercial propositions different to the grid services and business models demonstrated in the UK to date
 - Improve consumer experience of V2X operation
 - Investigate V2X energy barriers and challenges to innovative solutions that increase the deployment and uptake of V2X



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Phase 1 projects – scope analysis

Range of challenges addressed:

- Cost reduction
- New technologies
- New use cases
- Improving the customer experience
- Energy barrier solutions

Range of charging protocols:

- AC
- DC
- DC CHAdeMO
- Megawatt

Range of use cases:

- V2H
- V2V
- V2B
- V2G
- Heavy freight
- Public spaces (on-street and destination car parks)



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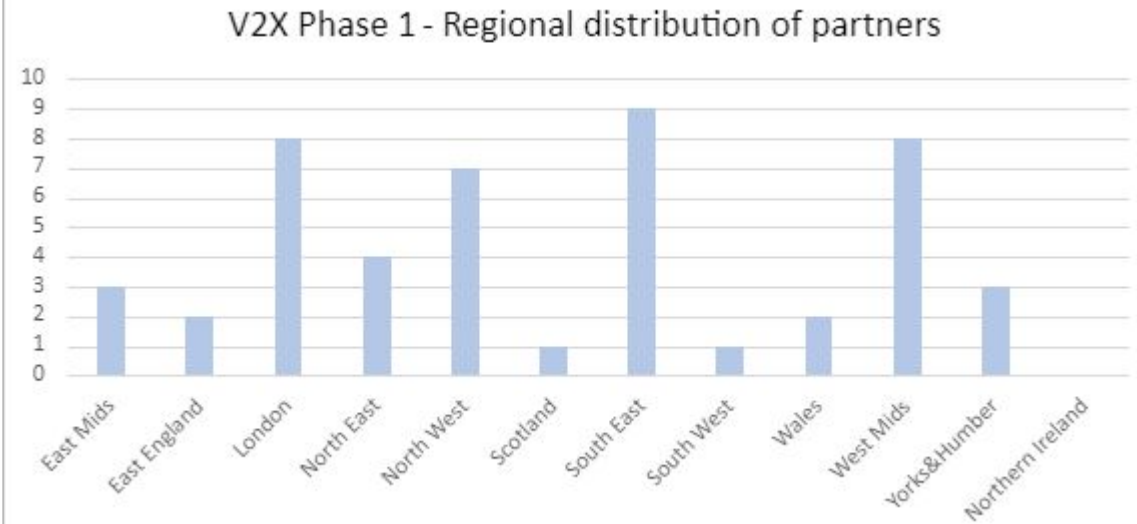
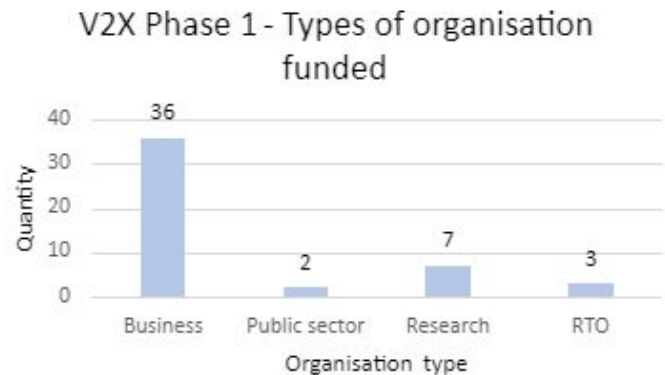


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Phase 1 Projects – partner analysis



V2X Phase 1 Partners

- Passiv UK Limited
- Active Building Centre Ltd
- Ev.Energy
- Energy System Catapult Limited
- Indra Renewable Technologies Limited
- DevTank Ltd
- Entrust EV Technology Ltd
- University of Huddersfield
- Otaski Energy Solutions Ltd
- Northumbria University
- Miralis Data Limited
- Turbo Power Systems Limited
- Gridicity Ltd
- DoubleMSC Solutions Limited
- University of Warwick
- Arcadis Consulting (UK) Limited
- Element Energy Limited
- Wallbox UK Limited
- Kaluza Ltd
- OVO Energy Ltd

