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Pre-Application Abstract Results
Grant Solicitation, GFO-15-606
Community-Scale and Commercial-Scale Advanced
Biofuels Production Facilities

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On July 15, 2016, the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) released a Grant Solicitation and Application Package entitled “Community-Scale and Commercial-Scale Advanced Biofuels Production Facilities” under the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program (ARFVTP). This grant solicitation is an offer to fund low carbon biofuel production projects at new and existing biofuel production facilities.

The solicitation follows a two-phase process. During the Pre-Application Abstract Screening and Technical Scoring phase, an evaluation committee evaluated and scored pre-application abstracts based on the published screening and scoring criteria in the solicitation (Section V). An average of the combined evaluation committee members’ scores was then calculated to determine the applicant’s total score.

The attached table, “Pre-Application Abstract Results”, identifies the score of each pre-application abstract and the applicant’s eligibility to submit a full application. This notice is posted on the Energy Commission’s website at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/contracts/index.html>. Additionally, Abstract Score Sheets with feedback from the evaluation committee are expected to be electronically mailed to all parties who submitted an application to this solicitation on or around Tuesday, October 4, 2016.

Pre-application abstracts with a score of lower than 70 percent are **not** eligible to submit a full application. These applicants may request a debriefing on their abstract results until November 2, 2016.

Pre-application abstracts obtaining a score of 70 percent or higher are eligible to submit a full application in accordance with solicitation requirements. Applicants who are eligible to submit a full application cannot request a debriefing until after the Notice of Proposed Awards has been published once the full applications have been received and evaluated. However, these applicants may submit written clarifying questions pertaining to the solicitation. Written questions must be received by October 10, 2016.

Questions and debriefing requests should be directed to:

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Proposal #	Applicant	Project Title	Score	Eligible To Submit a Full Application
Community-Scale Pre-Application Abstract Results				
27	CR&R Incorporated	CR&R Perris Biomethane Facility Expansion-Phase 3	84.8%	Eligible
11	Anaheim Energy LLC	Centralized MSW Organic Waste to Biomethane Facility at the Anaheim Sustainability Center	80.4%	Eligible
18	City of Manteca	City of Manteca Waste to Fuel Program	77.8%	Eligible
31	Kore Infrastructure, LLC	A New Source of Renewable Natural Gas Produced from Biosolids	76.6%	Eligible
52	California Bioenergy LLC	The Kern Dairy Biogas Cluster's R-CNG Fuels Buildout (Phase 1)	75.4%	Eligible
36	MM Prima Deshecha Energy LLC	Prima High BTU RNG Project	74.8%	Eligible
41	Monterey Regional Waste Management District	Monterey Regional Waste Management: Landfill Gas to Renewable Transportation Fuel Project	73.8%	Eligible
38	County Sanitation Districts of Los Angeles County	Biofuel Production at the Joint Water Pollution Control Plant (JWPCP)	73.6%	Eligible
46	Greenbelt Resources Corporation	PRECO (Paso Robles ECOsystem)	70.8%	Eligible
28	WM Renewable Energy, LLC	WM Renewable Energy LLC Simi Valley Landfill Gas to Renewable Natural Gas for Vehicles Project	70.0%	Eligible

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30	Institute of Gas Technology dba Gas Technology Institute	Advanced Biofuel Production and Liquefaction	68.8%	Not Eligible
16	RCM International LLC	Castelanelli Bros. Dairy - Biomethane	68.6%	Not Eligible
23	Stearns, Conrad and Schmidt Consulting Engineers, Inc.	Landfill Gas to Compressed Renewable Gas Project at Newby Island Landfill	68.6%	Not Eligible
10	American Waste to Energy, LLC	PILOT PROJECT - SYNTHETIC NATURAL GAS FROM BIOMASS	68.0%	Not Eligible
51	City of Roseville	Roseville Energy Recovery Project	68.0%	Not Eligible
29	SANCO Services, LP	Escondido Resource Recovery Park	68.0%	Not Eligible
13	L and D Landfill Limited Partnership	Landfill Gas to Compressed Renewable Gas Project at L and D Landfill	67.8%	Not Eligible
5	West Biofuels, LLC	Woodland Methanation: Wood-to-Renewable Natural Gas	67.6%	Not Eligible
22	Sylvatex, Inc	MicroX: California's Next Generation of Clean Alternative Diesel Fuel	67.0%	Not Eligible
37	Agricultural Waste Solutions, Inc.	The Commercialization of Low Carbon Fischer-Tropsch Diesel products utilizing Ag Waste Community Feedstocks	66.8%	Not Eligible
34	SCORE, LLC	SCORE Station at Scholl Canyon Landfill	66.8%	Not Eligible

