

- Expand the alternative fueling infrastructure available to existing fleets, public transit, and transportation corridors.
- Establish workforce training programs and conduct public outreach on the benefits of alternative transportation fuels and vehicle technologies.

KEY ACTIVITIES & DATES

Key activities including dates and times for this solicitation are presented below. An addendum will be released if the dates change for the asterisked (*) activities.

ACTIVITY	ACTION DATE
Solicitation Release	August 23, 2013
Deadline for Written Questions*	September 9 October 21 , 2013
Pre-Application Workshop*	September 6, 2013
Distribute Questions/Answers and Addenda (if any) to solicitation	October 4 29 , 2013
Deadline to Submit Applications by 3:00 p.m.*	October 25 November 14 , 2013
Anticipated Notice of Proposed Award Posting Date	December 6 20 , 2013
Anticipated Commission Business Meeting Date	April/May 2014
Anticipated Agreement Start Date	June 2014

AVAILABLE FUNDING AND HOW AWARD IS DETERMINED

There is a total of \$4.7 million available for the agreements resulting from this solicitation. The Energy Commission, at its sole discretion, reserves the right to increase or reduce the amount of funds available under this solicitation.

The Energy Commission expects to make at least three awards of up to \$1,566,667 each to be distributed among Northern California, Central California, and Southern California.

- Northern California includes the counties of Santa Cruz, Santa Clara, San Mateo, San Francisco, Merced, Stanislaus, Alameda, San Joaquin, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Mono, Alpine, Amador, Sacramento, Solano, Napa, Marin, Sonoma, Yolo, El Dorado, Placer, Sutter, Colusa, Lake, Mendocino, Glenn, Butte, Nevada, Sierra, Yuba, Plumas, Tehama, Lassen, Shasta, Trinity, Humboldt, Del Norte, Siskiyou, Mariposa, Madera, Modoc, and Contra Costa.
- Central California includes the counties of San Luis Obispo, Kern, Inyo, Tulare, Kings, Monterey, San Benito, and Fresno.
- Southern California includes the counties of Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, and Imperial.

Competitive Solicitation: Applicants compete based on selection criteria and are scored and ranked based on those criteria. The highest scoring proposal in each region, achieving at least the minimum technical score, will be recommended for funding.

If the Energy Commission does not receive passing proposal(s) requesting the full \$1,566,667 in one or more of the regions, the Energy Commission reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to redirect the remaining funding balance for that region to other regions that have passing, but unfunded proposals. Funds will be redirected to the highest scoring, unfunded applicant