- Volkswagen Group UK Limited
- Syselek (UK) Ltd
- Levistor Ltd
- Compound Semiconductor Applications Catapult Limited
- Smart Power Networks Ltd
- EDF Energy R&D UK Centre Limited
- Loughborough University
- Urbanomy UK Limited
- Oxfordshire County Council
- Agile Charging Ltd
- HiyaCar Limited
- Hangar19 Ltd
- Crowd Charge Limited
- Petalite Limited
- RTS Technology Solutions Limited
- Gengame Ltd
- Evergreen Energy Ltd
- Chameleon Technology (UK) Limited
- Enappsys Ltd
- QBots Energy Ltd
- Keele University
- University of Nottingham
- EV Mobiliti Limited



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V2X Phase 1 Projects

- Vehicle to Heat Pump
- V2X-Flex
- Next Generation V2X Power Module
- Entrust V2H Charger
- Bi-directional MIMO DC-DC Converter
- V2X Local Network Fleet Solution
- EV-shAIR
- ENSTOREL-V2X
- Zero Carbon Tariffs with Cashback for V2X
- V2BUILD

Find out more about the V2X Phase 1 projects:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/v2x-innovation-programme-successful-projects>

- INFLEXION
- Megawatt Charging Multidirectional microgrids
- VEHICLe TO energy communitieS (VECTORS)
- Leasy V2H
- BEVScanV2X
- Secure-V2B
- V2VNY

Press Release:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/new-plan-for-smart-electric-vehicle-ev-charging-could-save-consumers-up-to-1000-a-year>



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V2X PHASE 2 PROPOSALS SUBJECT TO CHANGE



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V2X Innovation Phase 2 - Anticipated Competition

Aims

In a real world environment:

- Demonstrate new V2X bi-directional charging technologies which can deliver increased flexibility from Electric Vehicles at lowest cost
- Demonstrate new viable V2X business propositions that engage different types of consumers in V2X – behind-the-meter or grid services
- Demonstrate new V2X propositions which integrate Electric Vehicles with other sources of energy flexibility

In order to:

- Accelerate commercialisation of V2X energy technologies and services
- Bring together diverse stakeholders across the energy and transport sectors to overcome barriers to V2X deployment
- Raise awareness & increase business and consumer interest in V2X energy



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Phase 2 competition proposals

Anticipated £9.4 million funding available for up to 6 demonstration projects

Demonstration requirements:

- Demonstrate a new V2X flexibility proposition using EITHER:
 - 10-20 NEW bi-directional charging units installed (using CCS, CHAdeMO or AC protocols) OR
 - 50-100 EXISTING installed V2X units
- 6-month minimum trial period - including data collection & project analysis leading to a Trial Report for public dissemination
- Real-world trial locations – domestic or non-domestic, public or private access, single or multiple users
- Test the viability of a new V2X business model

Phase 2 competition proposals

Timing:

- Proposed application period – March to May 2023
- 18-month project duration – Oct 2023 to March 2025
- Phase 2 projects won't start (Oct 23) until Phase 1 is complete (Aug 23)

Eligibility:

- On-road EVs only - Cars, vans, freight, RCVs
- Consortia applications only – stakeholders from across the transport and energy markets
e.g. vehicle manufacturers, charging providers, DNOs, energy suppliers, flexibility operators, end-users and infrastructure owners
- OPEN competition – DO NOT NEED to be involved in Phase 1



Trial Report proposals

Projects to collect & analyse trial data & report findings for public dissemination

- Proposed minimum content:
 - description of the V2X use case and market proposition being trialled
 - tariff information and commercial viability
 - trial location information
 - charging and discharging behaviour exhibited
 - perception & behaviour change
- Proposed data needs:
 - Charging/discharging activities – all locations
 - Vehicle telematics
 - Input from trial participants
 - Economic transaction data



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Key Questions

Are the timescales reasonable?

- A minimum 6 month trial?
- Is an unfunded trial period of interest?

How many units are sufficient to:

- trial new V2X technology?
- trial new flexibility propositions?
- Is the option of using EITHER New OR Existing bi-directional charging units attractive?

Is the data study proposal reasonable?

- Content
- Data sources
- Timing

Will these areas of support increase V2X interest & accelerate adoption ?

- Behind the meter services and Grid services
- All charging protocols
- Use cases – private, public charging & fleet
- Integration with wider energy system
- Anything else we should be considering?

Who needs to be involved in consortia?

- Any barriers to participation?

Please feedback on these proposals

Please send any feedback to
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Thanks for your attention

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