

## ENERGY RESILIENT MUNICIPAL CRITICAL FACILITIES

### REQUEST FOR OFFER

#### Response to Questions

Aug 12, 2022

1. When will a location list be made available for site specific evaluations?
  - a. An anonymized Project Site Report for each facility will be provided to Respondents that submit a Notice of Intent (NOI). If selected as a shortlisted Respondent to respond to Stage 2 and executes the customer data-sharing NDA with EBCE required for Stage 2 shortlisted Respondents, Respondents will receive full site reports including site address, hourly interval data, and available as-built drawings.
2. Please list the system sizes by site to provide a better understanding of the distribution of sizes.
  - a. System sizes will be provided in Attachment H.
3. What is the definition of “cost effectiveness” on Slide 5 of the Webinar presentation?
  - a. Cost effectiveness is defined in relation to energy costs that would have been incurred without the solar and storage facilities. See California Government Code Section 4217 for additional background. Cost effectiveness will become relevant in Stage 2, when shortlisted Respondents receive full site reports including hourly interval data.
4. Page 12 of RFO Protocol refers to the Objectives section (page 5-7): “informed by funding and cost effectiveness threshold described in “Objectives” above.” On page 5-7, what is being referred to as the “cost effectiveness threshold”?
  - a. Cost effectiveness is defined in relation to energy costs that would have been incurred without the solar and storage facilities. See California Government Code Section 4217 for additional background.
5. What is the avoided rate by site, or the annual cost per kWh of power by site?
  - a. Hourly interval data will be provided to Stage 2 shortlisted respondents. By Stage 2, estimation of avoided rate will be possible.
6. Given the upcoming Labor Day holiday and demanding work loads, can the Stage 1 due date be extended by three weeks?
  - a. Recognizing that there is one holiday during the procurement timeline, EBCE will adjust the Stage 1 offer due date by one day to Monday, September 12th.
7. Can the Responder name change from Attachment A to the Stage 1 offer?
  - a. A name change is acceptable. The purpose of requesting the return of Attachment A is to provide a secure file transfer portal for each respondent for provision of site reports and to upload offers. Please respond with interim names

for each potential respondent team to ensure that we create a secure file location for each potential Respondent team that may respond, as well as provide site reports for each team.