

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

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**NOTICE OF PROPOSED AWARD (NOPA)**

Sharing California's Energy Innovations:
Communicating EPIC Research Through
Special Events, Forums, and Multimedia Production
RFP-17-301

February 1, 2018

On August 22, 2017, the California Energy Commission released a competitive solicitation titled "*Sharing California's Energy Innovations: Communicating EPIC Research Through Special Events, Forums, and Multimedia Production*" (RFP-17-301) under the Electric Program Investment Charge (EPIC) Program. Up to \$6 million in EPIC funding is available for the contract resulting from this solicitation.

The Energy Commission received 14 proposals by the due date of December 8, 2017. Each passing proposal was screened, reviewed, evaluated and scored using the criteria in the solicitation. Thirteen proposals passed the Stage One Application Screening.

The attached "Notice of Proposed Award" identifies the Applicant recommended for funding by Energy Commission staff and includes the recommended funding amount and score. The total funding amount recommended is \$4,851,189.

Funding of the proposed projects resulting from this solicitation is contingent upon the approval of this project at a publicly noticed Energy Commission Business Meeting and execution of a contract agreement. If the Energy Commission is unable to timely execute a funding agreement with the Applicant, the Energy Commission, at its sole discretion, reserves the right to cancel or otherwise modify the pending award, and award the funds to another applicant.

This notice is being mailed to all parties who submitted an application to this solicitation and is also posted on the Energy Commission's website at: www.energy.ca.gov/contracts/.

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Notice of Proposed Award

Thursday, February 01, 2018

Rank Number	Project Applicant	Energy Commission Funds Requested	Energy Commission Funds Recommended	Match Funds	Score	Award Status
Proposed Award						
1	GreenBiz Group	\$4,851,189	\$4,851,189	\$370,000	95.87	Awardee
Total Funding Recommended		\$4,851,189	\$4,851,189	\$370,000		
Passed but Not Funded						
2	Arellano Associates	\$5,969,654	\$0	\$0	88.14	Finalist
3	Three Squares, Inc.	\$5,538,858	\$0	\$474,912	88.02	Finalist
4	Local Government Commission	\$5,992,283	\$0	\$0	78.37	Finalist
Total		\$17,500,795	\$0	\$474,912		
Did Not Pass						
5	Center for Sustainable Energy	\$5,253,238	\$0	\$113,491		Did Not Pass
6	Energetics, Inc.	\$5,976,049	\$0	\$2,891,378		Did Not Pass
7	Four Moons Productions	\$5,968,060	\$0	\$0		Did Not Pass
8	Frontier Energy	\$5,997,540	\$0	\$60,003		Did Not Pass
9	The Energy Coalition	\$5,995,705	\$0	\$1,062,268		Did Not Pass
10	TideSmart West	\$5,994,470	\$0	\$0		Did Not Pass
11	The Marketing Maven	\$5,997,750	\$0	\$0		Did Not Pass
12	Eagle Rock Analytics (Owen Doherty)	\$5,999,404	\$0	\$0		Did Not Pass
13	San Bernardino Community College District	\$5,693,846	\$0	\$994,681		Did Not Pass
Total		\$52,876,062	\$0	\$5,121,821		
Disqualified						
#	T2M Global, Inc		\$0			Disqualified
Total		\$0	\$0	\$0		
Grand Total		\$75,228,046	\$4,851,189	\$5,966,733		