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The proposal is based on an investment case carried out by Energy Saving Trust in 2018 which was approved by the <u>Transport and Environment Committee in October</u> 2018.

Electric vehicle chargers support the Council's ambition to be net zero by 2030 and directly support the <u>City Mobility Plan</u>, both the objective to 'Reduce harmful emissions from road transport' and the Cleaner Vehicles policy to 'Encourage the switch to cleaner vehicles by supporting the growth of electric vehicle infrastructure, including the development of a citywide charging network, and monitoring progress in other low and zero emission technologies'.

The Council has been awarded funding of £147,760 from the Office for Low Emission Vehicles (OZEV) and a further £47,909 from Transport Scotland under the On-Street Residential Chargepoint Scheme to increase the availability of on-street EV Charge Places in residential areas where off-street parking is not available.