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GARAGE TRANSFORMATION COMPANY PARTNERS WITH VOLVO CAR USA ON RECHARGE GARAGE

Garage Living Creates Functional Space with Sustainability at the forefront of the Design

After almost a year of meticulous planning, Garage Living, the premium garage transformation company in the US and Canada, and Volvo Car USA brought their shared vision of creating a garage that supports a more sustainable future to life.

The companies connected in early 2021 with the objective of designing and building out a multi-purpose ReCharge Garage in California. This culminated in Garage Living fully making over the garage of a \$5.8M single-family residence located at 2465 Winter



Recharge Garage in Palm Springs, California

Sun Drive, currently listed for sale by Compass agent Marc Sanders in Palm Springs, California. This garage was then spotlighted at Volvo Car USA's Recharge Drive event featuring the fully electric Volvo C40 Recharge vehicle.

Garage Living is the industry leader in custom garage transformations. From creating an organized place for cars, bikes, and trucks, to re-imagining the garage into a home gym or additional space to entertain, Garage Living helps clients remodel their garages based on their needs. Following the initial consultation, on-site visit, and product selection, the transformation itself typically takes only two to four days to install.



ReCharge Designer Series

"The demand for electric vehicle adapted garages continues to grow," says Aaron Cash, President and Co-Founder of Garage Living. "Approximately 40% of our design consultations on existing garages and virtually 100% of new build garages now factor in an EV."

Volvo's Recharge Garage, was based off Garage Living's Designer Series of the same name, supporting sustainability and versatility to match the lifestyle of electric vehicle owners.

"As Volvo continues its electrification journey, the advancement and accessibility of home charging is critical to driving continued adoption of EVs," said Anders Gustafsson, Sr. Vice President Americas and President and CEO, Volvo Car USA. "The Recharge Garage concept provides a glimpse into a future where electric cars will reshape our lives for the better, whether on the road or at home."

The Recharge garage design complements the architecture of the house, the surrounding desert landscape and Volvo's Scandinavian aesthetic, with features including:

- Two Volvo-branded electric-vehicle chargers inside the garage with a third in the car port
- Vertical slatwall made in North America with up to 10% recycled PVC
- Slate colored Floortex[™] floor coating with a 15-year warranty in California
- Fully customized, North American-made cabinetry with under-cabinet lighting
- Clever storage solutions including space for golf clubs, tennis racquets and an electric scooter
- Flexible work-from-home space formed from a maple counter with a built-in desk, as well as a separate folding leg table to provide extra counter surface
- An entertainment center with a 75" state-of-the-art smart TV and Bowers & Wilkins speakers

"Garage Living extends the home's usable living space and creates a clean, welcoming entry for homeowners, allowing them to park their vehicles in style," says Marc Sanders, Compass real estate agent representing 2465 Winter Sun Drive. "Through their workmanship and attention to detail, Garage Living turns this often-overlooked space into a multi-purpose room that completes the home."

Garage Living Palm Springs designed and built out the Recharge Garage. The showroom, which is located at 78595 CA-111, Suite 100 in La Quinta, services a selection of areas, including Coachella Valley, Riverside County, Orange County and San Diego County. For more information about Garage Living Palm Springs, please click here.

ABOUT GARAGE LIVING

Founded in 2005, Garage Living® is a premium garage transformation company headquartered in Canada. With 36 franchises across North America, each location offers clients turn-key garage transformations managed by professionally trained designers, installers, and service personnel. Each project is designed to the client's specific needs with the end goal of creating functional, clean spaces that can be used year-round. For more information, please visit garageliving.com.