

TIPS FOR RENTING AND RIDING IN ELECTRIC CARS, SCOOTERS, AND TRUCKS

You do not need to buy an electric vehicle to experience one. You can rent or ride in one or participate in a car-share!

See the list below for opportunities to try out many types of vehicles in our region. Virtually all service providers now offer contact-less registrations – meaning you can register for use of the vehicle from your home, show up and drive it away. **Have fun!**

Service?	Who provides the service?	How and when to drive?	Good news and incentives?
Rent an electric car / truck (owned by anyone)	<p>Provider: Turo www.turo.com</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vehicle provided by a host in your community • Email vehicle host through Turo’s secure messaging • Phone provided for host after you book your rental 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rent anytime, but reserve ahead to ensure availability and to set up account • Go to website, click “sign up” to create account, then follow steps • Become an approved driver by providing email, photo, phone, driver's license, payment method 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There are often discounts for 3+ day rentals • Liability insurance and physical damage protection included in price, more insurance available • 24/7 roadside assistance available
Rent an electric car	<p>Several rental car companies rent EVs. Here are three:</p> <p>Provider: Enterprise www.enterprise.com</p> <p>Provider: Hertz www.hertz.com</p> <p>Provider: Avis www.avis.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rent anytime, but reserve ahead to ensure availability and to set up account • Go to website, click rent, select pick-up location, pick-up and return dates, vehicle type, check availability 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There are often deals and promotions with different providers • Most providers offer opportunities to earn points on rentals

<p>Rent EV scooter</p>	<p>Provider: Lime, Spin, Bolt, Razor & Bird</p> <p>Lime: https://v1.li.me/en/community-impact</p> <p>Spin: www.spin.app/spin-access</p> <p>Bolt: www.micromobility.com/bolt/portland</p> <p>Razor: www.razor.com/blog/razor-scooter-rides-into-portland/</p> <p>Bird: access@bird.co</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rent anytime, but reserve ahead to ensure availability • Each electric scooter provider has their own service fees, app, and availability • You can pick them up and drop them off just about anywhere, but best to do your research for each platform 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most offer a reduced fare if you qualify for financial assistance, you can get scootering discounts of 50% off regular prices • Scooters can be used to travel to the Max or Bus lines; this can also be helpful because it doesn't cost money to park the scooter • Bird & Lime offer discounts to eligible health care workers and emergency personnel. "Eligible riders will receive two free 30-minute rides per day."
<p>Get a taxi/ride in an EV</p>	<p>Provider: Lyft www.lyft.com</p> <p>App for Apple: https://apps.apple.com/us/app/lyft/id529379082</p> <p>App for Android: https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=me.lyft.android&hl=en_US</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rent anytime, reserve on-demand rides or schedule for future time • Free to create an account • Ability to get a fare estimate prior to booking • Expand the ride options to select "Green Mode" 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lyft has incorporated many modes of transportation through their App such as BIKETOWN bicycles, electric scooters, walking routes, public transit and more so users have more choice in the way they travel • Lyft has committed to 100% EVs on the ride-share platform by 2030 • Lyft has loyalty programs which include credit card and airline partnerships as well as monthly membership program called Lyft Pink which has additional perks

<p>Get a taxi/ride in an EV</p>	<p>Provider: Uber www.uber.com</p> <p>App for Apple: https://apps.apple.com/us/app/uber-request-a-ride/id368677368</p> <p>App for Android: https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.ubercab&hl=en&gl=US</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rent anytime, reserve on-demand rides or schedule for future time • Free to create an account • Ability to get a fare estimate prior to booking • For a dollar extra, riders can specifically request a hybrid or electric vehicle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uber has committed to 100% EVs on the ride-share platform by 2030
<p>Participate in an EV car-share</p>	<p>Provider: Envoy www.envoythere.com</p> <p>(888) 610-0506 Email: info@envoythere.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Envoy is a community-based car share platform, providing on-demand electric vehicles as an amenity for apartments, hotels, and workplaces. Envoy vehicles are conveniently located on property with a dedicated parking space and charger and can be reserved instantly or in advance through Envoy There app 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • With many federal, state and utility incentives, Envoy may be able to provide charging equipment for free to charge the EVs on premise

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