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Electric Vehicles: Can I Unplug Your Car?

Electric Vehicles, first produced in large quantities in the early 1990's, have made a comeback in the past few years, partially due to rising gas prices and concerns about emissions from gas vehicles. With the addition of Electric Vehicle's (EV's) into the marketplace, signage is needed on highways, in parking lots, and at the parking spots for EV's. Signage is necessary in order for drivers to recognize where charging stations are, how to reach the charging station once in the lot, and to discourage non-EV drivers from parking at charging stations. This presentation will look at signage for Electric Vehicle charging stations as well as some recommendations for uniform signage throughout the country as well as laws and enforcement of this signage. This presentation will conclude with a discussion of electric vehicle charging etiquette and the possibility of it being more efficient than law enforcement in terms of electric vehicle charging.