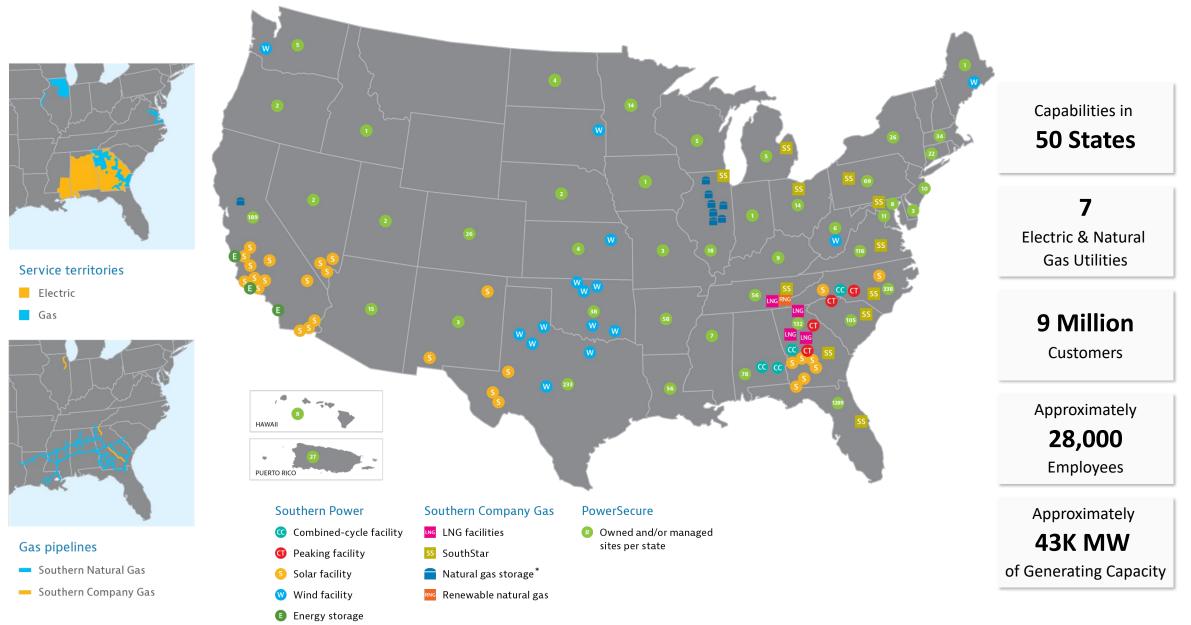


#### We provide clean, safe, reliable, affordable energy and customized solutions



<sup>\*</sup> In September 2022, certain affiliates of Southern Company Gas entered into an agreement to sell the natural gas storage facility located in California.

Our Purpose

Why Clean Transportation at Southern Company?

#### **Advance**

Increase access to charging stations
Strengthen the electric grid
Grant support

#### Advise

Site selection recommendations
Fleet transition to clean transportation
Create feasible pricing structures
Provide rebates

#### Advocate

Influence policy
Use media to increase awareness
Collaborate with Department of Energy
Increase trade opportunities



#### Rebates



### **Business EV Charger Rebate**

#### **New and Business Customers**

- Charger rebates (\$500 for each L2 charger 240V circuit)
- Applies to all GPC business customers for workplace and customer charging
- Intended for use when installing up to 5 chargers\*

Visit www.georgiapower/businessetrebates.com

(\* it may be more cost effective to install more chargers and utilize the Make Ready Program)



### Residential EV Charger Rebate

#### **New and Existing Customers**

- Charger rebates
- \$250 for L2 chargers on 240V circuit
- Instant rebates on Georgia Power Marketplace

#### **Builder Rebates for PEV-Ready Homes**

- \$100 for builder installing 240V garage outlet
- Also eligible for \$250 for installing L2 charger

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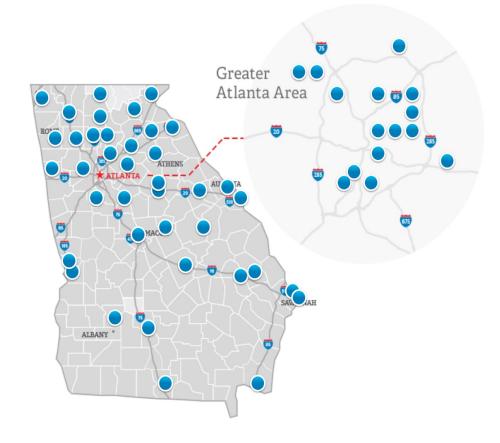
#### Georgia Power Community Charging Program

