

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (“RFP”)

KYMEA SUPPLY OF RECIPROCATING INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE-GENERATOR SETS, OUTDOOR ENCLOSURES, SWITCHGEAR, CONTROLS, AND AUXILIARIES

RFP No. 2026-1 TYGARTS CREEK STATION GENERATOR EQUIPMENT PROCUREMENT

The Kentucky Municipal Energy Agency ("KYMEA") seeks written proposals from qualified suppliers of reciprocating internal combustion engine-generator sets, enclosures, switchgear, control systems, auxiliary systems, remote start capability, and related equipment ("Proposers") for delivery to the KYMEA site in Olive Hill, Kentucky. These specifications cover the furnishing of the major generation equipment required for KYMEA's Tygarts Creek Station. A separate Installation Contractor will be responsible for construction of the facility foundations and associated site improvements, offloading, assembly, installation, field wiring and piping, and installation-related testing. The equipment Supplier shall provide the OEM engineering, installation review, startup, commissioning, performance testing, technical support, and guarantees assigned to the Supplier in Attachment 2.

The new facility is anticipated to begin commercial operation as soon as practicable following equipment delivery, installation, and commissioning. Proposers shall identify and guarantee their proposed delivery schedule. Proposers shall provide a detailed delivery schedule for all major equipment, including but not limited to engine-generator sets, enclosures, switchgear, control systems, and auxiliary systems, remote start capability, and related equipment. The proposed delivery schedule will be a significant evaluation criterion.

Proposers are required to submit any questions pertaining to this RFP by email no later than 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time on October 2, 2026. Proposals must be submitted no later than 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time on October 23, 2026, and shall comply with all requirements specified in this RFP.

All communications regarding this RFP shall be directed to: Rob Leesman reesman@kymea.org. Communications with KYMEA Board Members and other representatives of KYMEA and its Members may result in disqualification as more completely provided in the RFP. KYMEA reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, waive informalities or irregularities in any proposal received, and accept the proposal deemed to be in the best interests of KYMEA.

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Introduction to KYMEA and this RFP

The Kentucky Municipal Energy Agency ("KYMEA") was formed pursuant to Sections 65.210 through 65.300 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, as amended, known as the Interlocal Cooperation Act (the "Act"). KYMEA supplies all-requirements wholesale electric service to its members, which currently include the Cities of Bardwell, Falmouth, Madisonville, Olive Hill, Paris, and Providence, the Frankfort Plant Board, the Barbourville Utility Commission, and the Corbin City Utilities Commission (collectively, the "AR Members"). The aggregate peak demand and annual energy requirements of the AR Members are projected to be approximately 301 MW and 1,509,691 MWh, respectively, during 2026.

Through this RFP, KYMEA seeks written proposals from qualified suppliers of reciprocating internal combustion engine ("RICE")-generator sets, enclosures, switchgear, control systems, auxiliary systems, remote start capability, and related equipment ("Proposers") for delivery to KYMEA's Tygarts Creek Station¹ site in Olive Hill, Kentucky (each, a "Proposal").

The scope of this RFP includes the furnishing of the major electric generation equipment required for Tygarts Creek Station. A separate Installation Contractor will be responsible for construction of the facility foundations and associated site improvements, offloading, assembly, installation, field wiring and piping, and installation-related testing. The equipment Supplier shall provide the OEM engineering, installation review, startup, commissioning, performance testing, technical support, and guarantees assigned to the Supplier in Attachment 2, Division of Responsibilities. The facility is anticipated to begin commercial operation as soon as practicable following equipment delivery, installation, testing, and commissioning. Proposers shall identify and guarantee their proposed delivery schedule.

KYMEA will remotely start and operate the generating units procured under this RFP without onsite operating personnel. The units will supply the Olive Hill load as a PJM behind-the-meter generation resource. The facility is intended primarily to reduce KYMEA's wholesale power costs, improve operational flexibility and system reliability, and lower PJM capacity obligations. Olive Hill's historical hourly load has occasionally exceeded 6 MW. Historical hourly values do not necessarily represent instantaneous intrahour peak demand and shall not be treated as an absolute facility-design ceiling.

