

Regional Renewable Energy Procurement

Under the leadership of Alameda County, the Regional Renewable Energy Procurement Project (R-REP) will bring renewable energy to up to 186 facilities across 19 Bay Area public agencies. Sites include community centers, libraries, fire stations, medical facilities, city halls and educational facilities. With approximately 31 megawatts of power included in the solicitation, if all sites are developed, these projects will effectively reduce greenhouse gas emissions each year by the amount that is generated by over 6,300 average-sized homes. For more information on the R-REP, visit: <http://www.jointventure.org/regionalcollaboration>.

Collaborative procurement of renewable energy provides public agencies the following benefits:

- Reduced transaction costs & administrative time;
- Competitive contract terms compared to similar projects;
- Standardized procurement documents, financing, and process;
- Reduction in greenhouse gas emissions; and
- Local economic activity and job growth.



Alameda County received bids for the R-REP in January 2014. The highly competitive response resulted in qualified proposals from between two and ten vendors for six of the bid bundles included in the solicitation. Sites were grouped together in bundles based on the size of the renewable energy system, geography, and unique contracting requirements. Proposals are currently being evaluated with an anticipated start to project development in the fourth quarter of 2014.

R-REP Timeline (dates subject to revision)

Participant evaluation panel makes recommendation for award for each bundle of sites	March 2014
Participants take recommended awards to City Council/Board for approval	Q2 2014
Site installations/site commissioning activities	Q3 2014 - Q4 2014
Celebrate success - groundbreaking/"flip-the-switch" events	Q4 2014 - Q4 2015

Roles

Lead Agency: Alameda County

Conveners: Joint Venture Silicon Valley Network & Contra Costa Economic Partnership

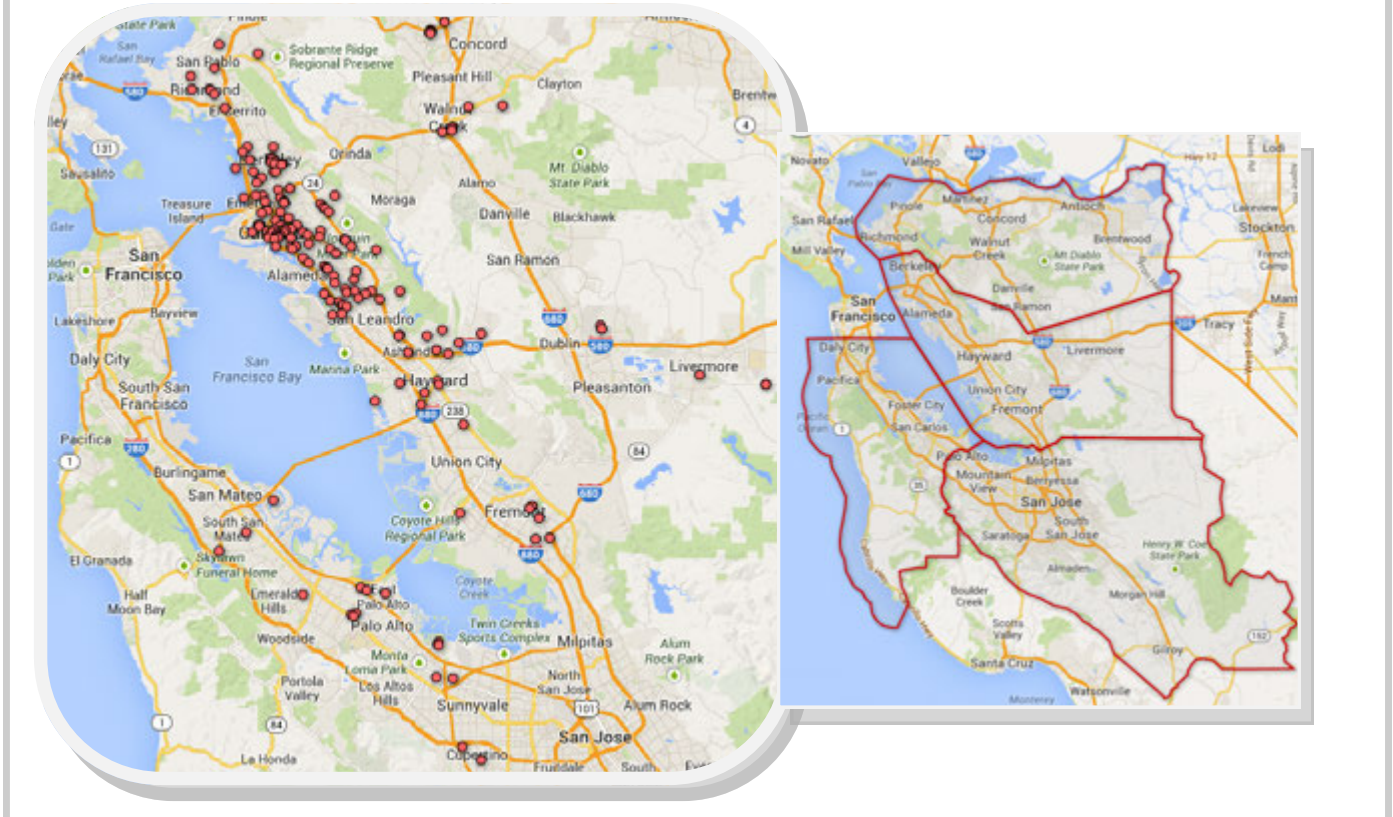
Consultants: Newcomb|Anderson|McCormick

Optony Inc.

KNN Public Finance, a division of Zions First National Bank

R-REP Prospective Sites

The R-REP solicitation included 186 publicly-owned sites (represented by red dots below) in four Bay Area Counties (outlined in red) for a total of approximately 31 megawatts of power.



Participating Agencies

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| 1. Alameda County Fire Department | 11. City of Oakland |
| 2. Castro Valley Sanitary District | 12. City of Redwood City |
| 3. Central Contra Costa Sanitary District | 13. City of Richmond |
| 4. City of Berkeley | 14. City of Walnut Creek |
| 5. City of Cupertino | 15. Contra Costa County |
| 6. City of Emeryville | 16. County of Alameda |
| 7. City of Foster City | 17. County of San Mateo |
| 8. City of Fremont | 18. Hayward Area Recreation and Park District |
| 9. City of Menlo Park | 19. University of California, Berkeley |
| 10. City of Mountain View | |

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