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## Livin' in the Blurbs: News You Can Use



And in news you can literally get a charge out of, longtime downtown resto **Southpark** has put in a charging station for electric vehicles in their parking garage next door. It might be a smart business move, since both Nissan and Mitsubishi

have chosen Portland as a test market for their new line of electric vehicles. "Electric vehicles have hit home in Portland and we support and applaud these efforts," said Southpark General Manager Karin Devencenzi. "Our new charging station allows electric car owners to free their mind from any 'range anxiety' associated with battery usage, while having access to Portland's city center."

**Details:** Southpark Seafood Grill, 901 SW Salmon St.; 503-326-1300.  
Southpark Garage, 914 SW Taylor St.; 503-228-6758.