



MICROGRID FEASIBILITY, ENERGY AUDIT AND RENEWABLE ENERGY AND STORAGE PROPOSAL

Climate Action Plan Committee Meeting
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BACKGROUND

- On January 28, 2020, the City Council directed City staff to pursue an energy audit to curb carbon emissions.
- The Transportation and Public Works Department issued a request for proposals for an energy audit, renewable energy and storage recommendations, and microgrid feasibility on August 6, 2020, and has received 7 proposals.

Energy Audit

The Consultant will explain:

- Existing conditions and recommended changes, including equipment specs and specific locations of installations
- How the measure will save energy and how much energy it will save
- Financial analysis results including costs of recommended measures
- Effects on maintenance and comfort
- Funding and grant opportunities

Energy Audit

- At specified facilities located in the City of Santa Rosa, conduct inspections in order to identify site specific energy related deficiencies in order to provide report outlining recommendations for energy saving improvements. The report should include detailed descriptions of each recommended Energy Efficiency Measures (EEM).

Renewable Energy and Storage Recommendations

At specified facilities located in the City of Santa Rosa the renewable energy and storage recommendations shall include a cost analysis of the project, utility cost savings, and the reduction of the City of Santa Rosa's carbon footprint as a result of a renewable energy and storage project implementation.

Renewable Energy and Storage Recommendations

The City of Santa Rosa is also looking for the most innovative and forward-thinking solutions available to transition from non-renewable energy sources to renewable sources welcoming new ideas and creative thinking to identify potential projects.

Microgrid Technology

At Municipal Service Center North, Municipal Service Center South, Transit Operations Building, Finley Community Center, the Fire Training Center, City Hall Complex, City Hall Annex, the Chamber Building, and the Public Safety Building. the Consultant will conduct a feasibility study and make recommendations for microgrid technologies.

Questions?