¹ The site is located in Olive Hill, Kentucky, adjacent to an existing electric substation. Approximate site coordinates are 38.293433° N, 83.183361° W, at an elevation of approximately 233 meters (764 feet) above mean sea level.

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KYMEA encourages Proposers to submit diesel-fueled proposals, natural gas-fueled proposals, or both. The Proposer shall recommend an appropriate fuel-supply arrangement.

1. For diesel-fueled proposals, the Proposer shall recommend an appropriate diesel fuel storage and delivery arrangement, which may include individual sub-base or day tanks, common bulk storage with individual day tanks, or another technically justified configuration capable of providing at least 12 hours of operation at full net dependable output. The units are expected to operate approximately 240 hours per year under the diesel operating scenario.
2. For natural gas-fueled proposals, the Proposer shall identify gas pressure, flow, fuel quality requirements, and all equipment required to connect to and utilize natural gas service. A 4-inch natural gas pipeline operating at approximately 100 psig is located within several hundred feet of the project site. Proposers shall identify all utility interconnection requirements, required gas pressure at the engine skid, fuel conditioning requirements, compression requirements, if any, and all equipment necessary to provide a complete and operable fuel system. The units are expected to operate approximately 2,000 hours per year under the natural gas operating scenario.

Individual runs may range from as little as one hour to as long as one week. The facility shall support no-export grid-parallel operation, intentional island operation, black-start capability, dead-bus energization, load following, and resynchronization to the AEP system. These estimates are provided solely for informational purposes for proposal development and evaluation and do not guarantee minimum operating hours. Proposers shall clearly state all assumptions regarding fuel supply, operating limitations, maintenance requirements, emissions compliance, availability guarantees, overhaul intervals, and expected annual operating hours for the proposed equipment.

This RFP requires the submission of technical, commercial, operating, and schedule information necessary for KYMEA to evaluate alternatives and determine whether competitive negotiations should be undertaken with one or more Proposers.

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Negotiation Procedure - RFP Form 1

This RFP will be conducted under the provisions of the Kentucky Model Procurement Code, specifically Kentucky Revised Statutes 45A.370 titled Competitive Negotiation. Written or oral discussions will be conducted with the responsible Proposers whose proposals are determined in writing by KYMEA or its consultants to be reasonably susceptible of being selected for award based on qualifications and the evaluation factors provided in the RFP.

Any award granted hereunder is subject to KYMEA's successful negotiation of any remaining unresolved terms to be included in a final procurement agreement(s) with a responsible Proposer in order to achieve the best and most advantageous terms and conditions for KYMEA and its Members relating to the purchase of reciprocating internal combustion engine-generator sets for Tygarts Creek Station.

Proposers understand that KYMEA reserves the right to make an award on the basis of initial proposals without discussions, subject to the successful negotiation of a final procurement agreement.

Proposers are required to submit with their Proposals a completed copy of the Notice of Negotiation Procedure, RFP Form 1, in acknowledgment of their understanding and acceptance of this negotiation procedure.

Qualification of Proposers – RFP Form 2

KYMEA anticipates that successful Proposers will have the following characteristics. KYMEA reserves the right, but is not required, to reject Proposals from Proposers that do not possess the characteristics outlined below.

- a) Proposers must demonstrate experience with designing, manufacturing, and delivering reciprocating internal combustion engine-generator sets and all necessary auxiliary equipment for commercial operation in utility service;
- b) Proposers shall have the authority to do business in the Commonwealth of Kentucky;
- c) Proposers shall demonstrate financial capacity acceptable to KYMEA through public credit ratings, audited financial statements, manufacturer or parent guarantees, letters of credit, performance security, or another form of credit assurance acceptable to KYMEA;
- d) Proposers shall demonstrate bonding or other performance-security capability appropriate to the scope and value of the proposal. A Proposer submitting the optional turnkey proposal shall demonstrate performance-bonding capability of at least \$10 million;

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- e) Proposers must demonstrate experience in successfully providing this RFP's scope of supply to a minimum of three utility-scale electric generating facilities;
- f) Proposers must provide a minimum of three positive references for completed utility-scale projects involving reciprocating internal combustion engine-generator sets within the last five years.

