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Mr. Walter Antkiewicz 949 Putnam Boulevard Wallingford, PA 19086

Dear Mr. Antkiewicz:

Thank you for your recent email regarding your interest in installing electric vehicle charging stations at reserved parking spaces for members of the Putnam Village Condominium Association. I recognize that the demand for electric vehicle charging stations is increasing and appreciate you reaching out to me for assistance.

In Pennsylvania, House Bill 481 addresses the installation of electric vehicle charging stations by requiring that they be included in the construction of new nonresidential buildings. This legislation is awaiting consideration in the House Labor and Industry Committee. In addition, House Bill 1565 would, in part, allocate funds generated from our state's participation in the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative to expand the use of electric vehicles and provide for related infrastructure, such as charging stations. This legislation, of which I am a co-sponsor, awaits consideration in the House Environmental Resources and Energy Committee.

Although Pennsylvania has not enacted laws like those you referenced in New Jersey and New York, you may be interested to know that our state does offer programs to assist nonprofit organizations with the installation of electric vehicle charging stations. The Level 2 EV
Charging Rebate Program offers rebates of up to 50% of the total cost or \$3,500 per plug (whichever is less) for the acquisition, installation, operation, and maintenance of Level 2 electric vehicle charging stations at multi-unit dwellings. In addition, under the Alternative Fuels Incentive Grant Program, incorporated nonprofit entities are eligible for grants that can be used for the installation of electric vehicle charging stations.

Making electric vehicle chargers available is an important part of investing in cleaner energy, allowing us to live up to our promise to build a better future for everyone. That is why, as a member of the House Environmental Resources and Energy Committee and the General Assembly's Climate Caucus, I will continue to advocate for policies aimed at reducing greenhouse gas emissions and, in relation, promoting clean energy and the use of electric vehicles.

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Once again, thank you for your email. If I may be of further assistance on this or any other matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Leanne Krueger State Representative 161st Legislative District

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