Clean Energy Alliance JOINT POWERS AUTHORITY

Regular Board Meeting August 20, 2020, 2 p.m. Hosted by the City of Solana Beach

Item 2: Clean Energy Alliance Interim Chief Executive Officer & Regulatory Affairs Update

Barbara Boswell, Interim Chief Executive Officer Ty Tosdal, Tosdal APC

- Recommendation
 - Receive & file CEA Interim Chief Executive Officer Report
 - Receive & file CEA Regulatory Affairs Update Report

- CEA Launch Schedule
 - San Diego Gas & Electric Billing Replacement Delay
 - CEA working with SDG&E to determine amended launch schedule
 - Potential 2-phased approach
 - May 2021 SEA transition to CEA & select "non-complex" accounts
 - June 2021 all remaining accounts
 - Staff working with SDG&E, Calpine & Pacific Energy Advisors to determine customer mix that minimizes risk of billing issues, and impact to CEA financial results

- Communications & Marketing RFP Results
 - May 21, 2020 Board Authorized RFP
 - Scope of Work
 - Community outreach and stakeholder engagement
 - CEA branding, design, messaging and identity
 - Website update, content development related to CEA implementation and maintenance
 - Regulatory required noticing, marketing and advertising campaign
 - Media relations and public affairs
 - Project management/performance metrics

- Eleven proposals received
 - Proposals evaluated based on:
 - Experience & Qualifications
 - Approach to performance of scope of work
 - Project costs
 - Four firms short-listed invited to interview
 - Top two firms references were checked

- Tripepi Smith selected through this evaluation process
 - Experience performing similar work for new CCAs
 - Firm focus on local government communications & marketing
 - Contract cost is within CEA Interim Chief Executive Officer authority of \$100,000 and within FY 2020/21 approved budget
- Tripepi Smith team available for Board introduction and questions

- Regulatory Affairs Update Ty Tosdal, Tosdal APC
 - SDG&E Trigger Application (A.20-07-009)
 - SDG&E ERRA Proceeding (A.20-04-014)
 - Integrated Resource Planning (R.20-05-003)

Board Questions/Discussion

Item 3: Clean Energy Alliance Integrated Resource Plan

Barbara Boswell, Interim Chief Executive Officer John Dalessi, Pacific Energy Advisors

- Recommendation
 - Adopt Resolution Approving CEA Integrated Resource Plan

- Background
 - All CPUC jurisdictional load serving entities must file an IRP with the CPUC every two years
 - 2020 IRP consists of a narrative template, resource data template, and clean system power calculator (GHG calculator) showing planned energy and capacity resources through 2030
 - Plans are assessed for reliability, greenhouse gas emissions, and local air pollutant minimization in disadvantaged communities
 - Two plans are required, consistent with a statewide GHG emission limit for the electric sector for 2030 of 46 MMT and a lower limit of 38 MMT

LSE	Proportion of 2030 emissions inclusive of industrial load*	2030 Load (GWh)	Proportion of 2030 Load within IOU Territory	2030 GHG emissions benchmark (MMT) 46 MMT scenario	2030 GHG emissions benchmark (MMT) 38 MMT scenario	
SDG&E Area						
Bundled		5,366	29.46%	1.198	0.990	
Direct Access		3,940	21.63%	0.880	0.727	
Clean Energy Alliance	8.84%	992	5.45%	0.222	0.183	
Solana Energy Alliance		0	0.00%	0.000	0.000	
San Diego Community Power		7,914	43.45%	1.768	1.460	

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- CEA Board Determination regarding
 - CEA's Preferred Conforming Portfolios
 - Achieves economic, reliability, environmental, security and other benefits consistent with Utilities Code Section 454.52
 - Includes a diversified procurement portfolio consisting of shortterm and long-term electricity and electricity-related and demand reduction products
 - Achieves Resource Adequacy requirements
 - Consistent with the procurement timing, resource mix and operational attributes of 38MMT RSP And 46MMT RSP

- CEA Preferred Conforming Portfolios
 - 38 MMT Preferred Conforming Portfolio
 - 82% renewable energy content by 2030, reflecting progress toward 100% goal by 2035
 - 5% large hydro energy
 - 13% system energy
 - 46 MMT Preferred Conforming Portfolio
 - 74% renewable energy content by 2030 (limited to meet GHG benchmark)
 - 26% system energy