All Proposers are required to submit to KYMEA with their Proposals a completed Qualification of Proposers form. The Qualification of Proposers form is included as RFP Form 2.

Communications Regarding this RFP and Submission of Proposals, Data, and Forms

From the date this RFP is advertised until a notice of recommended award, notice of rejection of all Proposals or other notice is made, Proposers are required to confine all communication related to this RFP exclusively to the contact person at Kentucky Municipal Energy Agency specified below and any other representatives designated by that person. Unless authorized in advance, no contact related to the RFP will be permitted between a Proposer, its employees, representatives, or affiliates and any board member, officer, official, director, employee, representative, or other staff of KYMEA or any municipality or municipal utility that is, or is considering becoming, a Member of KYMEA. Any unauthorized contact will be the basis for disqualification of the Proposer from further consideration.

All questions regarding this RFP, technical or otherwise, should be submitted electronically by e-mail in accordance with the RFP Schedule below to:

KYMEA Tygarts Creek Station RFP
c/o Rob Leesman
E-mail: rleesman@KYMEA.org

Only responses provided in writing by KYMEA will be considered official. A verbal response by KYMEA will not be considered an official response. Responses to questions determined by KYMEA, at its sole discretion, to be applicable to the RFP process in general and all published addenda will be provided on the KYMEA website at www.kymea.org/information/request-for-proposals/. Questions, answers, and addenda will be communicated in electronic form.

If discussions pertaining to the revision of the specifications or quantities are held with any potential Proposer, all other potential Proposers shall be afforded an opportunity to take part in such discussions. At KYMEA's sole discretion, a Request for Proposals based on revised specifications or quantities may then be issued as promptly as possible, shall provide for an expeditious response to the revised requirements, and shall be awarded upon the basis of the best overall benefit to KYMEA determined by applying the criteria set forth in the Request for Proposals.

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Each Proposal, including RFP Forms 1 through 5, all technical information required by Attachment 1, all other required supporting data and information, and a completed copy of Attachment 2 confirming acceptance of the stated responsibility assignments and identifying all proposed deviations or exceptions, must be submitted by email to the following address by the deadline shown below under "RFP Schedule." Each Proposal shall also include a copy of Attachment 2 confirming acceptance of the stated responsibility assignments and identifying all proposed deviations or exceptions.

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c/o Rob Leesman
Email: rleesman@KYMEA.org

RFP Schedule

The timetable for this RFP process is shown below. The dates and times set forth below may be changed at any time at the discretion of KYMEA. All deadlines for submittals due from Proposers are specified in Eastern Time ("Eastern").

Milestone	Due Date
Release of RFP by KYMEA	September 14, 2026
Last date by which Proposers may submit questions regarding the RFP By Email to: rleesman@KYMEA.org	2:00 p.m. Eastern, October 2, 2026
KYMEA issues responses to Proposer questions and any resulting addenda	October 7, 2026
Proposal Submission (Include, as part of the Proposal, Forms 1 through 5, a completed copy of Attachment 2, all technical information required by Attachment 1, and all other required supporting data and information.) By Email to rleesman@KYMEA.org	2:00 p.m. Eastern October 23, 2026

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After receipt of Proposals, KYMEA intends to request any clarification deemed necessary and then perform screening and other analyses. Further discussions and, if appropriate, negotiations will then be initiated with one or more Proposers deemed reasonably susceptible of being selected for award.

KYMEA will include in the procurement agreement certain conditions precedent to its obligations to purchase the reciprocating internal combustion engine-generator sets and associated auxiliaries. Those conditions precedent will include, without limitation:

1. Completing all required PJM, AEP, Olive Hill, environmental, permitting, interconnection, protection, metering, and behind-the-meter resource registration processes on terms acceptable to KYMEA.

