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## **Mayor Libby Schaaf Welcomes AltCar Expo Green Car & Energy Show to Oakland**

**Oakland, CA** – Today, Oakland Mayor Libby Schaaf welcomes AltCar Expo, the nation’s leading forum for green car ride and drive, public education and demonstration of the latest green technology vehicles, to Oakland City Hall.

**AltCar Expo** is presenting the most extensive array of green vehicles in one place, including: electric, hybrid electric, hydrogen, natural gas, propane and bio-diesel vehicles. Most are available to test drive and many may even be purchased during the Expo. The event will feature vehicle debuts, lectures and demonstration opportunities.

“We are pleased to host AltCar Expo in Oakland,” said Mayor Libby Schaaf. “Creating sustainable transportation is something we’ve made great progress on, and we look forward to more advances in the years to come as the state launches new infrastructure, which will help people fuel vehicles with cleaner solutions for the environment.”

The vehicle and booth display areas are open to the public from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. in Frank H. Ogawa Plaza.

**12:00 p.m. Welcome by Oakland Mayor Libby Schaaf**

**12:15 p.m. A “Tough” Look at Funding**

A panel discussion moderated by Richard Battersby, Equipment Manager for the City of Oakland and Director of the East Bay Clean Cities Coalition, featuring the Air Resources Board, Bay Area Air Quality Management District, the Bay Area Climate Collaborative and the California Energy Commission.

The **AltCar Conference** is co-presented by City of Oakland Public Works and East Bay Clean Cities. Event partners include: Honda, Nissan, Mercedes-Benz, Smart, San Francisco Clean Cities, Silicon Valley Clean Cities, Breathe California, Association of Bay Area Governments and the Transportation Sustainability Research Center at UC Berkeley.

For further information on AltCar, visit <http://altcarexponorcal.com/> or call (310) 390-2930.

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