

**Notice to bidders in the 2021 All Source RFP:
Filing of PSE’s final CEIP and invitation to revise and/or augment Customer Benefit Plans**

On December 17, 2021, PSE filed its final 2021 Clean Energy Implementation Plan (“2021 CEIP”) with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (“WUTC”) in [docket UE-210795](#). The 2021 CEIP describes PSE’s initial plan to implement the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) for 2022–2025, including identifying customer benefit indicators (“CBIs”) to help PSE meet its clean energy goals in a way that reduces burdens and benefits all customers, including highly impacted communities and vulnerable populations.

PSE’s 2021 All Source RFP gives bidders an opportunity to revise and/or augment their proposals’ Customer Benefit Plans once the final CEIP has been filed (RFP Main Document, p. 21). We now invite you to do so, with the benefit of the CBI information published in the 2021 CEIP. Bidders can download the 2021 CEIP from PSE’s public Clean Energy Implementation Plan website (<https://www.cleanenergyplan.pse.com/ceip-documents>), or from the above-mentioned WUTC docket. We direct your attention to [Chapter 3](#) and [Appendix H](#) in particular. Chapter 3 presents the results of PSE’s work through the public participation process to define and identify highly impacted communities and vulnerable populations, and to develop CBIs that reflect the themes PSE heard from customers and stakeholders. Appendix H describes each CBI, its potential metrics and data sources, applicable populations, measurement, and examples.

We remind bidders that the information PSE requested from bidders as part of the Customer Benefit Plan minimum requirement appears on Tab 2a “Commercial Details” of the Exhibit B Bid Form. In addition, Tab 6 “Development Details” requests information about bidders’ labor plans. The criteria that PSE will use to evaluate bidders’ Customer Benefit Plans in Phase 1 appears in Exhibit A of the All Source RFP documents in the “CETA Equity Plan” category of the qualitative evaluation rubric (p. A-7). Exhibit A also provides guidance on PSE’s expectations from the Customer Benefit Plan and approach to evaluating and scoring (p. A-9 and A-10).

Although submitting revisions to and/or augmenting your Customer Benefit Plan is not required, we encourage all bidders to review the 2021 CEIP and consider the CBIs. The Resource Acquisitions team may also follow up with data requests in Phase 1 or Phase 2 (should a proposal advance) for further information or clarification. Please submit any revisions and/or additions to your Customer Benefit Plan as an attachment to an email to the All Source RFP Mailbox (AllSourceRFPmailbox@pse.com) no later than **5 PM (PST) January 31, 2022**.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

The PSE Resource Acquisitions Team