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Sonoma Clean Power Local Resource Plan Cover Sheet

- 1. Developer Name:
- 2. Project Name:
- **3.** Project Location (include latitude and longitude):
- 4. Project Capacity Size:
- **5.** Technology Type:
- 6. Energy Price per MWh:
- **7.** Capacity Price per kW-month (if applicable for storage):
- 8. There have been several recent news articles about potential federal legislation of an Investment Tax Credit (ITC) becoming available for standalone energy storage projects. We acknowledge this is only about a potential ITC, but we anticipate that should your project be selected for contract negotiations we would want to incorporate this potential into the agreement. SCP would like to request from you an alternative pricing for your offer submitted, assuming a 30% ITC becomes available and your offered energy storage project is eligible to receive it. See links below.
 - i. Information regarding potential ITC for standalone storage:

 https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fpv-magazineusa.com%2f2021%2f03%2f09%2flawmakers-propose-energy-storage-system-taxincentive%2f&c=E,1, i5q4xglXUNxea wYJLqc3YxGLZRmi00pBTyhzEDTaMHEi5az0IkUXK
 alHaGUQ-MCIKijbZa3hM-
 - FgPgEtmjpx7hmQrnRrZwxMpBuihXH1LqTaKOvDJmb1husN6B&typo=1
 - ii. Thompson bill:
 - https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/848/text
- 9. Who on your staff or consultant basis will be managing your interconnection agreement process with the transmission company? Could you explain their expertise and past experience in working with the transmission company? Could you explain a specific event that your company or this individual(s) has experienced an unexpected delay by the transmission company, how that event was handled and how you were able to escalate the situation. Was the outcome favorable to the developer or was the project delayed?
- 10. Who on your staff or consultant basis will be managing your new resources becoming registered through the CAISO process? Could you explain their expertise and past experience in working with the CAISO. Who specifically have you worked with at the CAISO on past projects? Could you provide an example of a specific event(s) that your company or this subject matter expert has experienced unexpected delays by the CAISO and how that

- event was handled? How did you escalate the situation? Was the outcome favorable to the developer or was the project delayed or terminated?
- **11.** Please identify the necessary permits, including land use entitlement permit (e.g., Conditional Use Permit (CUP), Application for Certification (AFC), Record of Decision (ROD)) from lead land use permitting agency and all discretionary permits from other lead, trustee and/or responsible agencies including wildlife agencies.
- **12.** Please describe the status of all permits, including planned efforts to obtain these permits, the status of discussions with state and federal wildlife agencies, and any recommendations regarding permits from those agencies.
- **13.** Please state whether the project may impact any federal, state, local or other conservation designations or planning effort, and if yes, what they are.
- **14.** Please describe any onsite efforts that the project has made to avoid impacts to protected areas, habitats and habitat linkages (especially for threatened and endangered species) and open space in urbanized areas.
- **15.** "Multi-benefit energy projects" provide additional societal, health, economic, water saving, or environmental benefits beyond the climate and GHG reduction benefits of renewable energy. Please describe any additional benefit(s) that your project demonstrates.
- **16.** Please describe the type of materials used for the project equipment, and whether there are any toxic materials used.
- **17.** Please describe how such materials will be safely disposed of or recycled at the end of the project's life, including any decommissioning plans and plans for disposal of equipment at the end of the project's life.
- 18. Please confirm that this proposal for storage facilities does not rely on equipment or resources built with forced labor. Consistent with the business advisory jointly issued by the U.S. Departments of State, Treasury, Commerce and Homeland Security on July 1, 2020, equipment or resources sourced from the Xinjiang region of China are presumed to involve forced labor.
- 19. Where is your company located?
- **20.** Does your organization typically utilize or require your prime contractor to utilize multi-trade project labor agreements?
- 21. Does your organization typically utilize community benefit agreements?
- 22. Will you be using workforce resources from Sonoma and/or Mendocino County?
- **23.** Has your project secured, or does it plan to secure multi-trade project labor or community benefit agreement? If so, which trades are / will be party to the agreement?
- **24.** Will the workforce for this project be paid prevailing hourly wages?
- **25.** For this project, do you plan to support and use State of California approved apprenticeship programs and / or graduates of local pre-apprenticeship programs?
- **26.** Please list the projected number of new jobs (both part-time and full-time) that would be created during the construction and operation phases.

- **27.**Please list any training opportunities for individuals residing in disadvantaged communities or part of disadvantaged groups such as women, minorities and disabled veterans, and any other relevant socioeconomic benefits of the proposed project.
- 28. Is your project located within a Disadvantaged Community (DAC)? If so, please describe any benefits your project provides to the local community or disadvantaged groups such as women, minorities, disabled veterans, and the LGBTQ+ community. "Disadvantaged communities are defined as the top 25% scoring areas from CalEnviroScreen along with other areas with high amounts of pollution and low populations."

From: https://oehha.ca.gov/calenviroscreen/sb535

- **29.**If known, please list the CalEnviroScreen score of the community in which the project will be located and any increases or decreases in air pollution and other environmental impacts due to the proposed project.
- 30. Please list three professional references.

2021 Local Resource Plan Solicitation Key Dates

TIMELINE	EVENT
June 1, 2021	Solicitation Release
Ongoing	Question Submittal
June 15, 2021 9:00am PPT	Participants' Webinar
	Link to pre-register for Zoom webinar:
	https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_878sjPnrRJmElu02Qlh4Eg
June 17, 2021	Responses to Questions Published if not answered in the webinar
July 16, 2021 COB	Deadline to Submit Proposals
September 1, 2021 or	Project(s) Shortlisting
sooner	
September-December 2021	Contract Negotiations
December 2021	Contract Execution Target

Please answer all questions on the Cover Sheet. Project offers should be attached to this Cover Sheet. Direct all questions, requests and other inquiries or communications to Procurement@SonomaCleanPower.org

For more information and to be directed to our company website, please click here.

Sincerely, SCP Procurement Team