

FLEXPOWER BUNDLE UPDATE

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DIVERSE RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO COS



WATER & ENERGY NEXUS





William Sinkin Solar Plant located at the SAWS Dos Rios Waste Water Treatment Site in South S.A.

> CPS Energy has over 500 MW of Solar

LARGE WIND PORFOLIO IMPORTANCE OF RESILIENCY



Papalote Creek Wind Farm Near Corpus Christi





Survived Hurricane Harvey August 2017

More than 1,000 MW of Wind

CHALLENGE WITH WIND ERCOT WIND FORECAST EXAMPLE





On a typical day, wind drops off in the afternoon, then picks up in the evening hours.

SOLAR MORE CONSISTENT





Solar produces power in the afternoon hours complementing wind which sometimes declines at that time.

AN INTERESTING DAY FOR SOLAR CPS



ENERGY STORAGE: KEY TO RENEWABLES CDS



CPS Energy's 10 MW – 1 Hr Battery System at SWRI

ENERGY EFFICIENCY IMPORTANT 250 MW+ VIRTUAL POWER PLANT





FLEXPOWER BUNDLE AN INTEGRATED APPROACH





900MW Solar

50MW Storage

All-Source Firming Capacity

Our FlexPOWER Bundle RFP process will need to consider many <u>qualitative</u> & <u>quantitative</u> aspects.



FLEXPOWER BUNDLE RFI INSIGHTS: ORIGIN OF RESPONSES



Nearly 200 responses received from across the globe!



Our all-source RFI raised global awareness & is providing us with valuable information & innovative solutions that can be considered in our RFP.

SOLAR INSIGHTS COMPETITIVE & ATTRACTIVE TERMS



Majority of the solar offers were:

- Utility-scale in planning or development stages
- Some paired with optional batteries
- Projected CODs for most between 2021-2023

PROJECT DETAILS	SUMMARY
Contract Term	10 to 25 years
Project Size	5 MWs to 900 MWs
Approx. Indicative Pricing	\$18/MWh to \$60/MWh

SOLAR PROPOSALS BY ERCOT REGION*



*Location was not determinable for 16 offers



BATTERY STORAGE INSIGHTS COMPETITIVE & ATTRACTIVE TERMS

- Received 35 battery storage proposals
- Majority are located on the transmission level
- Remainder are at the distribution level in & around the San Antonio region



PROJECT DETAILS	SUMMARY	
Duration	1 to 4 Hours	
Project Size	10 MWs to 400 MWs	
Approx. Indicative Pricing for Capacity offers	\$3/KW-month to \$15/KW-month	

ALTERNATIVE TECHNOLOGIES PUSHING CONVENTIONAL BOUNDARIES





Technologies promising longer duration, higher efficiency and less degradation than today's battery storage.

OUR PATH FORWARD



- Finalize RFP documents & evaluation process
- Continue community & stakeholder outreach
- Launch *FlexPOWER Bundle* RFP



Thank You