2019 Rate Case Order Funding: \$2M/year for 2020-2022

2022 Rate Case Outcome: \$3M/year for 2023-2025

# 62 GPC-owned Fast Charging Stations

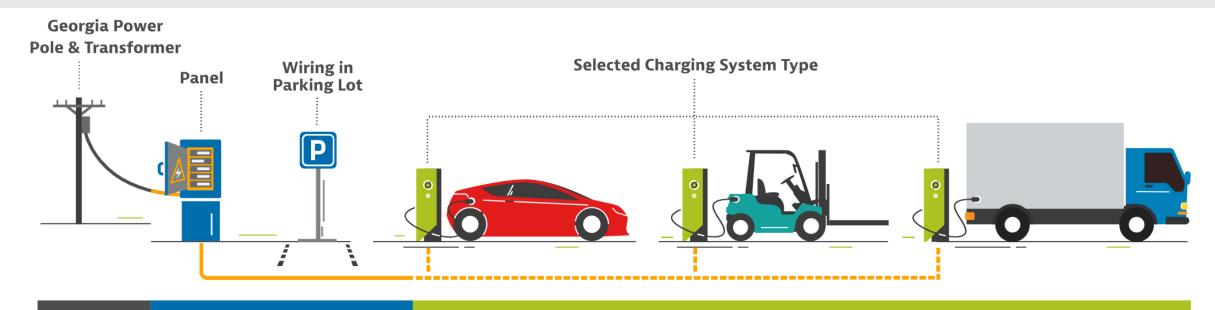
- Focus on rural & underserved areas
- Part of larger public charging network of 3,900+ chargers statewide (<3% of GA market)</li>





#### Georgia Power Make Ready Program

2019 Rate Case Order Funding: \$6M/year for 2020-2022 2022 Rate Case Outcome: ~\$17.5M/year for 2023-2025



Georgia Power owned Make Ready infrastructure Program participant selects and purchases charging equipment

- Includes conduit, wiring and associated infrastructure on utility side of meter (from transformer on pole to host site) and customer side
- **Does not include** charging equipment
- All customers eligible (except single-family homes)
- All technologies eligible (on-road, off-road)

### Unlocking the ET Value Chain

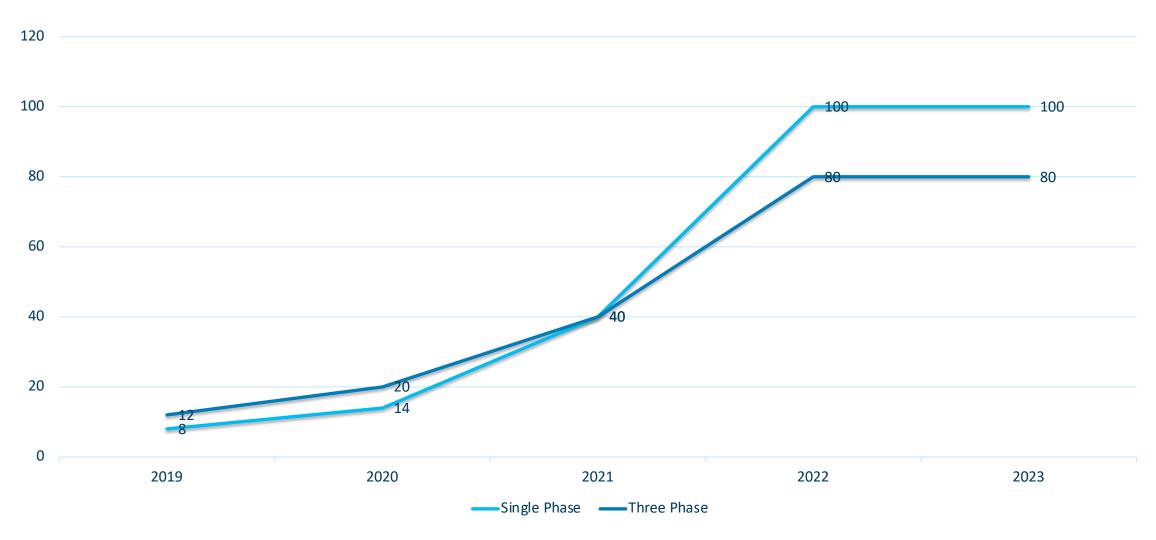
V1G

Increasing complexity and perceived (customer + utility) value

V2G

	Off-Peak Charging Rebate	Time-of-Use Rate	Demand Response	Vehicle-to- Building (V2H/B)	Vehicle-to-Grid Services (V2G)
Capabilities Included	Incentives for EV owners to charge during off-peak times	Energy priced based on time of day, day in wee/season; allowing EVs to charge when forecasted rates are low	Incentives to reduce EV charging during periods of high load demand or stress on the grid, such as a summer heat wave.	EV serves as a generator, providing safe, emission-free energy storage (as backup or peak demand)	EVs serve as a grid resource, through means like energy arbitrage, capacity & demand response, or ancillary services
Enhancement			Real-Time Pricing, VGI Rates, and other dynamic rate structures		
Enablement					Software algorithms used to balance energy demand from multiple charges at one location

