

**ELECTRICAL MAINTENANCE SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH** SIEMENS INDUSTRY, INC. FOR FIVE-YEAR TERM WITH TWO **ONE-YEAR OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS AT RERC RESOURCE** CENTER, SPRINGS, AND CLEARWATER POWER PLANTS

#### **Riverside Public Utilities**

Board of Public Utilities October 25, 2021

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# BACKGROUND

#### **RERC, Springs and Clearwater Power Plants:**

- 1. Combined, provide 260 megawatts of electricity
- 2. Operate during the most critical need for electricity
- 3. Over 590 electrical devices used at the 3 power plants
- 4. Need to evolve maintenance program with aging equipment

**RERC: 196 MW** 



Springs: 36 MW



Clearwater: 28 MW



### **RFP 2062**

#### 1. RFP 2062 Electrical Maintenance at all Three Power Plants

- a. Posted on December 10, 2020, and closed on March 03, 2021
- b. Leveraged the 3 plants with multiple years for the best pricing
- c. 5-year term with option for two one-year extensions

#### 2. Siemens Industry, Inc.

- a. Most responsive proposal and lowest cost
- b. Comprehensive program that addresses all recommended maintenance for the next 7 years

Vendor	Location	Amount	Rank
Siemens Industry, Inc	Buffalo Grove, IL	\$1,452,709	1
Baker Electric	Escondido, CA	\$2,382,019.53	2
VISTAM, Inc	La Mirada, CA	\$3,346,703.62	3
Halco Testing Services	Los Angeles, CA	\$4,875,877.13	4
Electric Power Systems International Inc.	Santa Ana, CA	Non-Responsive Did not meet license requirement	
Praetorian Power Protection	Edmonds, WA	Non-Responsive Incomplete Proposal and Pricing	

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### ADDITIONAL AS-NEEDED REPAIR WORK

- 1. Staff anticipates additional repairs will be identified during the routine preventative maintenance process
- 2. Insures plant reliability, especially during summer peak periods
- 3. Cost encumbered only if repairs are authorized by staff a. Unused amounts remain in the RPU generation budget
- 4. Amount covers all three plants
- 5. As-needed repair works costs: \$75,000 maximum per year / \$525,000 total for the 5-year term and the two optional one-year extensions

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#### STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT

This item contributes to the following strategic priorities and goals from the Envision Riverside 2025 Strategic Plan:

- Strategic Priority 5, High Performing Government
  Goal 5.4. Achieve and maintain financial health by addressing gaps between revenues and expenditures and aligning resources with strategic priorities to yield the greatest impact.
- Strategic Priority 6, Infrastructure, Mobility & Connectivity
  Goal 6.2. Maintain, protect and improve assets and infrastructure within the
  City's built environment to ensure and enhance reliability, resiliency,
  sustainability, and facilitate connectivity.

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## STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT

The item aligns with EACH of the five cross-cutting threads as follows:

- 1. Community Trust This item ensures that Riverside's power plants are able to safely and effectively operate and provide electricity to the entire City and its communities serves the greater public good.
- **2. Equity** This item ensures that the RERC power plant are able to safely and effectively operate and provide reliable electricity benefitting entire City and all customers.
- **3. Fiscal Responsibility** Compared to historical expenditures, the service agreement with Siemens Industry Inc saves \$30,000 per year compared to historical maintenance costs.
- **4. Innovation** The approach with the multi-year electrical maintenance program is consistent with industry best practice and will be customized to fit the plant's operations.
- **5. Sustainability & Resiliency** Riverside's three power plants operate during the most critical need for electricity. Having an electrical maintenance program for the next five years is essential to sustaining a highly reliable power plant.

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# **RECOMMENDATIONS**

#### That the Board of Public Utilities:

- 1. Approve the services agreement with Siemens Industry, Inc. of Buffalo Grove, Illinois for a five-year term with the option of two one-year extensions to perform routine electrical maintenance at Riverside Energy Resource Center, Springs, and Clearwater Power Plants in the amount of \$1,977,716; and
- 2. Authorize the City Manager, or designee, to execute the services agreement with Siemens Industry, Inc., including the amendments for the two one-year extensions and minor non-substantive changes.