Acceptance and Disqualification of Proposals

KYMEA reserves the right to accept the Proposal that, in its sole judgment, best meets the needs and objectives of KYMEA and its Members, to reject any and all Proposals, and to waive irregularities and formalities in any Proposal that is submitted.

Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, KYMEA may accept or reject Proposals that are incomplete or irregular, omit any item that the RFP requires, or do not include timely submittal of all required RFP information and forms.

Proposers may submit Proposals that deviate from the specific requirements of the RFP. KYMEA at its sole discretion may accept and evaluate, or disqualify, any non-conforming Proposals received.

Reserved Rights of KYMEA

At any stage in the RFP process, KYMEA reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to:

- a) Accept or reject any and/or all conforming or non-conforming Proposals received in response to this RFP;
- b) Waive any individual Proposal requirement if deemed in KYMEA's best interest;
- c) Accept one, multiple, or no Proposals;
- d) Accept quantities and terms different from those sought in the RFP upon mutual agreement of KYMEA and the Proposer;
- e) Accept or reject any Proposals received after the submittal deadlines;
- f) Accept or reject any Proposal if the Proposer fails to fully complete and timely submit all required RFP Forms;
- g) Not disclose information which KYMEA has determined may be confidential or may be subject to a non-disclosure or confidentiality agreement between KYMEA and a Proposer;

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- h) Negotiate arrangements for procurement and delivery with one or more Proposers;
- i) Request clarifications from Proposers at any time;
- j) Amend this RFP at any time;
- k) Cease negotiations with any or all Proposers at any time;
- l) Set deadlines for completing negotiations of agreements; and
- m) Disqualify a Proposer during the negotiations for failing to honor the terms of the RFP or those contained in its Proposal.

Confidentiality of Information

KYMEA anticipates taking reasonable steps consistent with applicable Kentucky law relating to governmental agencies and open records requests to maintain the confidentiality of proposed pricing and other commercially sensitive information provided by Proposers, including, upon request of a Proposer, entering into a non-disclosure agreement (“NDA”) acceptable to KYMEA. The form of an acceptable Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Power Supply Resources Sought by KYMEA

The purpose of this RFP is to solicit Proposals for the supply of reciprocating internal combustion engine-generator sets, enclosures, switchgear, control systems, auxiliary systems, remote start capability, and related equipment for delivery to KYMEA's Tygarts Creek Station site in Olive Hill, Kentucky. These specifications cover the furnishing of the major equipment required for the power island at a new KYMEA facility to be constructed at the KYMEA site with commercial operation anticipated to begin as soon as practicable following equipment delivery, installation, testing, and commissioning. Proposers shall identify and guarantee their proposed delivery schedule. A separate installation contractor will be responsible for construction of the new power plant site, installation of the equipment supplied under this contract, and piping and wiring of the systems to make the facility operational.

The prices stated in the Proposal shall include all materials, freight to the plant site, and field-service supervision necessary to confirm that the equipment is installed and tested as specified. The Proposer shall further provide engineering and design support, startup and commissioning assistance, testing, checkout, and training as described in the Division of Responsibilities section of this RFP (provided as Attachment 2 to this RFP) for the material and services supplied.

KYMEA seeks separate Proposals for a modular stationary reciprocating engine generation facility fueled by ultra-low sulfur diesel or pipeline natural gas. Proposers may submit either fuel alternative or both. Each Base Proposal shall consist of two identical engine-generator

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sets. The Proposer shall select standard commercially available equipment that provides aggregate net dependable output generally near 5 MW at the facility point of interconnection under the specified site conditions. KYMEA is not prescribing a specific engine-generator set rating. Proposers shall also provide a separately priced option for one additional engine-generator set identical to the applicable Base Proposal units and shall state the resulting aggregate net dependable output of the expanded facility.

