# freedom CAR & vehicle technologies program

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## **HEV Fleet Testing**

**Advanced Vehicle Testing Activities** 



### 2002 Toyota Prius

VIN # JT2BK18U520038836

# FreedomCAR

Less dependence
on Foreign oil,
and eventual
transition to an
emissions-free,
petroleum-free
vehicle

#### Fleet Performance

#### **Description:**

This vehicle was assigned to an Electric Transportation Applications employee (in Phoenix, AZ) to accumulate mileage in home-to-work and local business travel missions, as well as a planned urban route as necessary to achieve monthly mileage objectives. Mileage accumulated in highway travel was less than 20% of the total miles driven.

#### **Major Operations & Maintenance Events:**

Rack and pinion replaced @ 25,000 and again @32,000 miles

Cost: under warranty

#### **Operating Cost:**

Purchase Cost: \$23,255 (11/01)\* Kelly Used Vehicle Price: \$16,825 (2/03)

Sale Price: \$16,000 (4/03) Maintenance Cost: \$0.01/mile Operating Cost: \$0.13/mile Total Ownership Cost: \$0.55/mile

#### **Operating Performance:**

Total miles driven: 17,490 Cumulative MPG: 41.81

\* Purchase includes dealer price with options plus taxes. It does not include title, license, registration, extended warranty or delivery fee costs. Gas figured at \$1.80/gallon.

### **Vehicle Specifications**

Engine: 4-cylinder, 52 kW @ 4000 rpm

Electric Motor: 33 kW
Battery: Nickel Metal Hydride
Seatbelt Positions: Five

Payload: 865 lbs

Features: Regenerative Braking
CVT Transmission

See HEVAmerica Baseline Performance Fact Sheet for more information.



