

Thame Drive Electric



What if I can't charge at home?

Across UK, about 30% of homes don't have off-street parking There are 16,000 public charging locations & 500 are added every month This is twice as many charger locations as there are petrol stations.

Make Use of Public Charging points:

You don't need to charge every day, so plan when it's convenient to use:

- Chargers at Supermarkets, Pubs, Leisure Centres, Stations & Car Parks
- Locate your nearest Rapid and Ultra-Rapid chargers and Charging Hubs
- There are new and faster chargers coming on stream every week
- Thame Green Living is working to get public chargers in Thame
- Currently we have Rapid chargers at Postcombe, Aylesbury & M40 services

Charge Overnight in secure local car parks:

Oxfordshire County Council is rolling out its "Park & Charge" scheme.

- banks of Fast chargers are being installed in car parks across the county
- they offer regular charging during the day, and provide 'overnight' charging
- these car parks have good lighting and security cameras
- it would be great if Thame could be one of the P&C locations

Charge at Work:

Workplace chargers for staff and visitors are becoming more common.

- ask your company to provide this facility
- government grants are available

Charge in your local street:

These options are being trialled across GB:

- charging from local lamp posts
- 'pop up' chargers in the pavement
- having a 'channel' in the pavement so you can run a cable from your home

FIND LOCAL CHARGERS:

There are good, free Apps that show locations and status of chargers, eg:



Charge at a neighbour's home, using the CoCharger App (or similar):

This App organises the booking and payment

See:https://co-charger.com

- it just needs someone local willing to share their off-road charger
- this App manages the practicalities including the payment for the energy
- all charging sessions are documented
- the home owner can make a reasonable return for providing the service