#### Transformer Lead Time Change in Weeks



Industry-wide lead times increased over 400% between 2020 and 2023

#### Specific Georgia Power/Southern Company Relief Efforts

- Weekly calls with all manufacturers to discuss concerns and prioritize shipments
- Actively engaging with additional manufacturers to source excess capacity
- Contracted 3<sup>rd</sup> party provider to refurbish any remaining transformers
- Idle Transformer program kicked off

#### Enabling electrification means:

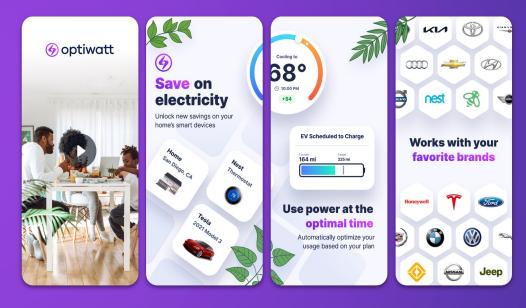
- ✓ Delivering the right amount of energy at the right time
- ✓ Setting appropriate price signals (rates) that encourage optimal charging and recover costs
- ✓ Proactive upgrade of utility infrastructure to ensure availability and capacity of system to serve
- ✓ Building codes that enable EV charging in all new construction



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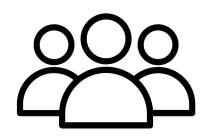
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### Challenges with the EV Customer Experience

The EV Smart Energy Ecosystem, Options, and Solutions are becoming increasingly complex





Low trust in utilities as a transportation fuel supplier



- Minimal EV solution integration with utility rates
- Limited EVs and broader devices communication or coordination
- EV rates, DR programs, utility programs are increasing in volume and complexity



#### **Opportunities** for the EV Customer Experience

A solution that enables customers to...

#### Connect

Any EV, EVSE, or Device

#### Integrate

Utility Rates & Programs

#### **Understand**

Costs, Forecasts, Savings

#### **Optimize**

To Customer & Utility Objectives

1

### Personalized

To customers' goals, EV / DER, schedules and needs

2

### **Easy**

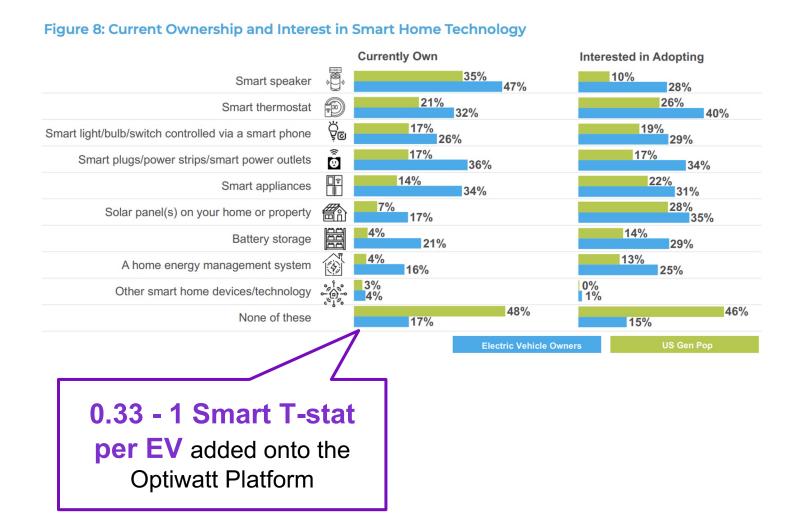
< 3 minute enrollment process with no hardware

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### **Automated**

Enables customers to 'set it and forget it' and track savings

# **Correlation Between EV and Smart Home Technology Adoption -** *SECC + Optiwatt Data*



EV owners are more interested in smart home technology than the General US Population

Source: SECC "Electric Vehicles: Driving the Customer Experience" January 26, 2022