- RICE engine-generator sets with control and indication equipment, enclosures, switchgear, and other accessory equipment.
- All major auxiliary equipment associated with the power plant facility and required to operate the RICE engines such as fuel control equipment and lubrication.
- All engine-generator sets and associated auxiliaries shall be identical in manufacturer, model, rating, configuration, and emissions-control arrangement. The Base Proposal shall consist of two identical units. Proposers shall separately price one additional identical unit. Proposers shall state gross generator output, site derating, auxiliary consumption, and net dependable output at the facility point of interconnection.

The equipment and systems which will be furnished and constructed by others include, without limitation, the following:

- Site work including grading, fill, drainage, and surfacing.
- Construction of the power plant site including foundations and fencing.
- Installation of equipment supplied by Proposer pursuant to this RFP.

The detailed delineation of the scope of supply responsibilities is outlined in the attached Division of Responsibilities document (provided as Attachment 2 to this RFP).

Proposers shall complete the diesel-fueled proposal options, natural gas-fueled proposal options, or both, as applicable, in RFP Form 3. Additional technical and scope requirements for each fuel technology are contained in Attachments 1 and 2.

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Facility Sizing and Loading Requirements

The proposed facility shall be capable of continuous operation at 100% rated net dependable output under the specified site conditions. Proposers shall identify:

- Recommended operating loading range
- Minimum stable load per unit
- Minimum continuous recommended load
- Unit commitment strategy
- Fuel consumption curves
- Start time and synchronization time
- Load acceptance and ramp-rate capability
- One-unit-out operating capability

No-Export Control

The facility shall operate as a behind-the-meter no-export generating resource unless export is specifically authorized by AEP. The control system shall continuously monitor power flow at the Olive Hill/AEP billing point and regulate generator output to prevent unintended export. Proposers shall describe import-margin control, runback logic, unloading logic, meter-failure response, and communications-failure response.

Interconnection

The facility is anticipated to interconnect to Olive Hill's 12.47 kV nominal, three-phase, 60 Hz, grounded-wye distribution feeder adjacent to the AEP 69 kV substation, at or near the point where KYMEA meters Olive Hill load for PJM and AEP billing. The Base Proposal shall be based on a 12.47 kV facility interconnection voltage. Final generator voltage, neutral-grounding arrangement, feeder configuration, metering, breaker configuration, ownership boundaries, protection requirements, and interconnection equipment shall be established during final design in coordination with KYMEA, Olive Hill, and AEP. Proposers shall clearly identify any assumptions concerning the connection of the generator neutral to the distribution system.

Emissions Requirements

Proposed equipment shall be suitable and legally certified or otherwise approved for stationary non-emergency operation, including economic dispatch, capacity peak reduction, transmission peak reduction, and high-price energy operation. Equipment certified solely for emergency stationary use is not acceptable as the Base Proposal.

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Availability

Proposer shall provide five-year historical NERC GADS Equivalent Availability, Equivalent Forced Outage Rate, and Scheduled Outage Factor statistics for the proposed engine-generator model. If model-specific NERC GADS information is unavailable, the Proposer may provide statistically representative fleet-performance information for substantially similar units. The Proposer shall clearly identify the population size, operating hours, service type, and methodology used to calculate the reported statistics.

KYMEA prefers that Proposers include a contractual availability guarantee. The contractual availability guarantee shall be supported by the NERC GADS information or equivalent fleet-performance information provided by the Proposer. KYMEA will evaluate qualifying Proposals using availability criteria determined to be the most advantageous to KYMEA.

Proposers that provide a contractual availability guarantee should propose a method for compensating KYMEA if the guaranteed availability level is not achieved. A Proposer may propose liquidated damages or service credits calculated on an amount per percentage point below the guaranteed availability level, extended warranty coverage, corrective maintenance, replacement equipment, or another commercially reasonable remedy.

If Proposers elect not to provide a contractual availability guarantee, KYMEA will evaluate the availability-based component of the Proposal based on the historical performance information provided, including NERC GADS data, fleet-performance information, warranty commitments, maintenance philosophy, and other proposed commercial or performance commitments.

