

These briefing slides are intended for use by participants at the East of England APPG Roundtable: Charging up the East of England - Towards a Road Map for Electronic Vehicle Charge Point

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### Context

• East of England carbon emissions from transport 42%, well above the national average of 28%.

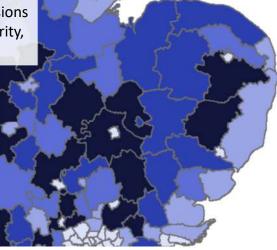
### Why?

- Large rural areas and relatively small major urban centres leads to high car-dependency (TE analysis shows rural areas create 45% of transport emissions)
- Nationally important role in the movement of goods

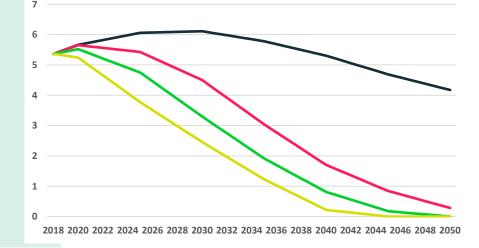
### **Solution?**

- The UK is behind on its trajectory to meeting net zero
- DfT expectations the majority of carbon reductions required to achieve net zero can be met by the transition to alternative fuels.

2018 Transport CO2 emissions per capita by local authority, ONS June 2020



Mt of CO<sub>2</sub> per year

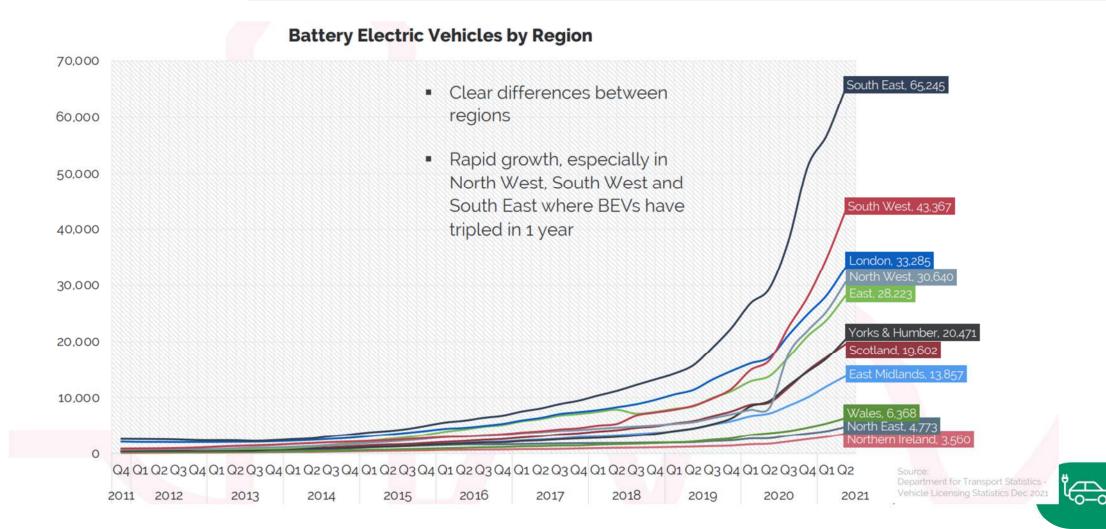




# European EV Infrastructure Market

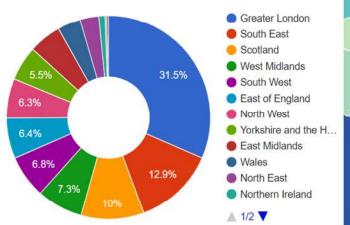


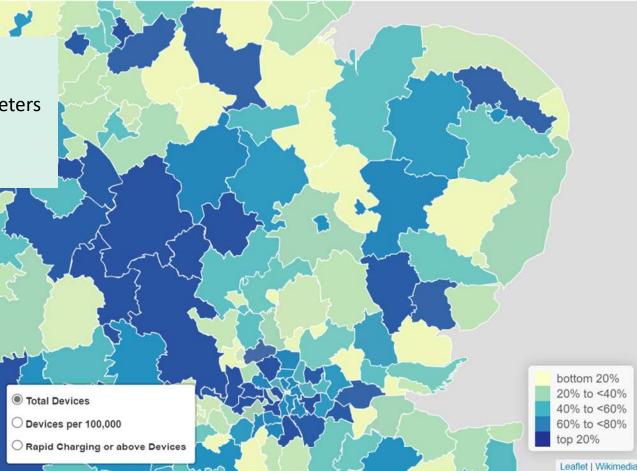
### EV uptake in the east



### **Current EV infrastructure**

Government keen to accelerate and widen delivery Local authorities constrained by funding pot parameters Risk that investment will flow to same locations Risk of grid infrastructure not keeping pace





Total charge devices: 35778. Source: Zap-Map database, 31st October 2022

