**109322 Public Sector- Local Government Segment Request for Abstract**

# Introduction

As part of SDG&E’s solicitation schedule and to comply with D.18-01-004, SDG&E will be requesting abstracts that will serve the local Public Sector – Local Government market segment. This is the first stage of the solicitation process beginning in **January 2021**. The Public Sector- Local Government program includes customers who are tax-payer funded, have political mandates, and must go through a public budgeting and decision making process. Within Public Sector includes a segment of Local Governments which consist of cities, and county (including hospitals and correctional facilities), specialty districts, solid waste facilities, and water/wastewater facilities. The potential for savings is great for this market and the Company is looking for an innovative, resource-focused energy efficiency and comprehensive solution that reliably captures and documents cost-effective energy (kWh, kW, and/or therm) savings applicable to these customers which will also provide a path to Zero Net Energy (ZNE) for these customers. If the bidder submits a successful abstract, the bidder will be invited to participate in the RFP.

Stage 1 is a Request for Abstract (“RFA”), and Stage 2 is a Request for Proposal (“RFP”) for organizations selected from Stage 1. The RFA will enable bidders (“Bidder” or “Contractor”) to provide sufficient information for the California Investor Owned Utilities (“IOUs”) to narrow down the selection to proceed to Stage 2, at which time we will issue a full RFP. It is not intended that Bidders prepare a detailed Abstract in Stage 1. Instead, it is important that Bidders should use the Abstract to provide enough information about the design, implementation and management of a proposed program, targeted market and customer segments, and overall program design and goals.

# Purpose and Objectives

The purpose of this RFA is to evaluate program abstracts for program design and implementation services for the Public Sector – Local Government Program. Key elements to consider when bidding on the Public Sector - Local Government Segment RFA:

* Program Overview
* Program Design
* Innovation
* Program Operations
* Cost and Performance
* Experience and Capability
* Compliance
* Adherence to Requirements

If the abstract is successful, the bidder will be asked to submit a proposal at a later date that will include detailed information regarding information provided in the Abstract along with additional information to further validate the proposal.

# PowerAdvocate Registration

**SDG&E will manage this event through Power Advocate’s sourcing platform.**  **Interested bidders will need to register in Power Advocate to access all future communications and, upon its release, the RFA for Public Sector – Local Government program.**

All Bidders are **required** **to register in Power Advocate to access the RFA documents**, submit questions, and submit aResidential Single-Family Program Abstract. Bidders can register in Power Advocate using the following URL:

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