

## Electric Vehicles— Is it time to buy?

## GELD offers a \$400 rebate on a ChargePoint Level 2 Charger along with a \$.09 rate from 11 p.m.–7 a.m.

For GELD to effectively manage our distribution system, we strongly encourage customers to consider installing a Wi-Fi equipped "LEVEL 2" charger that GELD can communicate with. A "good" Wi-Fi equipped charger costs about \$599.00. To encourage the use of these chargers, GELD will provide a \$400 rebate towards their purchase and provide a special vehicle charging rate. These chargers would be pre-programmed by GELD to operate as a "LEVEL 1" charger during non-peak times. Using the Wi-Fi connection, GELD would be able to schedule charging from 11 p.m.–7 a.m. at a rate of \$.09 (discount rate) per kilowatt-hour. Even electric vehicles with large batteries and long range would be fully charged by the morning.

The rebate for these chargers is intended to keep the cost of the Wi-Fi "LEVEL 2" chargers less expensive than a standard "LEVEL 2" charger purchased online; so, the value of this rebate may change as the market changes. Our rebate does not include the cost of installation. A licensed electrician is required to install the "LEVEL 2" charger.

Please contact GELD at 978-448-1150 if you would like to participate in this rebate offer and special electric vehicle rate. MMWEC, our wholesale energy agent will acquire the Wi-Fi "LEVEL 2" charger through ChargePoint (on your behalf) and it will be pre-programmed to work with GELD's electric vehicle rate.

# Be prepared for emergencies and power outages



Even with the best planning, occasional power outages do occur. Prepare now so you'll be ready in a hurry if the unexpected happens:

Make a storm kit with things you will need if the power goes out. Keep enough supplies for at least three days. Include a batterypowered radio and a flashlight, along with a supply of batteries to run them. Also gather

nonperishable food, a manual can-opener, bottled water, matches and candles, personal medications, and a first-aid kit. Don't forget baby formula and pet food, if needed.

You can find detailed information about preparing for the unexpected online at https://www.fema.gov/. Click on Search on the home page and enter "How to Prepare" to find an in-depth guide to citizen preparedness.

## Ride and Drive— See Chevy Bolt offer for GELD customers on reverse side.

An Electric Vehicle test drive at the GELD facility has been arranged with Quirk Chevrolet of Braintree on Monday, October 22, 2018 from 3–6 p.m. Stop by and try one out—it may surprise you.



# **GELD 2018 Holiday Schedule**

### October

Mon., Oct. 8, Columbus Day: closed Tue., Oct. 9, extended hours: 7:30 a.m.-7 p.m.

## November

Mon., Nov. 12, Veteran's Day observed: closed Tue., Nov. 13, extended hours: 7:30 a.m.-7 p.m.

Thu., Nov. 22, Thanksgiving: closed Fri., Nov. 23, regular hours: 8 a.m.–1 p.m.

### December

Mon., Dec. 24, Christmas Eve, ½ day hours: 7:30–11:30 a.m. Tue., Dec. 25, Christmas Day: closed Wed., Dec. 26, regular hours: 7:30 a.m.–4 p.m.

Mon., Dec. 31, New Year's Eve, ½ day hours: 7:30–11:30 a.m.



Chevy Bolt EV Discount of \$5,000 Available for Groton Electric Light Customers at Quirk Chevy Braintree!



\$5,000<sup>1</sup> Dealer Incentive + \$2,500<sup>2</sup> MOR-EV Rebate + \$7,500<sup>3</sup> Federal tax incentive Up to \$15,000 in Total Savings!

As part of our efforts to accelerate clean transportation alternatives in Massachusetts, Quirk Chevy Braintree is offering Groton Electric customers special pricing on the purchase of a new 2019 Chevy Bolt electric vehicle.

Simply bring a copy of your Groton Electric bill and this flyer to Quirk Chevy Braintree to receive a \$5,000 rebate (off MSRP) on a new 2019 Chevy Bolt !

This is a limited time offer and can't be combined with other Chevy incentives. Visit Quirk Chevy Braintree for details.







1. Dealer MSRP discount subject to change 2. MOR-EV discount subject to availability 3. Consult your tax professional to find out if you qualify for the Federal Tax incentive





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