



STATE OF CALIFORNIA

GRANT REQUEST FORM (GRF)

CEC-270 (Revised 12/2019)

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

A) New Agreement # ARV-21-064 (to be completed by CGL office)

B) Division	Agreement Manager:	MS-	Phone
600 Fuels and Transportation Division	Larry Rillera	6	916-903-4295

C) Recipient's Legal Name	Federal ID #
Green Paradigm Consulting, Inc.	84-4225672

D) Title of Project
Next Electric Vehicle Military Service Pilot Project

E) Term and Amount

Start Date	End Date	Amount
05/11/2022	05/30/2025	\$250,000

F) Business Meeting Information

☐ ARFVTP agreements \$75K and under delegated to Executive Director

Proposed Business Meeting Date: 05/11/2022 ☐ Consent ☒ Discussion

Business Meeting Presenter: Larry Rillera Time Needed: 5 minutes

Please select one list serve. Altfuels (AB118 – ARFVTP)

Agenda Item Subject and Description:

GREEN PARADIGM CONSULTING, INC. Proposed resolution approving Agreement ARV-21-064 with Green Paradigm Consulting, Inc. for a \$250,000 grant to develop and conduct an EV Charging Technician Training Program for military personnel and facilitate job placement, and adopting staff's determination that this action is exempt from CEQA. (Clean Transportation Program funding) Contact: Larry Rillera (Staff Presentation: 5 minutes)

G) California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Compliance

1. Is Agreement considered a "Project" under CEQA?

☒ Yes (skip to question 2) ☐ No (complete the following (PRC 21065 and 14 CCR 15378)):

Explain why Agreement is not considered a "Project":

2. If Agreement is considered a "Project" under CEQA:

a) ☐ Agreement **IS** exempt.

☐ Statutory Exemption. List PRC and/or CCR section number:

☒ Categorical Exemption. List CCR section number: 14 CCR section 15306

Information Collection. Cal. Code Regs, tit. 14, §15306, Information Collection, provides that projects which consist of basic data collection, research and resource evaluation activities which do not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource are categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA. This project will consist of research, planning, video production, conducting online training, data collection, and facilitating job placement for transitioning and veteran military personnel on electric vehicle charging infrastructure (EVCI) installation, maintenance, and operation. The purpose is to provide training and job opportunities in zero-emission vehicle (ZEV)



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industries. The project will not cause direct physical changes to the environment, and there will be no physical construction. This project involves data collection, engagement, administrative coordination efforts, planning, training, and similar activities. Therefore, the proposed project will have no significant effect on the environment and is categorically exempt under section 15306

☐ Common Sense Exemption.

☐ Agreement **IS NOT** exempt. (consult with the legal office to determine next steps)

Check all that apply

☐ Initial Study

☐ Negative Declaration

☐ Mitigated Negative Declaration

☐ Environmental Impact Report

☐ Statement of Overriding Considerations

H) List all subcontractors (major and minor) and equipment vendors: (attach additional sheets as necessary)

Legal Company Name:	Budget
The EV Structure Co, LLC	\$30,000
Futures Inc.	\$20,000
The Next Education	\$137,400
ChargerHelp Inc.	\$10,008
360 Pronto, Inc.	\$10,000

I) List all key partners: (attach additional sheets as necessary)

Legal Company Name:
VetJobs-CASY

J) Budget Information

Funding Source	Funding Year of Appropriation	Budget List Number	Amount
ARFVTP	FY 18/19	601.118K	\$200,000
ARFVTP	FY 20/21	601.118M	\$50,000
Funding Source			\$
Funding Source			\$
Funding Source			\$

R&D Program Area: **Select Program Area** TOTAL: \$250,000

Explanation for "Other" selection

Reimbursement Contract #:

Federal Agreement #:

K) Recipient's Contact Information



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1. Recipient's Administrator/Officer

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2. Recipient's Project Manager

L) Selection Process Used

☒ Competitive Solicitation #: GFO-21-602

☐ First Come First Served Solicitation #: - -

M) The following items should be attached to this GRF

1. Exhibit A, Scope of Work
2. Exhibit B, Budget Detail
3. CEC 105, Questionnaire for Identifying Conflicts
4. Recipient Resolution
5. CEQA Documentation

☒ N/A
☒ N/A

☒ Attached
☒ Attached
☒ Attached
☐ Attached
☐ Attached

Agreement Manager

Date

Office Manager

Date

Deputy Director

Date

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STATE ENERGY RESOURCES
CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

RESOLUTION: GREEN PARADIGM CONSULTING, INC.

RESOLVED, that the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission (CEC) adopts the staff CEQA findings contained in the Agreement or Amendment Request Form (as applicable); and

RESOLVED, that the CEC approves Agreement ARV-21-064 with Green Paradigm Consulting, Inc. for a \$250,000 grant to develop and conduct an EV Charging Technician Training Program for military personnel and facilitate job placement; and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED, that the Executive Director or their designee shall execute the same on behalf of the CEC.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned Secretariat to the CEC does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a Resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the CEC held on May 11, 2022.

AYE:

NAY:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Liza Lopez
Secretariat