



Community Testers Wanted for E-mobility Project



BNA is looking for Community Testers for an Exciting Project!

What is the Community E-mobility Project?

The BNA Community E-mobility Project is an in-field testing of the Battery Electric Vehicles (BEV) systems and charging systems, with the goal of providing quantitative and qualitative data regarding the energy consumption and ease of use of BEV in BNA. These will be compared against current gasoline or fossil fuel models with the goal of determining the benefits of BEV's for long-term sustainable use. With the recent price increases in gasoline this has become more and more important and if solar panels can provide renewable energy regardless of the price of fuel.

Why is the Community E-mobility Project Important?

The BNA Community E-mobility Project is important as it will provide BEVs and other electrical infrastructure to BNA and provide BNA, Northern Community Solutions (NCS) and the IESO with important data to be used to determine the feasibility of implementing this further not only in BNA, but the other northern communities throughout Northwestern Ontario.

How can you get involved? We Need You!

The BNA Community E-mobility Project is seeking in-field testers to see how effective and useful the battery electric vehicles (BEV) that BNA is purchasing are in real-life conditions. We want testers from the community to sign up to try and test out electric boat motors, electric golf carts, and electric three-wheel transportation equipment. BNA maintenance staff will also use electric lawn mowing and maintenance equipment to test out in their



eTrike



Trolling and Boat Motor



Lawn Mower



Golf Cart

Benefits to Testers

- Free transportation
- New & exciting equipment
- Participate in the future direction of BNA

Benefits to Community

- Lower operating costs
- Lower environmental 'footprint'
- Unlock additional funding

day-to-day operations. **The goal of this project at the end of the day is to determine – are these BEV's good enough to replace our current gas models and is it worth it?**

If you would like to sign up, contact Ayshaliisa McNally at 807-623-2724 ext. 217, or amcnally@bnafn.ca



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