

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 361

BY WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLE FEES; AMENDING SECTION 49-457, IDAHO CODE, TO
INCREASE THE ELECTRIC VEHICLE FEE.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. That Section 49-457, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby
amended to read as follows:

49-457. ELECTRIC VEHICLE FEE -- PLUG-IN HYBRID VEHICLE FEE. (1) An
electric vehicle fee of ~~one hundred forty~~ three hundred dollars (~~\$14300~~)
shall be collected in addition to all other registration fees assessed pur-
suant to this chapter on each electric vehicle registered. Instead of the
three-hundred-dollar (\$300) fee established in this section, the owner of an
electric vehicle may elect to pay a per-mile charge of two and one-half cents
(2.5¢) per mile driven. An owner electing to pay the per-mile charge shall be
required to report mileage annually to the Idaho transportation department
at a branch office of the department of motor vehicles. Provided however,
the provisions of this subsection shall not apply to neighborhood electric
vehicles as defined in sections 49-115 and 49-123, Idaho Code.

(2) A plug-in hybrid vehicle fee of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) shall
be collected in addition to all other registration fees assessed pursuant to
this chapter on each plug-in hybrid vehicle registered.

(3) All fees provided for in this section shall be deposited to the
highway distribution account as established in section 40-701, Idaho Code,
and shall be apportioned as provided for in that section.

(4) For purposes of this chapter, "electric vehicle" means a vehicle
powered only by a form of electricity and "plug-in hybrid vehicle" means a
motor vehicle with a hybrid propulsion system that operates on both elec-
tricity obtained from the grid and traditional fuel.