

**BERRY HALL COTTAGES ELECTRICAL VEHICLE CHARGING POLICY**

**Effective from 9<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

## **Electrical Vehicle Charging Policy**

### **1. About this policy**

- 1.1 This policy sets out how Electric Vehicles (EV) should be recharged while at the Property and the responsibilities of EV owners in respect of safe charging.
- 1.2 Any reference to "Property" in this policy is a reference to the Property including any garden, grounds, outbuildings, garages or communal spaces.
- 1.3 This policy forms part of our contract with you. A breach of this policy will constitute a breach of the contract between us.

### **2. Who does this policy apply to?**

- 2.1 This policy applies to all members of the Booking Party and such other visitors of the Property. It shall be the responsibility of the Lead Guest to inform all members of the Booking Party and any visitors of this policy.

### **3. What is an Electric Vehicle?**

- 3.1 For the purpose of this policy an EV is any vehicle that uses electric motors, either fully or partially, to drive its wheels. It will derive some or all its power from rechargeable batteries which requires connection to the electricity grid (plug-in). This includes fully chargeable and plug-in hybrid cars, motorbikes, buggies, scooters, mopeds, bicycles, utility vehicles and tracked vehicles.

### **4. Domestic chargers are not permitted at the Property**

- 4.1 Most EVs are supplied with a domestic charger, commonly known as a 'granny charger' or a 'trickle charger'. These cables recharge the EV using a domestic power source via a 3-pin wall socket.
- 4.2 Domestic chargers are not suitable for use in the Property and will create a fire hazard. **The use of domestic chargers is strictly forbidden.**

- 4.3 We retain the right to carry out reasonable inspection, on a without notice basis, to ensure that granny chargers are not in use in the Property.
- 4.4 You are solely liable for any damage or loss suffered by us as a result of your unauthorised use of domestic chargers.
- 4.5 We do not have on-site charging facilities at the Property and you must make

your own arrangements for EV charging. The closest charge points to the property

1. Rhossili National Trust Car Park
2. Oxwich Beach Car Park
3. Gower Heritage Centre Parkmill