

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **Traveling to Portugal in an Electric Vehicle Just Got Easier and Safer with Zunder**

- **With the Zunder app and the new eZCard, you can charge across Portugal's entire network of electric stations without needing to download additional apps.**
- **Zunder is not only expanding its charging network in the Iberian Peninsula but is also beginning to deploy its own stations in Portugal to boost electric mobility.**
- **You can travel across the Iberian Peninsula (and all of Europe) using only the Zunder app or the new eZCard, activating thousands of chargers thanks to interoperability.**

Thanks to Zunder, electric vehicle users can now travel across Portugal effortlessly without the need to download new apps or purchase payment cards exclusive to the Portuguese charging network. With the Zunder app, it will be much easier to travel throughout the Iberian Peninsula and Europe using a single application and selected payment method, reducing the hassle of unfamiliar systems in different countries. Additionally, the new eZCard can be used at all charging stations in Portugal, allowing for comfortable, direct, and secure vehicle charging simply by tapping the card on the charger's reader, without needing any apps. At Zunder, we make electric mobility easier.

In Portugal, all public chargers are managed through a single platform called Mobi.e. This setup means that drivers visiting the country who are unfamiliar with the system and do not have the authorized apps or payment methods for the Portuguese network might face difficulties adapting their charging and payment procedures, potentially making the charging experience less smooth. By integrating the Zunder app with the Mobi.e system, users will have access to all public chargers in Portugal without having to alter their usual charging process with the Zunder app or eZCard.

#### **Advantages of Using the Zunder App in Portugal**

Until now, the Portuguese model required electric vehicle users to download new apps different from those used in Spain, creating new profiles and adding new payment methods just to travel in Portugal. Alternatively, users had to arrange for traditional payment methods, such as specific payment cards for certain Portuguese operators. These inconveniences could lead to problems and errors for users unfamiliar with the system.

Now, with Zunder, electric vehicle drivers traveling to Portugal or other European countries no longer need to change their charging methods and can enjoy the following advantages:

- **Access the European charging network, including Portugal, with the Zunder app.** No need to download additional apps. One app gives you access to

the entire network of charging stations in Portugal and makes it easy to manage your payments. More info at <https://www.zunder.com/app-landing>.

- **Use your payment methods more comfortably and securely.** With the Zunder app, you only need to use it as you do in Spain—simple.
- **Enhance your charging experience with the eZCard.** The eZCard allows you to charge your vehicle without needing multiple apps and is compatible with the Zunder network and thousands of other stations across Europe. No need to carry the app or your phone. Just arrive, charge, and go.
- **Increased security for your payment systems.** With Zunder, your charging information and payment methods are always protected. And if you use the eZCard, you'll receive alerts every time it is used.\*

## **Zunder Expands Its Network and Services for Electric Vehicle Users in Europe**

Zunder continues to open new stations across Europe to expand its ultra-fast charging network and enhance the electric vehicle experience, with over 700 operational charging points in Spain and France. Thanks to a recent financing agreement with Banco Santander, which includes a green loan of €225 million, Zunder's international expansion plan is further solidified, including the opening of new stations in Portugal, which will join those already operational in the country.

The Zunder network is designed to improve and simplify the customer experience through the Zunder app, available in the App Stores, as well as via Apple Car Play and Android Auto. It is also accessible from the Apple Watch, allowing real-time charging progress tracking, or through RFID systems like the key fob or the new eZCard. Payment can also be made via credit card and POS terminals.

\*The eZCard can be purchased through the Zunder app or at [www.zunder.com/ezcard](http://www.zunder.com/ezcard).