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# Joint EV infrastructure mapping tool



# Future of EVs in the East Our role

EV infrastructure environment is a rapidly shifting one. How can STBs help the East of England get on the front foot?

We need to answer six strategic questions for the East:

- 1. What is the scale of future demand for EVCI's in the East?
- 2. Where is the demand?
- 3. What is the best mix of EV charging infrastructure?
- 4. What should the STBs/public sector prioritise?
- 5. Will it actually deliver Net Zero Carbon emissions?
- 6. How will the EVCI rollout impact our residents and other transport modes?

STBs are creating a tool to understand this and plan for the future.





### The challenge

A huge increase of EVCIs is urgently needed to meet demand.

- For high EV uptake we need:
  x 10 current chargers by 2025
  - x 30 by 2040
- Even a low EV update we need:
   x 5 by 2025
   x 27 by 2040

### 25% of these need to be publicly funded

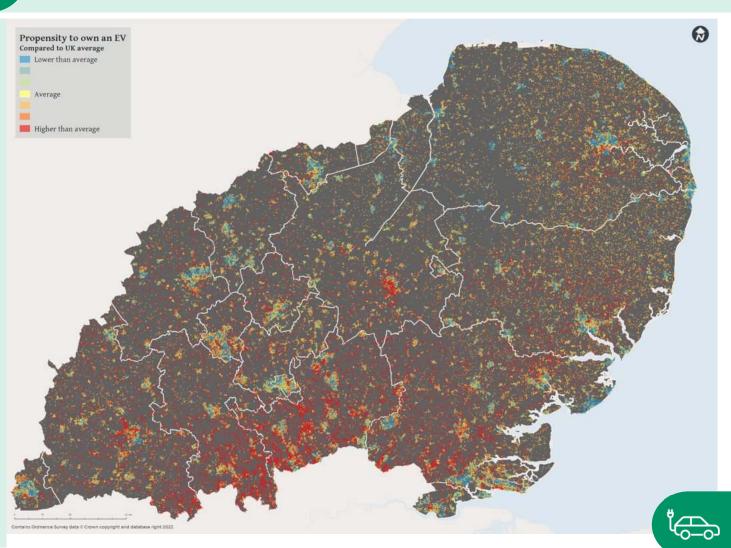
These need to be in the right place, at the right time to reduce unnecessary cost for both the public & private sectors.

		Existing 2022	2025	2030	3035	2040
Low EV uptake	Fast	541	12,800	22,740	43,900	59,900
	Rapid	2015	2,100	3,500	6,800	9,300
	Total	2556	14,900	26,200	50,700	69,200
High EV uptake	Fast	541	18,500	34,400	57,300	68,400
	Rapid	2015	3,100	5,400	9,000	10,700
	Total	2556	21,600	39,800	66,300	79,100

### Where is the demand?

Our tool assesses the **propensity to own an EV** across the region (compared to the UK average).