# Optiwatt

#### A free, personalized, EV and home energy management platform



Value Streams: Money

**Utility Rate-Optimized Managed Charging** 

2. Better Manage

Set preferences, schedule & set trips

3. Better Understand

Charging cost data, insights & forecasts

4. Reduce Impact

Optimized Managed Charging

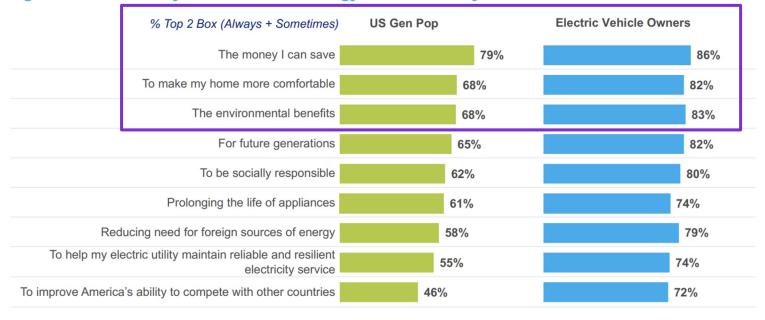
Carbon-

A new value proposition, channel, and solution with 70,000+ EVs

### **Top Value Streams for EV Customers** SECC + Optiwatt Data







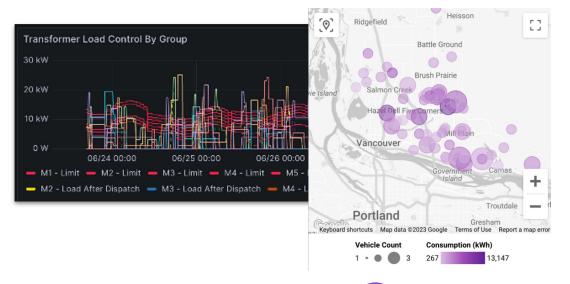
Similar to Optiwatt Customers' Ranked Value Propositions for EV Managed Charging

- 1. Save Money
- 2. Convenience
- 3. Environmental Impact
- 4. Support the Local Grid

### **EV-Managed Charging Solution for Utilities**



- Comprehensive DR capabilities
- Real-time EV Data & Insights
- Turnkey Program Delivery, OR
- Just EV Capacity



# Scale

### **Cost-Effective**

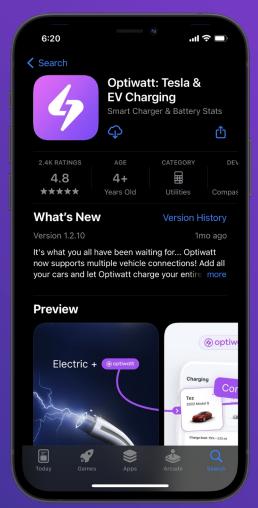
- Hundreds to Thousands of EVs Pre-enrolled on Day 1
- Enroll Up-to-40-50% of EVs in 9-12 mo. with focused marketing
- No Incentives Required
- "Free" Add-on Devices
- Performance-Based Fee Structures

# Integrated

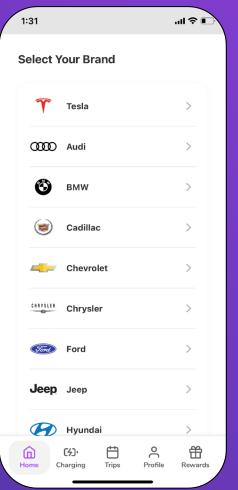
- 66+ EV Makes & Models +
   Leading EVSEs
- Any Dynamic Grid Signals
  Wholesale Pricing, DR, Carbon, Transformer,
  Emergency, etc.

