**Public Notice: Energize CT Education Exhibit / Mobile Learning Experience**

Energize Connecticut℠ Sponsors, Eversource and Avangrid, Inc. subsidiaries United Illuminating, Southern Connecticut Gas and Connecticut Natural Gas (the Utilities), will issue a Request for Proposal (RFP) for the Education Traveling Exhibit and Mobile Learning Experience Program Management for Education K-12 School and Community Events across the state of Connecticut for the coming 3-year term.

The Utilities, on behalf of the Connecticut Energy Efficiency Fund, wish to solicit proposals from qualified companies and/or organizations. Bidders can submit proposals for any and/or all options.

**Option 1**: Program Management Services for both the Education K-12 School Events and Community Events. This would include the day-to-day operations of the existing Energy in Action Mobile Exhibit. This scope would begin estimated date January 1, 2025.

**Option 2**: Design and Build of new exhibit for Community Events ONLY including the design and build timeline. Anticipated build to begin January 2025.

**Option 3**. Program Management Services, this would include the day-to-day operations for Community Events ONLY using the new unit. This scope would begin estimated date January 1, 2025.

**Option 4:** Design and build a new exhibit for Education K-12 School Events. Anticipated build January 2025.

 **Option 5:** Program Management Services, this would include the day-to-day operations for Education K-12 School Events ONLY with existing unit (or using new unit). This scope would begin estimated date January 1, 2025.

Program Management Services include day to day scheduling, promotion, distribution, staffing, outreach, tracking and reporting, transportation and storage.

| **SCHEDULE:** | **DATES:** |
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| **Public Notice of RFP (Issue Date)** | **May 30, 2024** |
| **Bidder/Response Notification to Avangrid** | **June 7, 2024 COB** |
| **RFP Issue Date** | **June 14, 2024** |
| **Pre-Bid Conference Call****Invitation info to be sent to all bidders**  | **June 20, 2024 @ 10 AM** |
| **Question Submissions by Suppliers** | **June 24, 2024 COB** |
| **Utilities’ Answers to all Suppliers**  | **June 28, 2024 COB** |
| **RFP Bids Due Date** | **July 8, 2024** |
| **Optional Bidder Presentations (all virtual)** | **Week of August 12** |
| **RFP Award Date (estimated)** | **Mid-September** |

Avangrid will be conducting this RFP through our ARIBA e-sourcing platform.  If you are interested in participating in this RFP, please contact:

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**Respond by: June 7, 2024 at 5:00 PM EST**.