- Propensity to own an EV varies significantly by location
- Higher than average propensity in the south, and clustered around urban areas
- Lower than average propensity in the **north**, and in **rural areas**



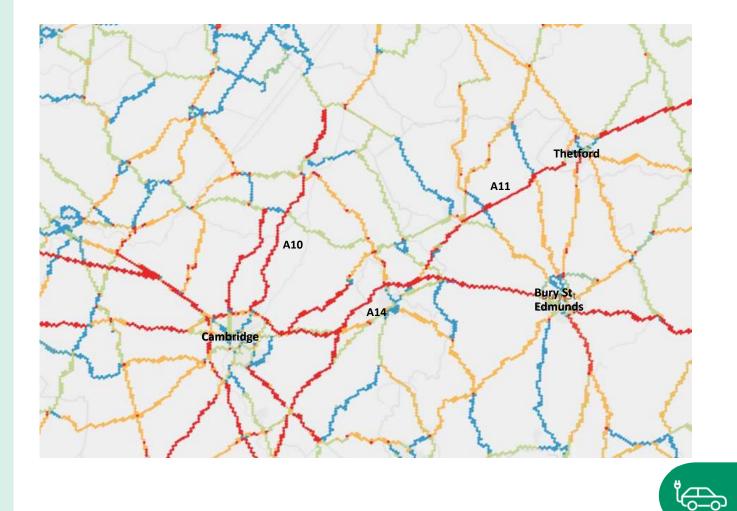
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### What infrastructure is needed?

#### Example data: Rapid charger demand

High demand for rapid chargers on the major and strategic road network

Also demand on roads connecting with strategic roads and those serving economic centres



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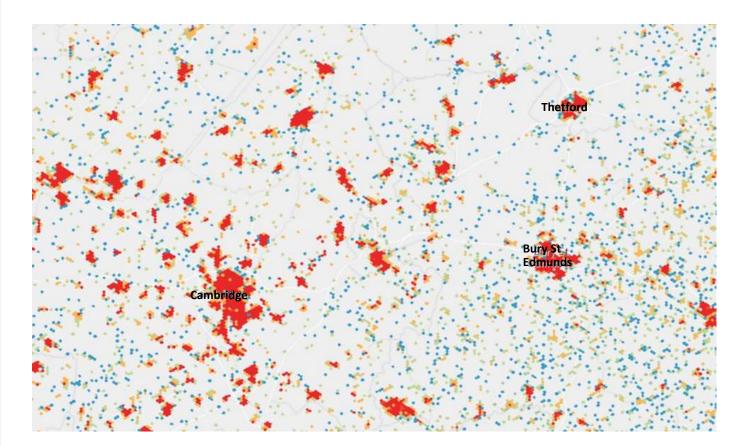
### What infrastructure is needed?

### Example data: Standard charger demand

Highest demand in urban areas

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Also hotspots in smaller market towns and large villages



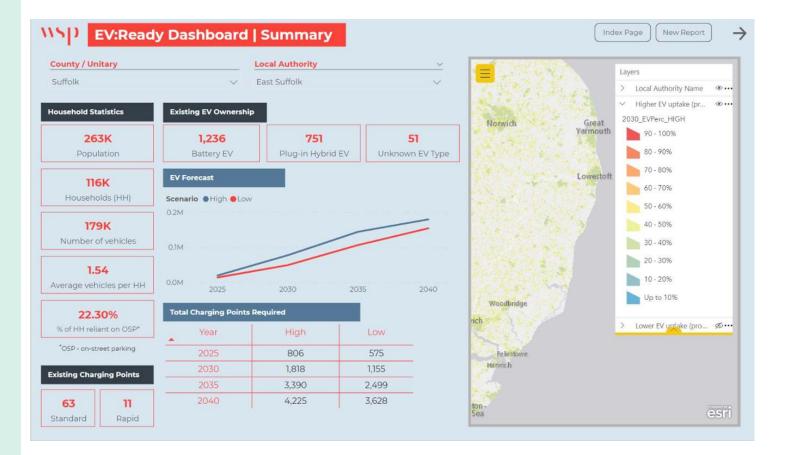


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### **Focus for STB partnerships**