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26	JM Consulting Solutions, LLC.	Anaerobic Digester to produce CNG from Food Waste and FOG	63.0%	Not Eligible
40	Sustainable Renewable Energy (SRE) LLC	Biomethane from municipal waste water sludge using novel high-yield sustainable conversion process	61.2%	Not Eligible
45	Sierra Energy	Sierra Energy's FastOx® Gasification to Fischer-Tropsch Diesel at Fort Hunter Liggett	59.2%	Not Eligible
9	JAL Engineering	Design and Construction of Advanced Biofuel Facility using eTuber, an AB Feedstock for Fuel, Feed, and Food.	48.4%	Not Eligible
8	JAL Engineering	Design and Construction of Advanced Biofuel Facility using eTuber, an AB Feedstock for Fuel, Feed, and Food.	DQ	Not Eligible

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Commercial-Scale Pre-Application Abstract Results				
2	Tracy Renewable Energy	Tracy Integrated Campus: Renewable Ethanol from Sugar Beets	83.2%	Eligible
14	Wonderful Renewable Energy LLC	WP&A Renewable Ag Products	83.2%	Eligible
12	New Leaf Biofuel LLC	The New Leaf Biofuel Upgrade and Production Expansion Project	77.4%	Eligible
24	Bay Biodiesel LLC	Bay Biodiesel LLC San Jose Facility Expansion and Modification	77.0%	Eligible
33	SJV Biodiesel, LLC, a California limited liability company wholly	Flex Feed Biodiesel Plant	76.6%	Eligible
15	Wonderful Renewable Energy LLC	Wonderful Renewable Diesel	74.8%	Eligible
6	Crimson Renewable Energy LP	The 3rd-Generation Bakersfield Biodiesel Production Facility	74.0%	Eligible
47	Greenbelt Resources Corporation	POM Ethanol	74.0%	Eligible
50	Aemetis, Inc.	Aemetis Advanced Ethanol Project	73.8%	Eligible
35	UrbanX Renewables Group, Inc.	UrbanX Flex RD BioRefinery Phase 2 Expansion	72.2%	Eligible

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42	Sierra Resource Conservation District	Next Generation Thermochemical Gasification and Fischer-Tropsch Technologies for Producing Renewable Low-Carbon Biofuels Utilizing Forest-Based Excess Biomass in Fresno County	71.4%	Eligible
3	East Bay Municipal Utility District	Renewable Natural Gas Production for Transportation Fuel at Wastewater Treatment Facility	68.6%	Not Eligible
44	RealEnergy CleanTech Fleet Opportunity Fund, LP	RealEnergy / Leprino Foods Biomethane Fueling	68.2%	Not Eligible
25	Eslinger Biodiesel, Inc.	Fresno BioRefinery Scale-Up to 10MMGY	66.2%	Not Eligible
43	California Ethanol & Power, LLC	CE&P Imperial Valley 1, LLC (EIN: 90-0888100), 2G Plant	65.2%	Not Eligible
49	Simple Fuels Biodiesel Inc.	Simple Fuels Central Valley Commercial Scale Biodiesel Facility	65.0%	Not Eligible
39	Bena Power Producers, LLC	BENA Power Producers Biogas High BTU Vehicle Fuel Facility	64.4%	Not Eligible
21	Biodico, Inc.	In-state Cultivation, Harvesting and Use of Zero ILUC Feedstocks for Biodiesel Production	64.0%	Not Eligible
4	T2 Energy, LLC	T2 Energy Mecca Biofuels	61.6%	Not Eligible
48	Agron Bioenergy LLC	FFA Reduction Unit for Agron Bioenergy	61.0%	Not Eligible

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19	Sierra Energy	Sierra Energy's FastOx® Gasification to Fischer-Tropsch Diesel at the Nation's First Zero Waste Innovation Park	60.2%	Not Eligible
32	Regents of the University of California	University of California Biomethane Capture and Pipeline Injection, Tulare California	58.8%	Not Eligible
7	Whole Energy Pacifica LLC / 145 Corte Madera Town Center #421 / 94925	Whole Energy Pacifica Glycerolysis	DQ	Not Eligible
17	American Biodiesel, Inc. dba Community Fuels	Increasing production capacity at Community Fuels' Port of Stockton biorefinery	DQ	Not Eligible