- Planned Capacity Resources
 - 150/75 MW of new solar + storage
 - 75 MW of new wind
 - 7 MW of new long duration storage
 - 117 MW of existing resource adequacy capacity needed to meet reliability obligations
- New CEA resource additions may be adapted in future IRP processes to the extent actual procurement differs from noted projections

- IRP narrative developed based on template consistent with CCAs throughout state
- Meets Utilities Code requirements
- Reflects State benchmarks and resources build-out forecasts
- Will be filed by due date of September 1, 2020

Board Discussion

Barbara Boswell, Interim Chief Executive Officer

- Recommendation
 - Authorize Interim Chief Executive Officer to execute \$400,000
 Promissory Note with Calpine Energy Solutions to provide operational funding through February 2021, subject to General Counsel Approval
 - Direct Interim Chief Executive Officer to continue to work towards a credit solution for remaining CEA start-up funding needs and to return with options at the November 19, 2020 CEA Board Meeting

- Background
 - June 18, 2020 Board considered credit solution options
 - Funding Needed for FY 20/21 through start-up:

Funding for FY 20/21 Operating Budget	\$ 1,000,000
Repayment of initial Member Advances	450,000
CAISO Deposit	500,000
Lockbox Reserves & Cash flow	 2,500,000
Total Funding Needed	\$ 4,450,000

- Board considered two options: River City Bank (RCB) and JP Morgan
 - Selected RCB as option to initially pursue

- RCB Option
 - Requires Security for \$2.5M of credit line
 - Board directed staff contact Member Agencies regarding possibility of providing the loan guaranty
 - Pro-rata share of guaranty based on load:

AGENCY	% OF LOAD	PRC	O-RATA SHARE
Carlsbad	90%	\$	2,250,000
Del Mar	3%	\$	75,000
Solana Beach	7%	\$	175,000

- July 8 Solana Beach Approved Loan Guaranty
- July 20 Del Mar Approved Loan Guaranty
- July 14 Carlsbad considered loan guaranty and alternative option of providing the credit solution
- July 28 Carlsbad City Council considered possible terms of CEA financing – did not approve financing or the guaranty

- Carlsbad City Council cited concerns regarding
 - Uncertainty regarding launch schedule
 - Resolution expected late August/Early September
 - SDG&E ERRA Rate Proceeding & Impact to CEA Rates
 - Impacts known November
 - SDG&E Trigger Application & Impact to CEA
 - Impacts known September

- Credit Solution options:
 - Continue to Pursue RCB guaranty options from other sources
 - Begin working with JP Morgan for its credit solution
 - Loan from Calpine Energy Solutions for FY 20/21 Operational Budget Needs
 - Option up to \$650,000

 Staff recommends executing loan with Calpine in the amount of \$400,000 to fund operations through February 2021:

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Professional Consulting Services	\$	98,000
Technical Consulting Services		118,000
Legal Services		115,000
CalCCA Membership Dues		15,000
Balance due on CCA Bond		47,000
Operational costs through Feb 2021	\$	393,000

- Calpine Loan Terms:
 - Interest 1-Month LIBOR plus 2% on date funds deposited
 - Libor on 8/14/20 was .1515%
 - Repayment in twelve equal installments beginning 90-days after CEA begins serving customers
 - No recourse to Member Agencies
- Provide funding for operational costs while current areas of concern are resolved

Item 4: CEA Credit Solution

Board Discussion

Item 5: Clean Energy Alliance Inclusive & Sustainable Workforce Policy

Barbara Boswell, Interim Chief Executive Officer

Item 5: Clean Energy Alliance Inclusive & Sustainable Workforce Policy

- Recommendation
 - Review, Provide Input & Approve CEA Inclusive & Sustainable Workforce Policy

Item 5: Clean Energy Alliance Inclusive & Sustainable Workforce Policy

- Background
 - May 7, 2020 CEA Board provided input & direction to staff to bring an Inclusive & Sustainable Workforce Policy to Board for consideration
 - July 23, 2020 CEA Board considered draft Inclusive & Sustainable Workforce policy
 - Recommendations submitted to Board by IBEW 569
 - Directed staff to bring draft Policy back to CEA Board at next meeting.