Proposers shall provide expected annual maintenance requirements based on approximately 240 operating hours per year for diesel-fueled proposals and approximately 2,000 operating hours per year for natural gas-fueled proposals and shall identify any operating limitations associated with prolonged operation below the recommended unit-loading range.

Proposers shall identify all recommended major maintenance intervals, expected annual maintenance hours, required planned outage duration, and any operating restrictions associated with low-load operation, repeated starts, or prolonged operation below the recommended loading range.

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Proposal Commitment

Each Proposer shall hold the pricing, terms, conditions, and other commitments contained in its Proposal firm for at least 180 days after the Proposal submission deadline.

Evaluation of Proposals

The evaluation of Proposals submitted in response to this RFP will consider the impact of a Proposal on the KYMEA Members' total long-term net cost of power on a present value basis.

Projections of a Proposal's impact on the Members' long term net costs of power may include, but not be limited to, consideration of the proposed price for the scope of services identified in this RFP, costs of energy during periods when the proposed resource is not fully available, transmission related costs (including congestion and losses on other systems), environmental costs, and fuel costs. KYMEA's consideration of a Proposal also may qualitatively and/or quantitatively consider: (i) risks that actual costs may be higher than projected; (ii) uncertainties that may impact the ability of the respondent to perform as proposed; (iii) flexibility and optionality that may be provided to KYMEA; (iv) the potential volatility relative to other options in the projected costs of the Proposal; and (v) delivery schedule timeframe and risks for materials and services requested. The information provided in the Proposal regarding equipment and services offered, scheduling, constraints, type(s) of fuel, expected availability, and availability guarantees will be used in the development of the above-described analysis. KYMEA also will make assumptions regarding, and use forecasts of, fuel, market prices for capacity and energy, and environmental compliance requirements in performing the evaluation.

Consistent with the above, the factors to be considered in the evaluation, in declining order of relative importance, are the following:

1. Projected net cost of power over the life of the equipment using the criteria and methodology stated above;
2. Uncertainties concerning performance and availability;
3. Flexibility and other optionality afforded to KYMEA by the Proposer;
4. Uncertainties concerning the transmission, interconnection, protection, metering, and operating arrangements associated with the Olive Hill/AEP electrical system;
5. Creditworthiness of Proposer;
6. Delivery schedule flexibility for equipment provided by Proposer pursuant to this RFP; and
7. Proposer's general terms and conditions (refer to RFP Form 5 hereto).

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KYMEA reserves the unilateral right to make all decisions and judgments as to the assessment of all Proposals, the appropriate assumptions to be used in the analyses, and the weight to be given to each factor.

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Proposer understands that KYMEA reserves the right to make an award on the basis of initial proposals without discussions, subject to the successful negotiation of a final agreement.

Non-conforming Proposals

Proposers are not precluded from submitting Proposals for alternatives outside of the specific requirements of this RFP for KYMEA's potential consideration.

KYMEA reserves the right, but has no obligation, to evaluate and qualify any such non-conforming Proposals as it may determine, in its sole discretion, to be in its interest to consider. Any Proposals not meeting the requirements of this RFP are subject to disqualification.

Other Considerations and Requirements

Consistent with KRS 45A.494, Kentucky resident preference will be a consideration in the evaluation of qualified Proposals.

A duly authorized representative of the Proposer must sign all RFP forms and other documents requiring signature.

Basis of Award

If an award is made, it shall be made to the responsible Proposer whose proposal is determined in writing to be the most advantageous to KYMEA based upon the evaluation factors set forth in the RFP and the reciprocal preference for resident bidders required by KRS 45A.494, provided, however, any award made hereunder by KYMEA shall be subject to

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KYMEA's successful negotiation of a final procurement agreement in order to achieve terms and conditions which are determined by KYMEA, in its sole discretion, to be most advantageous to KYMEA and its Members based upon the evaluation factors set forth in the RFP.

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RFP Form 1: NOTICE OF NEGOTIATION PROCEDURE

The undersigned Proposer, having read and examined the specifications and documents for the designated goods and/or services requested under this RFP, hereby acknowledges that this RFP will be conducted under the provisions of the Kentucky Model Procurement Code, specifically Kentucky Revised Statutes 45A.370 titled Competitive Negotiation.