#### ~2 mins to Connect EV(s), Utility, Rate & Enroll in a Program

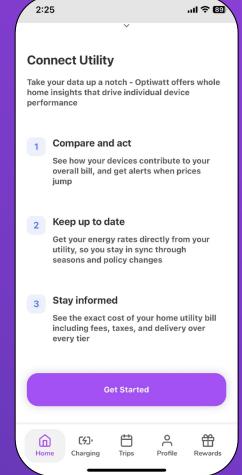
### Create an Account



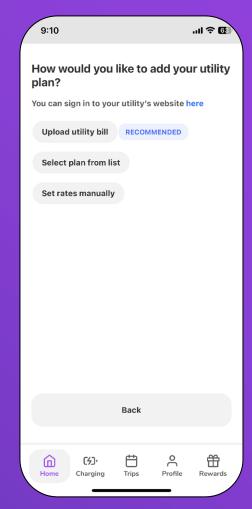
### Connect your EV



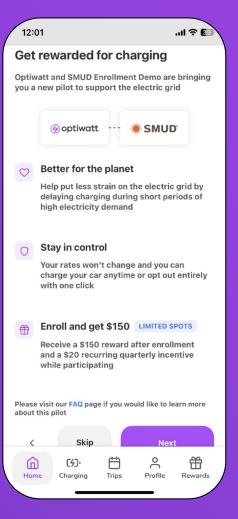
# Connect your Utility



## Connect your Rate

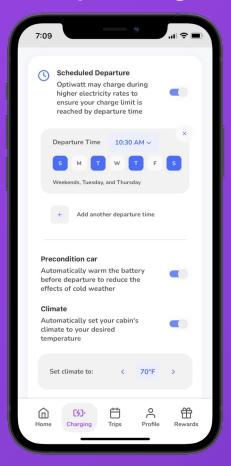


# Enroll in a Program

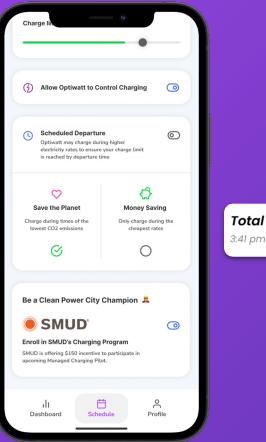


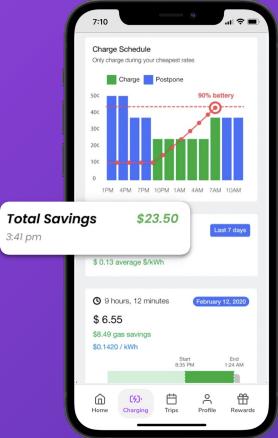
#### Make Managed Charging Personalized, Easy & Convenient

### Custom departure & trip settings



Managed Charging Optimized to customers' TOU rate, carbon goals, and/or DR programs





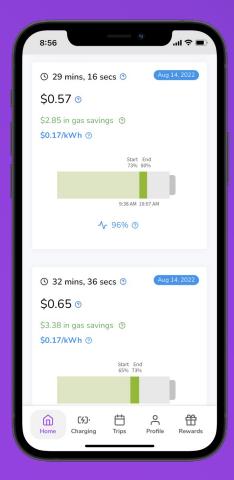
Personalized Communications



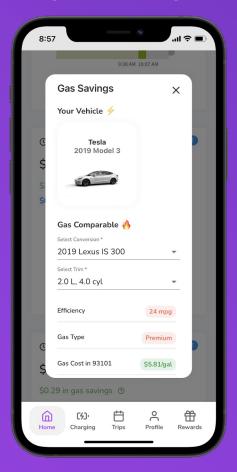
... driving program engagement, participation, and stickiness

#### Provide Robust Charging, Cost & Carbon Feedback

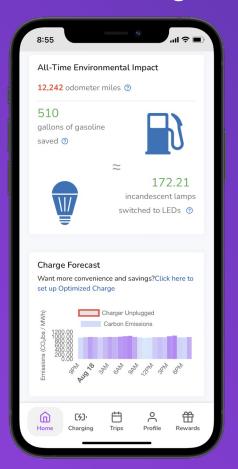
Granular charging costs feedback



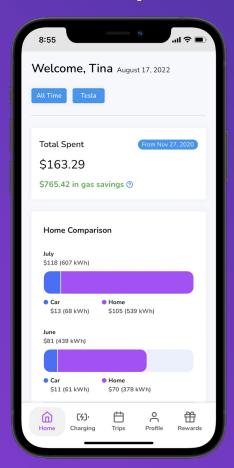
Exact personalized gas savings



Predictive charge forecasting



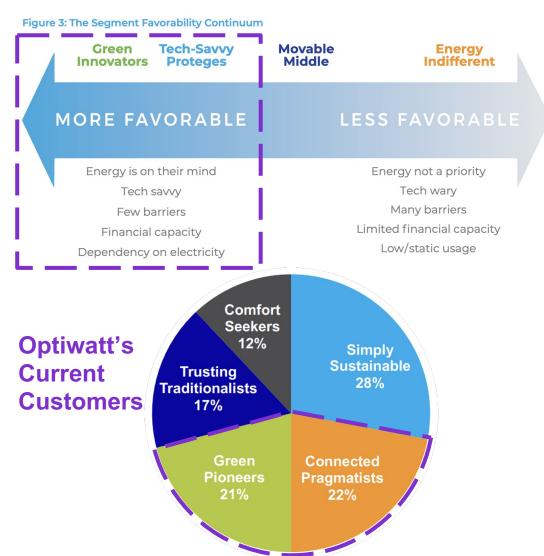
Meter data for home comparison



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### Our Next Challenge:

### Moving from Early Adopters to Early Majority



More Multi-DER Customer
Experiences & Load Management

Integration with Utility Billing

Deeper Integrations with and Distribution Through OEMs

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