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**NOTICE OF PROPOSED AWARDS****Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program
Solicitation GFO-17-601, Light Duty Vehicle Hydrogen Refueling
Infrastructure Operation and Maintenance (O&M) Support Grants
January 8, 2018**

On August 25, 2017, the California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) released a Grant Solicitation and Application Package entitled “Light Duty Vehicle Hydrogen Refueling Infrastructure Operation and Maintenance (O&M) Support Grants” under the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program (ARFVTP). The grant solicitation (GFO-17-601) was to provide O&M support funding for publicly accessible hydrogen refueling stations that did not receive O&M support funding under Program Opportunity Notice (PON)-13-607, “Hydrogen Refueling Infrastructure,” or that received only a portion of the potential \$300,000 in O&M support funding. The purpose of O&M support funding is to ensure that hydrogen refueling stations remain operating during the initial rollout of fuel cell electric vehicles (FCEV).

The attached “Notice of Proposed Awards” proposes awarding O&M support funding grants to 16 operational hydrogen refueling stations that missed incentive funding dates and therefore either received no O&M funding or partial O&M funding under PON-13-607. Additional proposed awards will be announced as eligible applicants apply for O&M funding under GFO-17-601.

The attached table, “Notice of Proposed Awards,” identifies each applicant and hydrogen refueling station recommended for funding and includes the amount of the recommended award. This notice will be mailed to all parties who submitted an application to GFO-17-601 and will be posted on the Energy Commission’s website at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/contracts/index.html>.

Funding of the proposed awards resulting from GFO-17-601 is contingent upon their approval at a publicly noticed Energy Commission Business Meeting and execution of a grant agreement.

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Proposal Number	Applicant	Station Address	Funds Requested	Proposed Award	Recommendation
Proposed Awards for Operation and Maintenance Support Grants					
1	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	2855 Winchester Boulevard, Campbell, CA 95008	\$80,000	\$80,000	Awardee
2	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	2050 Harbor Boulevard, Costa Mesa, CA 92627	\$66,667	\$66,667	Awardee
3	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	3060 Carmel Valley Road, San Diego, CA 92130	\$170,000	\$170,000	Awardee
4	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	41700 Grimmer Boulevard, Fremont, CA 94538	\$300,000	\$300,000	Awardee
5	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	391 West A Street, Hayward, CA 94541	\$80,000	\$80,000	Awardee
6	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	5700 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90028	\$145,000	\$145,000	Awardee
7	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	550 Foothill Boulevard, La Canada Flintridge, CA 91011	\$66,667	\$66,667	Awardee
8	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	20731 Lake Forest Drive, Lake Forest, CA 92630	\$80,000	\$80,000	Awardee
9	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	570 Redwood Highway, Mill Valley, CA 94941	\$145,000	\$145,000	Awardee
10	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	8126 Lincoln Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90045	\$155,000	\$155,000	Awardee
11	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	150 South La Cumbre Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93105	\$80,000	\$80,000	Awardee
12	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	12600 Saratoga Avenue, Saratoga, CA 95070	\$80,000	\$80,000	Awardee
13	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	1200 Fair Oaks Avenue, South Pasadena, CA 91030	\$300,000	\$300,000	Awardee
14	FirstElement Fuel, Inc.	12105 Donner Pass Road, Truckee, CA 96161	\$145,000	\$145,000	Awardee
15	Ontario CNG Station, Inc.	1850 E. Holt Boulevard, Ontario, CA 91761	\$300,000	\$0	Disqualified in administrative screening
16	Air Liquide Advanced Technologies U.S. LLC	3731 East La Palma Avenue, Anaheim, CA 92806	\$165,000	\$165,000	Awardee

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17	Ontario CNG Station, Inc.	1850 E. Holt Boulevard, Ontario, CA 91761	\$300,000	\$0	Disqualified in technical screening
18	Ontario CNG Station, Inc.	1850 E. Holt Boulevard, Ontario, CA 91761	\$300,000	\$300,000	Awardee
		Subtotal	\$2,958,334	\$2,358,334	
		O&M SUPPORT GRANTS TOTAL FUNDING RECOMMENDED		\$2,358,334	

	Funds Requested	Proposed Awards
SOLICITATION GRAND TOTAL	\$2,958,334	\$2,358,334