

## CONTRACT OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENT

### Contract Type:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Professional Service Contract |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Construction Contract         |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Service Contract              |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Material Requirement          |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Other                         |

### Opportunity Summary:

Contract Opportunity Title:	RFP 133414 - Statewide Codes and Standards Advocacy Program
Request For:	Proposals
Estimated Contract Value:	Not to Exceed \$66 Million for a 4-year contract term PG&E anticipates multiple winning bids
Work Location:	N/A
Registration Due Date:	July 8, 2022, 5:00 p.m. PT
Response Due Date:	July 19, 2022, 2:00 p.m. PT
NAICS code / Size Standard	541715 Engineering Research and Development / 1,000 Employees (max, number of employees to qualify as a Small Business for this NAICS code.)

### Opportunity Description:

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) is issuing a Request for Proposal (RFP) from qualified parties with subject matter expertise in various topic areas to design and implement Statewide (SW) Codes and Standards (C&S) Advocacy program to support:

- Title 24: State Building Codes in residential and non-residential areas
- Title 20: State Appliance Standards
- National Codes & Standards: National Building Codes & Federal Appliance Standards

The subject matter expertise in various topic areas includes but not limited to, program coordination, plumbing products, lighting, industrial processes, motors, HVAC, building envelopes, energy storage, electronics, water heating, and plug loads. Bidder(s) must have a strong understanding of the state and federal regulatory landscape, rulemaking processes, program milestones, data collection strategies, stakeholders, and the barriers that limit the adoption of effective C&S.

Successful Bidder(s) will work with PG&E's SW C&S Advocacy Program Managers and other implementers with subject matter expertise to complete work in various topic areas to support Title 24, Title 20, and National Codes and Standards advocacy work.

- This is a one-stage solicitation process, Request for Proposal (RFP), which a scoring team will evaluate Bidders' responses.
- Bidders will be required to demonstrate their deep level of knowledge and successful track record relevant to SW C&S Advocacy Program.
- The RFP submittal instructions will be available in Mackenzie (formerly PowerAdvocate) (PG&E's online bidding platform) once this solicitation is open.

- Information provided to Bidders will include:
  - Bid submission forms
  - Bidders conference registration instructions
  - Instructions on how to submit Bidder's response
  - Solicitation timeline and important dates

**Supply Chain Responsibility Considerations:**

The selected Bidder(s) is encouraged to align with PG&E's Supply Chain Responsibility policies and procedures. The Bidders will be asked to provide a description of their internal, specific supply chain responsibility program and practices related to supplier diversity, environmental sustainability and ethical business conduct.

**Conduct Requirements:**

The selected Bidder(s), as well as the subcontractors, must adhere to the principles and standards outlined in PG&E's Supplier Code of Conduct as follows:

<http://www.pgecorp.com/corp/about-us/compliance-ethics/program/third-party-code-conduct.page>

**Timeframe for this Solicitation:**

The RFP is scheduled to release by early June 2022 with responses due by Mid-July 2022.

**How to Respond:**

Bidders interested in participating in this RFP for Statewide C&S Advocacy Program must register in Wood Mackenzie Supply Chain (formerly PowerAdvocate) at:

<https://www.poweradvocate.com/pR.do?okey=133414&pubEvent=true>

Bidders may register to participate in the RFP in Wood Mackenzie Supply Chain (formerly PowerAdvocate) until **July 8, 2022**, unless otherwise modified by PG&E.

**If Additional Questions, Contact PG&E's Bid Event Coordinator:**

Tony Abdulla via Wood Mackenzie Supply Chain (formerly PowerAdvocate)