Example data: Local authority insight

- Many LTAs and districts already leading the way on planning for EVs
- An evidence base is vital to plan and prioritise
- Our data is helping strategic planning for EVCIs
- E.g. Product: 'EV Ready' dashboard for local authorities

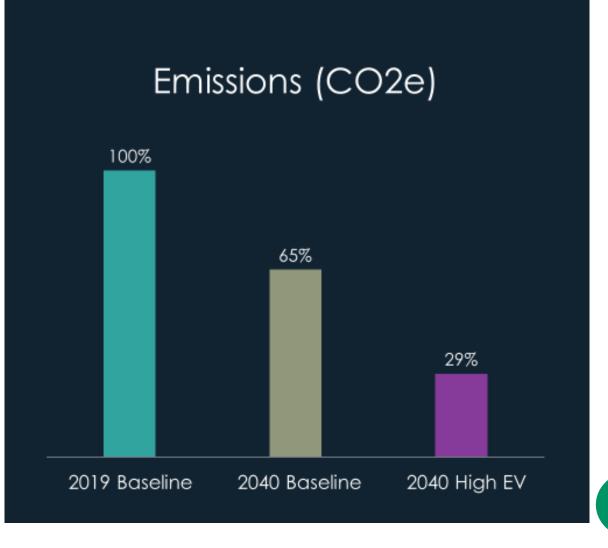


### t Will EV's deliver net zero carbon?

Pursuing a high-EV strategy within the East would achieve a significant shift in carbon emissions.

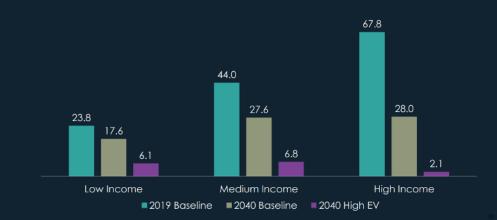
**High EV scenario:** 88% of cars and 81% of LGVs to be EV by 2040.

However, it doesn't get us all the way **and** it has potential adverse consequences...



### **Consequences to high-EV uptake**

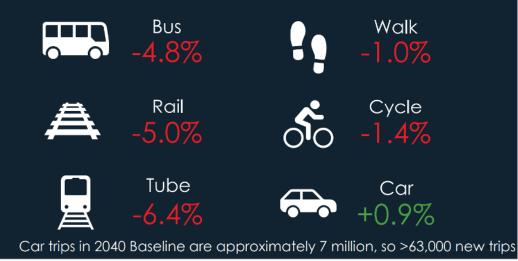
#### Emissions by Income Group (kg CO2e per person)



**Equity impacts** 

Mode choice impacts

### Trip Change: High EV Scenario



# Future of EVs in the East Insights & Actions

Insights from this work	What STBs are doing to address
Sheer scale of challenge and speed needed to deliver	This mapping project gives <b>richer insight to focus investment</b> and will be available publicly
Gaps within LTA capacity & capability especially in best-value procurement	Live project on the <b>market infrastructure investment pipeline</b> – both private & public sector (EEH & TE)
Implications for energy generation, energy network and land- use planning. Needs a regional systems approach to integrate properly	<b>Engaging with energy and grid infrastructure sector</b> on challenges, and National Infrastructure Commission – but this is a big gap in current government thinking
Freight remains an urgent challenge to full decarbonisation	Live project on Alternative Fuels for Freight (EEH, TE & TfSE) and scoping a future regional freight plan
Even high-EV uptake will not solve transport decarbonisation	<b>Planning and increasing evidence</b> for additional sustainable transport and active travel investment
High EV uptake has potential adverse implications for equity, public health and local economies	Planning and increasing evidence for additional sustainable transport and active travel investment

