

### RFP SUPPORT SERVICES

At a time when state and federal governments are setting massive renewable goals, and seeking large-scale projects to help meet that demand, successfully responding to competitive Requests For Proposal (RFPs) has become essential.

The cost of participating in an RFP far exceeds the bid fee.

Depending on the size of the RFP, you could be spending over \$100,000 on internal and external costs to create your bid response. The costs add up quickly:

- Preliminary engineering
- Securing land contracts
- Conducting interconnection screening
- Developing budget analysis
- Resource assessment
- Invested internal time and resources

Compass Energy Consulting's RFP Support Services act as an insurance policy on your bid response.

- We ensure your bids are compliant so you are not disqualified over a simple oversight.
- We free up bandwidth for your internal team to focus on more important or valuable tasks.
- We provide strategy and management services to ensure you meet deadlines and secure longer lead-time items.
- We offer quality control and strategic recommendations to make certain your submission is the best it can be.

With the high costs of submitting to a major renewable RFP, and the possibility losing a bid completely, you can't afford to skip quality control on your submission.

Has your company ever...

## Constructed RFP responses at the last minute?

Do you find yourself putting together RFP submissions at the last minute, reducing or eliminating time for proper quality control?

#### **Underestimated lead times?**

Have you found yourself starting long lead time items with barely enough time to complete them before the deadline?

# Missed part of a key submission item?

Has your bid ever been disqualified because of an administrative mistake or omission?

Answered "yes" to any of the above?

Compass Energy Consulting is your ticket to RFP success.



#### **Compass Energy Consulting Optimizes Your RFP Submission**

#### **Preparation**

- Understand the requirements of the RFP and prepare for items with a long lead time
- Get ahead of the potential for misinterpretation by submitting questions to the RFP team early to clarify the requirements.

#### **Planning**

- Become an expert in the RFP guidelines allowing your company to go above and beyond the minimum threshold requirements.
- Maintain timelines and internal due dates to ensure a final draft is prepared well in advance of the RFP deadline, with ample time for review and quality control.

#### **Strategy**

- Implement a structured approach for a successful RFP submission.
- Strategically prepare your bid response to maximize your performance specific to the RFP scoring matrix.

#### **Project Success**

- Maintain support, guidance, and quality control through regular communication.
- Assert your company as a leader in the industry by highlighting your strengths, which we will align with the goals/requirements of the RFP.



"Submitting competitive RFQ and RFP responses can be stressful. Having Compass on our team provides us with assurance that we avoid costly mistakes."

- Major Winner in New York Competitive Procurement

### Why Choose Compass Energy Consulting?

OVER

150+

PROJECTS SUPPORTED IN NORTH AMERICA

SUPPORTED OVER

5000<sub>MW</sub>

RENEWABLE ENERGY RFP
OUALIFICATIONS

OVER

60 YEARS

COMBINED TEAM EXPERIENCE

Compass makes renewable energy a reality by providing expert and nuanced advice to decision makers, with unparalleled experience in both public and private sector, and both large and small projects across Canada and US.

**Ready to Get Started?**