Item 5: Clean Energy Alliance Inclusive & Sustainable Workforce Policy

Board Discussion

Item 6: Clean Energy Alliance Community Advisory Committee Work Plan

Barbara Boswell, Interim Chief Executive Officer

Item 6: CEA Community Advisory Committee Work Plan

- Recommendation:
 - Review, provide input and approve CEA Community Advisory Committee Scope of work and desired outcome for CAC work plan.

Item 6: CEA Community Advisory Committee Work Plan

Background:

- July 16, 2020 CAC Policy Approved
- July 23, 2020 CAC Timeline Approved
- August 3, 2020 CAC Applications Period Opened
- August 28, 2020 Applications due to Board Secretary
- October 15, 2020 Board to discuss & Approve Appointees
- November/December CAC First Meeting

Item 6: CEA Community Advisory Committee Work Plan

- Scope of Work Identified at May 7, 2020 Special Meeting:
 - Community Outreach
 - Social Equity Issues
 - CEA Program Review for meeting CEA goals of equity & innovation
 - Monitoring Climate Action Plan Goals
 - Play role in strategic plan process
- Further refine scope of work
- Board desired outcomes for scope of work

Item 6: CEA Community Advisory Committee Work Plan

Board Discussion

Barbara Boswell, Interim Chief Executive Officer

Recommendation

 Authorize Interim Chief Executive Officer to execute agreement with Pacific Energy Advisors to provide Portfolio Management Services, through June 30, 2023, for an amount not to exceed \$120,000, subject to General Counsel approval.

- Background
 - May 21, 2020 Board authorized issuance of RFQ for Portfolio Manager and Scheduling Coordinator Services
 - May 26, 2020 RFQ Issued
 - June 17, 2020 Responses Due

- Scope of Work
 - Task 1 Portfolio Manager
 - Portfolio Management Strategy
 - Energy Risk Management Policy Development
 - Power Procurement
 - Policy and Program Development
 - Other Services offered by Responder
 - Task 2 Scheduling Coordinator Services
 - Scheduling of Load into CAISO
 - Congestion Revenue Rights Management

- Responders could propose either or tasks
 - Task 1: Portfolio Manager 4 Responses
 - Task 2: Scheduling Coordinator 4 Responses
- Proposals were evaluated and short list developed
- Firms interviewed from short list
- Task 2 continues to be evaluated

Task 1 Short List

FIRM	NOT TO EXCEED AMOUNT	NOTES
Pacific Energy Advisors	\$100,000 FY 20/21 \$120,000 FY 21/22 & FY 22/23	Additional services added: Rate Setting Reporting included Monthly EIA and Quarterly QFER, and Joint Rate Comparison Preparation
The Energy Authority	\$103,000 FY 20/21 \$198,000 FY 21/22 & FY 22/23	
ZGlobal	\$69,100 FY 20/21 \$82,920 FY 21/22 & FY 22/23	

- Pacific Energy Advisors Recommended
 - Expertise in providing services
 - Additional value of services Added
 - Focus on supporting CCA programs
 - Cost effectiveness of proposal
 - Positive experience with PEA providing existing Scope of Services to CEA
- Pacific Energy Advisors available for Board questions/comments

 Scheduling Coordinator Services Recommendation anticipated for September 17, 2020 Board meeting

Item 7: CEA Award RFQ #2020-004 Portfolio Manager Svcs

Board Discussion

Barbara Boswell, Interim Chief Executive Officer

- Recommendation
 - Authorize Interim Chief Executive Officer to execute agreement with Marie Berkuti to provide Interim Treasurer Services, through June 30, 2021, for an amount not to exceed \$10,000, subject to General Counsel approval.

- Background
 - Section 5.4 of CEA Joint Powers Agreement requires Board Appoint Treasurer/Chief Financial Officer & Auditor
 - November 4, 2019 CEA Board appointed Marie Berkuti, City of Solana Beach Finance Director Treasurer as CEA Interim Treasurer
 - Ms. Berkuti is retiring from City of Solana Beach September 2020

- Inquiry of Member Agencies regarding providing Interim Treasurer Services
 - Current workloads don't allow the bandwidth
- Ms. Berkuti is available to continue to provide services on contractual basis through June 30, 2021
- Funds available in CEA Approved Budget to cover
- Solana Beach would continue to provide accounting services (processing of invoice payments, internal control)
- Board to determine subsequent Treasurer fulfillment thought FY 21/22 budget process

Board Discussion