

# BENTLY ENTERPRISES

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Minden Town Board – October 2017 Meeting

Request to add EV Charging Station on 4<sup>th</sup> Street

# BACKGROUND

- In 2014 Bently was granted an encroachment permit to install an EV (Electric Vehicle) charging station in the public right of way on 4<sup>th</sup> Street.
  - Bently has agreement with NV Energy to provide free public charging for 5 years (through 2019). The encroachment permit runs concurrently with the agreement.
  - Currently we have a single Tesla charger and a single universal (J1772) charger that is connected to the ChargePoint network.
  - We are proposing to upgrade the universal charger and add a third parking space to relocate the Tesla charger through a new encroachment permit.
  - There is no legal penalty for non-EV parking but the use is generally respected by drivers.
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# EQUIPMENT

Current



Proposed



# PROPOSED NEW STATION

Tesla (stand alone unit)



Location



# BENEFITS

- Station open to the public 24/7
- Free to use
- Bently pays for all maintenance and electricity
- Networked station shows up on charging maps and gives travelers a reason to stop in downtown Minden. Typical stay 2 – 4 hours.
- Asking for Town Board approval to request a new encroachment permit.

QUESTIONS?

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