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Request from: Public Utilities Regulatory Authority

Question:

Att. 16, pp. 3-5. Regarding the Company's estimate of $2 million per MWh of energy storage system capacity:

a. Provide a copy of the Request for Proposal (RFP) the Company issued to obtain the referenced contractor bids;
b. Describe how the Company advertised the RFP for the energy storage system including where the RFP was posted and the duration of the solicitation process;
c. Provide a copy of the proposals received by the Company from the bidding vendors (i.e., a copy of the vendor bids);
d. Provide the itemized cost breakdowns provided by the bidding vendors.

Response:

The Company rounded these estimates to $2 million per MWh for estimation purposes.

a. RSR-011 Attachment 1 CONFIDENTIAL contains the technical/commercial documents submitted to the supplier participants in this Request For Information (RFI), to obtain indicative non-binding pricing and not intended to result in a contract award. The file structure is as follows:

   CT BESS RFI to Suppliers
   - Appendix A-DD
     - One lines and sketch of proposed layout
   - Appendix A-DS
     - Conduit and Trench Engineering/Construction Standards
     - Equipment & Material Engineering/Construction Standards
     - Grounding & Bonding Engineering/Construction Standards
     - Precast Foundations Engineering/Construction Standards
     - Switching & Tagging Engineering/Construction Standards
     - Testing Engineering/Construction Standards
     - Misc Design Data/ Engineering/Construction Standards
     - Siting and Development Engineering/Construction Standards
   - Instructions to Bidders
   - Schedule of Values (Pricing Form)

- RFI/Question Log
- Technical Specification

b. The RFI was issued through Eversource's sourcing tool, Ariba and was posted from 3/12/24 to 4/4/24.

c. Summaries of the Supplier responses for Frybrook (RSR-011 Attachment 2 CONFIDENTIAL) and Campville (RSR-011 Attachment 3 CONFIDENTIAL) are included with this response.

d. See the attachments referenced in Part c. for the itemized cost breakdown provided by the bidding vendors.