EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER REGION 19 ALLIED STATES COOPERATIVE RFP AWARD SUMMARY

RFP TITLE: Energy Aggregation, Consulting, Procurement & Related Services -

ESC Region 19 Allied States Cooperative

RFP NUMBER: 17-7237

RFP OPENING DATE: March 8, 2017

CONTRACT TERM: Date of award until April 30, 2018 with the option to extend in one year

increments annually for an additional four (4) years if agreed to by ASC

and Vendor

(Extended by Region 19 ASC until April 30, 2019) (Extended by Region 19 ASC until April 30, 2020) (Extended by Region 19 ASC until April 30, 2021) (Extended by Region 19 ASC until April 30, 2022)

FUNDING SOURCE: Various

RFP's ISSUED: 4 RESPONSES: 4

ADVERTISEMENT DATES: El Paso Times: February 3, 2017 & February 10, 2017

Washington Post: February 3, 2017 & February 10, 2017

BOARD MEETING DATE: May 18, 2017

RECOMMENDED FOR AWARD Mountain Vector Energy

ProStar Energy Services *Terminated as of 6/18/19

TOTAL (estimated) \$25,000,000.00 / year

EXPLANATIONS:

Award of this contract will enable ESC Region 19 – Allied States Cooperative (ASC) to establish and contract with vendor(s) for Energy Aggregation, Consulting, Procurement & Related Services. The evaluation committee utilized a point system with weight factors of 30% pricing & revenues to be shared, 10% warranty & guarantees, 20% references & reputation, 20% performance & bonding capabilities and 20% qualifications and experience. AET Environmental, Inc. and Illuminating Business Solutions, LLC's submittal did not meet scope of work, therefore were not considered for evaluation. The awarded vendor's price list and link can be accessed on this award summary under the price list link.

SPECIFICATIONS PROVIDED BY: Royce Cleveland - ESC Region 19

EVALUATION COMMITTEE: Royce Cleveland - ESC Region 19

Debra Oropeza - ESC Region 19

Rebecca Hernandez - ESC Region 19

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

- 1. Class IIA Aggregator in good standing with the Public Utility Commission of Texas
- 2. Language that incorporates Texas Gov't Code Chapter 791 and Chapter 271 of Texas Local Government Code
- 3. Terms of the scope of agreement with the initial agreement being 3 years with an option to extend an additional 2 years in the aggregate
- 4. Provide in detail specific turnkey service including monthly reporting to ESC R19 ASC usage consumed by the Aggregation Pool.
- 5. The fee that will be given to ESC R19 ASC including a sample of what the reporting document with the fee would look like.
- 6. Include its capacity to service members at locations in the areas they wish to do business, and should include addresses, contact staff members, emails and phone numbers for locations to be serviced under this contract.
- 7. Include the number of staff members, locations, and capabilities that will be utilized in the event of an award of this contract.
- 8. State it will comply with rules and regulations of the Public Utility Commission of Texas as an aggregator.
- 9. Agree in the Agreement Form to provide administration support for the Retail Electric Provider (REP) contracts for an ongoing basis along with membership support for invoice charges, disputes, and related.
- 10. Work with ASC members utilizing this contract to monitor switches in an expedient manner with no interruption in services.
- 11. Assist in additions/deletions of meters and monitor the financial solvency of the REP.
- 12. State it will stay current and notify all parties to this agreement of any and/or all regulatory changes impacting either gas or electricity supply and usage.
- 13. Act in good faith to facilitate ASM members and potential ASC members at all times.
- 14. Collect compensation agreed to by the REP for itself and to pass onto ESC R19 ASC the administrative fee.
- 15. Store all documentation to include but not be limited to Letters of Agreement,
- 16. Be available at all times during the term of this contract to conduct regulatory issues as requested by ASC membership.
- 17. Notify both ESC R19 ASC and ASC members utilizing this contract on meetings with the TEC and its affiliates.
- 18. Include a statement that is will be responsible for the accuracy of its services and documents resulting from this contract.
- 19. Provide a website for ESC R19 and its ASC members utilizing this contract with portals to access 1) contract information, 2) current meter list and information related to this contract, and 3) warehouse documentation such a change forms, contract documents, historical data files, and letters of agreement.
- 20. Assistance with ESC R19 ASC with maintaining legislative changes for natural gas and electricity supply and usage that impact ESC R19 and its ASC members.
- 21. Agree to mediation regarding any disputes directly or indirectly with this solicitation regarding ESC R19 ASC and its ASC members.

22. ESC Region 19 agrees to process solicitations during the contract period to facilitate the aggregator in receiving competitive proposals for each ASC member in compliance with TEC §44.031.

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States Covered: All States

Services Provided: Procurement of Energy in all 50 states where energy has been deregulated. Types of energy procurement include electricity, diesel fuel, natural gas, propane, and alternate power including wind and power

Discount: See price link for overall details of vendor's market and business model

Price Link-

ProStar Energy Services *Terminated as of 6/18/19

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States Covered: All States

Services Provided: Electricity and natural gas in all 50 states in markets that are deregulated

Discount: See price link for overall details on vendor's markets and business model

Price Link-

oved by:	Date:	
Armando Aguirre- Executive Director		April 28, 2017
Armando Aguirre- Executive Director		March 20, 2018
Armando Aguirre- Executive Director		February 22,2019
Armando Aguirre- Executive Director		February 24, 2020
Armando Aguirre- Executive Director		January 27, 2021