May 7, 2024

**GFO-23-702**

**California Clean Energy Planning Program (CCEPP)**

**Addendum 4**

The purpose of this addendum is to notify potential applicants of a change that has been made to GFO-23-702. The addendum clarifies the Solicitation Manual and the Application Form by deleting language that appears in [~~strikethrough~~] and within square brackets and adding language that appears in **bold underline**.

***Solicitation Manual***

**Page 4, Section I.D., Project Scope of Work**

## Project Scope of Work

There are three categories of funding activities for the CCEPP program:

**Category 1. California Native American Tribes – Participation in Clean Energy Planning Events**

Category 1 funds efforts to improve the capacity of California Native American tribes to participate in the planning and permitting of new clean energy facilities and related infrastructure that support the State’s goals set forth in SB 100. Awardees would be reimbursed for their participation in State renewable and clean energy planning Events, such as attending and participating in CEC, CPUC, or CARB SB 100-related activities, e.g., meetings, workshops, working groups, panels, focus groups, etc.

Costs eligible for reimbursement are direct labor and fringe benefit costs for tribal **members or staff of the tribe** [~~representatives~~] that participate in renewable and clean energy planning Events that occur between June 1, 2024, through March 1, 2026. Examples of qualified Events include attending and participating in SB 100-related meetings, workshops, working groups, panels, and focus groups, or be invited to participate in the Event by the CEC, CPUC, or CARB. Tribal leadership must identify the tribal **members or staff of the tribe** [~~representative(s)~~] who will attend and participate in the Event prior to the Event to qualify for reimbursement. Tribal **members or staff of the tribe** [~~representatives~~] will be reimbursed at a maximum rate of $50 per hour with a maximum of $15,000 per tribe. Activities eligible for reimbursement include Event preparation; travel time to and from Event from home, if attending in person; Event attendance and participation; and Event follow-up.

**Page 14-15, Section IV.C, Grounds to Reject an Application or Cancel an Award**

## Grounds to Reject an Application or Cancel an Award

The CEC reserves the right to reject an application and/or to cancel an award for any reason, including any of the following:

* **The proposed project is inconsistent with the enabling legislation for this solicitation, Assembly Bill 128 (Statutes of 2021); therefore, projects must be in alignment with SB 100’s renewable energy and zero-carbon resource policy.**
* The application contains false or intentionally misleading statements or references that do not support an attribute or condition contended by the applicant.
* The application is intended to erroneously and fallaciously mislead the State in any way.
* The application does not comply or contains caveats that conflict with the solicitation, and the variation or deviation is material.
* The applicant has included a statement or otherwise indicated that it will not accept the terms and conditions, or that acceptance is based on modifications to the terms and conditions.
* The application contains confidential information or identifies any portion of the application as confidential.

***Attachment 1, Application Form***

**Page 3, Section 4.A**

1. **Identify the** **California Native American tribe member(s) or staff that would likely attend the SB 100 planning events.** California Native American **tribal members or staff of the tribe** [~~tribe representatives~~]will be reimbursed at a maximum rate of $50 per hour with a maximum of $15,000 per tribe. Activities eligible for reimbursement include event preparation; travel time to and from event from home, if attending in person; event attendance and participation; and event follow-up.

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