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### **APPG** support

#### We would appreciate the APPG's support to:

- 1. Raise the profile of the **urgency of the situation** and level of investment required
- 2. Inform STB work on Local Authority barriers to EV infrastructure delivery
- Push DfT for clarity on Local Transport Plan guidance on integrating EV with other modes
- Support immediate investment in passenger transport improvements to reduce the demand for EVs
- 5. Support a deeper role for STBs in regional coordination of infrastructure delivery



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# Additional technical information



### **A Whole Systems solution**

### 2020 transport carbon budget and a 'do nothing' scenario

The left hand column shows total surface transport emissions in 2020. Under a 'do nothing' scenario, with no national or local action, emissions rise by 7% by 2030 as new development continues to create additional trip demands.

#### Step 2: Substitute trips

Trips are substituted through digital, transport and land use planning interventions. These reduce travel demand and associated transport emissions by 14%.

#### Step 4: Switch fuels

Private vehicles, public transport and freight switch to zero carbon fuels in line with the projected UK national pathway up to 2030. This reduces emissions by the remaining 53%.



#### Step 1: Negative carbon developments

All development is located and designed to generate zero emissions from transport, and to potentially facilitate the removal of carbon from the wider transport network. This cancels out the emissions growth under the 'do nothing' scenario.

#### Step 3: Shift modes

Vehicle trips are reduced by switching modes to active and public transport, based on current UK best practice benchmarks. This reduces transport emissions by 6%.

Under the 'additional target', trips are further reduced through increased mode shift to active and public transport, based on more ambitious assumptions that exceed current UK benchmarks. This reduces transport emissions by a further 7%.

#### 2030 transport carbon budget under a 'do everything' scenario

An 80% reduction achieved, with a further 20% reduction needed to achieve net zero by 2050.

Source: RTPI Report "Net Zero Transport", January 2021



### **Barriers to EV uptake**

### Infrastructure

- Connectivity and availability of power, and cost of connection
- Procurement route to purchasing infrastructure
- Funding for delivery
- Streetscape

### Vehicles

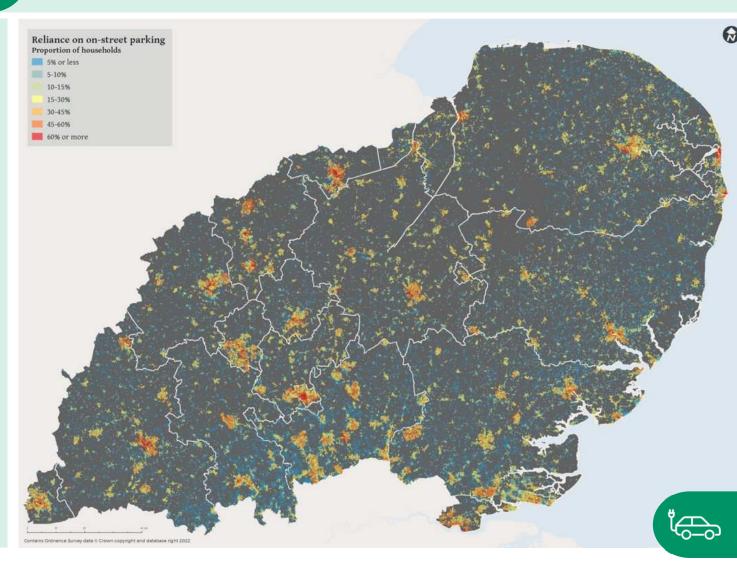
- Cost
- Infrastructure and range anxiety
- Equity
- Buses
- Freight



### What infrastructure is needed?

Example data: Reliance on on-street parking

- Most urban areas have large areas where 60% or more residents reliant on on-street parking
- Reliance on on-street currently very low in most rural areas
- There are **hotspots** in **historic markettowns** with limited footpath space
- Towns and cities face significant challenge in meeting on-street demand



# Future of EVs in the East What could be achieved?

# Emissions from all modes

2040 Baseline

2040 EV High

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