Written or oral discussions will be conducted with the responsible Proposers whose proposals are determined in writing by KYMEA or its consultants to be reasonably susceptible of being selected for award based on qualifications and the evaluation factors provided in the RFP. Any award granted hereunder is subject to KYMEA's successful negotiation of any remaining unresolved terms to be included in a final procurement agreement with a responsible Proposer in order to achieve the best and most advantageous terms and conditions for KYMEA and its Members relating to the scope of equipment and services specified in this RFP.

Proposer understands that KYMEA reserves the right to make an award on the basis of initial proposals without discussions, subject to the successful negotiation of a final procurement agreement. The undersigned acknowledges and understands that if all Proposers are rejected, KYMEA has the option of seeking Proposals through a subsequent RFP process.

From the date this RFP is advertised until a notice of recommended award, notice of rejection of all Proposals or other notice is made, Proposers are required to confine all communication related to this RFP exclusively to the contact person at Kentucky Municipal Energy Agency as specified in the Communications Regarding this RFP and Submission of Proposals, Data, and Forms section of this RFP below and any other representatives designated by that person. Unless authorized in advance, no contact related to the RFP will be permitted between a Proposer, its employees, representatives, or affiliates and any board member, officer, official, director, employee, representative or other staff of KYMEA or any municipality or municipal utility that is, or is considering becoming, a Member of KYMEA. Any unauthorized contact will be the basis for disqualification of the Proposer from further consideration.

All Proposals are subject to all other specifications and requirements provided for in this RFP.

Name of Company _____

Authorized Signature _____

Printed Name _____

Title _____

Date _____

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RFP Form 2: QUALIFICATION OF PROPOSERS

Company Name: _____

Company Contact Information

- Name _____
- Title _____
- Address 1 _____
- Address 2 _____
- City, State, Zip _____
- Email: _____
- Phone number: _____

Classification of Company:

- Manufacturer Check if Yes _____
- Construction Contractor Check if Yes _____
- Developer Check if Yes _____
- Distributor Check if Yes _____

Licensed in Kentucky: Yes _____ No: _____

Number of Years in Business: _____

Current Credit Rating, if applicable: _____ Standard and Poor's
_____ Moody's
_____ Fitch

Bonding or Other Performance Security Capability: \$ _____ or describe: _____

**If no public credit rating is available, describe or attach
the proposed form of financial assurance:**

Authorized Signature of Proposer: _____

Printed Name _____

Date _____

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RFP Form 3: PRICING AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Proposers may submit a diesel-fueled proposal, a natural gas-fueled proposal, or both. A Proposer is not required to submit both fuel alternatives to be considered responsive. Each submitted fuel alternative shall be complete and independently priced.

Unless expressly identified otherwise, the Base Proposal price shall include all equipment and services assigned to the Supplier in Attachment 2. Items assigned to the Contractor or KYMEA are excluded from the Base Proposal price but shall be included in an optional turnkey price to the extent assigned to the Turnkey Proposer.

DIESEL-FUELED PROPOSAL OPTION

Pricing and Technical Information to Be Submitted for the Options Described in the RFP and Attachment 1

Option D-1: Base Proposal

Provide price and technical information for Option D-1, including all equipment and services identified as Supplier-furnished in Attachment 2, Division of Responsibilities, and specified in Attachment 1, Technical Specifications.

\$_____ in US Dollars

Technical Information (per Attachment 1 to this RFP):

Option D-2: Expansion Proposal

Provide the incremental price and technical information for one additional engine-generator set identical to the two Base Proposal units, including all associated incremental equipment and services required by Attachments 1 and 2.

\$_____ in US Dollars

Option D-3: Fuel Storage Options Proposal

Price and technical information for Option D-3.

D-3a: Twelve-hour fuel-storage and delivery system

Included in the Option D-1 Base Proposal price. State the included amount below for informational and evaluation purposes only. The amount shall not be added to the Option D-1 price.

