

TEGG Contractors, ABM Electrical Power Solutions, team up for Volkswagen's EV Charging Stations

A trio of <u>TEGG</u> contractors teamed up with <u>ABM Electrical</u> <u>Power Solutions</u> to help more than 80 Canadian <u>Volkswagen</u> dealerships install the infrastructure and equipment needed to power its newest electric car, the 2017 e-Golf.

ABM Electrical Power Solutions teamed up with <u>Kroon</u>
<u>Electrical Corporation</u>, <u>Smith and Long Limited</u>, and <u>Action</u>
<u>Electrical</u>, <u>Ltd.</u>, to survey the dealership sites and provide electrical installation quotes.



Once the dealerships had the quotes and surveys completed, ABM Electrical Power Solutions provided engineering and design services, developed an equipment list and

provided quotes for turnkey installations, said Van Wilkins, National Accounts Manager for ABM Electrical Power Solutions.

Volkswagen plans to release the fully electric e-Golf in Canada in June, 2017. In order to prepare dealerships for the vehicles' release, Volkswagen dealerships needed to install the infrastructure to accommodate EV Charging stations to properly prepare, service and sell the vehicles.

The turnkey installation package included the installation of the EV chargers, parking space striping, signage, and protective bollards and parking blocks, Wilkins added.

Wilkins applauded the collaborative nature of the project.

"The interaction with these teams is a great example of how we all win together," he said.

Audrey Lowther, Principal at Kroon Electric Corporation, said the collaboration ended up being fruitful for everyone involved.

"By being positive, engaging everyone, and holding hands every step of the way, we are all coming out winners," Lowther said. "The client wins, ABM wins and the TEGG contractors win."

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