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\$_____ in US Dollars

D-3b: Incremental 24-hour fuel-capacity alternate

\$_____ in US Dollars

Option D-4: Optional Enhancements Proposal

Price and technical information for Option D-4.

D-4a: Turnkey facility proposal

The turnkey alternate may be based on clearly stated assumptions, allowances, exclusions, and unit prices where final site, permitting, utility, or interconnection requirements are unavailable. The Proposer shall identify which portions of the turnkey price are firm and which are budgetary or subject to adjustment.

\$_____ in US Dollars

D-4b: Temporary load bank

\$_____ in US Dollars

D-4c: 60 dBA acoustic alternate

\$_____ in US Dollars

D-4d: Extended warranty

\$_____ in US Dollars

D-4e: Two-year operating spares

\$_____ in US Dollars

D-4f: Capital spares

\$_____ in US Dollars

D-4g: Fuel-polishing system

\$_____ in US Dollars

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Option D-5: LTSA Proposal

Provide price and technical information for Option D-5, the purchase of a Long-Term Service Agreement for all engine-generator sets and associated auxiliaries identified as Supplier-furnished in Attachment 2, Division of Responsibilities, and specified in Attachment 1, Technical Specifications. Attach a complete LTSA pricing schedule identifying the proposed term, fixed charges, variable charges, escalation provisions, included maintenance events and parts, exclusions, mobilization charges, response commitments, and termination provisions.

D-5a: LTSA pricing for the two-unit Base Proposal

\$_____ in US Dollars

D-5b: Incremental LTSA pricing for the optional third identical unit

\$_____ in US Dollars

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NATURAL GAS-FUELED PROPOSAL OPTION

Pricing and Technical Information to Be Submitted for the Options Described in the RFP and Attachment 1

Option NG-1: Base Proposal

Provide price and technical information for Option NG-1, including all equipment and services identified as Supplier-furnished in Attachment 2, Division of Responsibilities, and specified in Attachment 1, Technical Specifications.

\$ _____ in US Dollars

Technical Information (per Attachment 1 to this RFP):

Option NG-2: Expansion Proposal

Provide the incremental price and technical information for one additional engine-generator set identical to the two Base Proposal units, including all associated incremental equipment and services required by Attachments 1 and 2.

\$ _____ in US Dollars

Option NG-3: Fuel Storage Options Proposal

Propane backup capability is an optional alternate and is not required for responsiveness. If the proposed natural gas engine is not capable of propane operation, the Proposer shall enter "Not Available" and briefly explain the limitation.

Price and technical information for Option NG-3. The NG-3 prices shall include all Supplier-designed and Supplier-furnished equipment assigned under Attachment 2. Foundations, site installation, external field piping, field wiring, and other Contractor-assigned work are excluded from the equipment-only NG-3 prices and shall be included only in the applicable turnkey alternate.

NG-3a: Twelve-hour propane fuel-storage and delivery system

For natural gas-fueled proposals, provide pricing and technical information for operation on propane during interruption of natural gas service. Identify required propane storage capacity, expected runtime at full load, fuel-switching methodology, operational limitations, emissions impacts, and

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maintenance implications.

\$_____ in US Dollars

NG-3b: Incremental 24-hour propane fuel-capacity alternate

\$_____ in US Dollars

Option NG-4: Optional Enhancements Proposal

Price and technical information for Option NG-4.

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\$_____ in US Dollars

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RFP Form 4: PROPOSER EXCEPTIONS

All Proposer exceptions must be documented in this section. Other than specific exceptions documented in this section, Proposer's submittal will be evaluated assuming full compliance with the requirements of this RFP.

Introduction of exceptions after the proposal submittal may, at the sole discretion of KYMEA, be grounds for disqualification.

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RFP Form 5: PROPOSER TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Proposer must attach its contractual terms and conditions associated with the sale and delivery of equipment as specified in the Proposer's response to this RFP. KYMEA will consider these terms and conditions as part of the RFP evaluation process.