

Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: ICC Has Approved the Results of the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP

Published Date: December 14, 2023

On Thursday, December 14, 2023, the Illinois Commerce Commission (“ICC”) approved the results of the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP for Ameren Illinois Company, Commonwealth Edison Company, and MidAmerican Energy Company.

The Procurement Administrator is releasing information concerning the results of the procurement event. Please see the [Results](#) page of the Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield section of the procurement website.

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Bid Window Closing in 30 Minutes!

Published Date: December 8, 2023

The Bid Window for the Indexed REC RFP closes at **12 PM (noon) Central Prevailing Time TODAY, December 8, 2023**. All Bids must be submitted during the Bid Window and you must be available by phone during the cure deficiency period following the Bid Window between 12 PM (noon) to 1 PM CPT.

The confidential information for purposes of submitting your Bids has a **pink** background. Your login information for access to the secure bid transfer site and security code are provided in your confidential information. **Please notify the Procurement Administrator immediately if you are missing materials needed to submit your Bid and this information will be re-issued to you.**

Please contact us at Illinois-RFP@nera.com for any questions regarding the bid submission process.

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Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Bid Window is **NOW OPEN!**

Published Date: December 8, 2023

The Bid Window for the Indexed REC RFP is **NOW OPEN!** All Bids must be submitted during the Bid Window between **10 AM and 12 PM (noon) Central Prevailing Time TODAY, December 8, 2023** and you must be available by phone during the cure deficiency period following the Bid Window between 12 PM (noon) to 1 PM CPT.

The confidential information for purposes of submitting your Bids has a **pink** background. Your login information for access to the secure bid transfer site and security code are provided in your confidential information. **Please notify the Procurement Administrator immediately if you are missing materials needed to submit your Bid and this information will be re-issued to you.**

Please contact us at Illinois-RFP@nera.com for any questions regarding the bid submission process.

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: TODAY is the Bid Date!

Published Date: December 8, 2023

The Bid Window for the Indexed REC RFP is from **10 AM to 12 PM (noon) Central Prevailing Time TODAY, December 8, 2023**. The Bid Window is followed by a cure deficiency period from 12 PM (noon) to 1 PM Central Prevailing Time. Your Bid Form must be received during the Bid Window and you must be available during the cure deficiency period to address any inconsistencies or errors in your Bid Form.

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Please contact us at Illinois-RFP@nera.com for any questions regarding the bid submission process.

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Tomorrow is the Bid Date!

Published Date: December 7, 2023

The Bid Window for the Indexed REC RFP is from **10 AM to 12 PM (noon) Central Prevailing Time TOMORROW, December 8, 2023**. The Bid Window is followed by a cure deficiency period from 12 PM (noon) to 1 PM Central Prevailing Time. Your Bid Form must be received during the Bid Window and you must be available during the cure deficiency period to address any inconsistencies or errors in your Bid Form.

The confidential information for purposes of submitting your Bids has a **pink** background. Your login information for access to the secure bid transfer site and security code are provided in your confidential information. **Please notify the Procurement Administrator immediately if you are missing materials needed to submit your Bid and this information will be re-issued to you.**

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Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: Supplier Fee; Guidelines on Contract Execution Process

Published Date: December 6, 2023

A Project selected through the Indexed REC RFP and approved by the Illinois Commerce Commission will be assessed a Supplier Fee that will be due within seven (7) business days after ICC approval of the Bids. The Supplier Fee is **\$0.60 times the Annual Quantity of RECs** bid for a Project (which is equivalent to about \$0.03 per REC assessed on the anticipated quantity of RECs over the entire 20-year delivery term).

For illustrative purposes, we provide below an example of the calculation of the Supplier Fees that will be due to the Illinois Power Agency. If a Project is selected through the Indexed REC RFP and is approved by the ICC, and if the annual quantity won for the Project is 100,000 RECs, then the Supplier Fees due would be \$60,000, which is calculated as follows:

Supplier Fee per REC	= \$0.60 per REC of the annual quantity
Annual Quantity	= 100,000 RECs
Supplier Fee for Project	= Supplier Fee x annual quantity
	= \$0.60 x 100,000 RECs = \$60,000

The post-bid process is discussed in Section VI.2 of the RFP Rules, and the contract execution process for each Company is fully described in Paragraph VI.2.17 of the RFP Rules. A summary of the process is available upon request. Please email your request to the Procurement Administrator at Illinois-RFP@nera.com.

Indexed REC RFP – FINAL REMINDER: Bid Submission Training TODAY, December 5

Published Date: December 5, 2023

A training session for Bidders in the Indexed REC RFP is scheduled for **TODAY, December 5, 2023 from 12 PM (noon) to 2 PM Central Prevailing Time**. During the session, you will be able to ask questions about the Bid Form and you will be able to practice all aspects of the bid submission procedure that you will use on the Bid Date. Bidder training is done via the Procurement Administrator's Secure Bid Transfer interface and is not conducted via a webcast.

Please have on hand the Invitation to Bidder Training, Bid Form, Confidential Information for Training (blue background), and Bid Form Guide. These documents were distributed with the Part 1 Notification via the [application website](#) on November 14, 2023.

Please contact the Procurement Administrator if you are missing any of the materials for the training session. If you are unable to practice the bid submission procedures during this timeframe, please contact the Procurement Administrator and either: (i) schedule an alternate time on December 6-7 to practice the bid submission procedures; or (ii) confirm with the Procurement Administrator that you are declining the opportunity to practice the bid submission procedures prior to the Bid Date.

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Bid Submission Training TOMORROW, Tuesday, December 5

Published Date: December 4, 2023

A training session for Bidders in the Indexed REC RFP is scheduled for **TOMORROW, Tuesday, December 5, 2023 from 12 PM (noon) to 2 PM Central Prevailing Time**. During the session, you will be able to ask questions about the Bid Form and you will be able to practice all aspects of the bid submission procedure that you will use on the Bid Date. Bidder training is done via the Procurement Administrator's Secure Bid Transfer interface and is not conducted via a webcast.

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Indexed REC RFP – FINAL REMINDER: Part 2 Proposals due TODAY, December 1 by 12PM (noon) CPT

Published Date: December 1, 2023

The Part 2 Window for the Indexed REC RFP is open. You can access the [online Part 2 Form](#) using the same login credentials you used to access the online Part 1 Form. **Part 2 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT TODAY, December 1, 2023.**

Please follow the instructions provided to you for submitting bid assurance collateral for the Indexed REC RFP. These instructions were provided by email on **November 3, 2023**. The final lists of acceptable modifications for the Pre-Bid Letter of Credit – Electronic Version and the Pre-Bid Letter of Credit – Hardcopy Version are posted to the [Final Materials](#) page of the Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield section of the procurement website. These documents are relevant only to Bidders providing a letter of credit as bid assurance collateral.

Please direct any questions regarding the Indexed REC RFP to the "[Ask a Question](#)" page of the procurement website.

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Part 2 Proposals due TOMORROW, December 1 by 12PM (noon) CPT

Published Date: November 30, 2023

The Part 2 Window for the Indexed REC RFP is open. You can access the [online Part 2 Form](#) using the same login credentials you used to access the online Part 1 Form. **Part 2 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT TOMORROW, December 1, 2023.**

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Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Bid Submission Training on Tuesday, December 5

Published Date: November 28, 2023

A training session for Bidders in the Indexed REC RFP is scheduled for **Tuesday, December 5, 2023 from 12 PM (noon) to 2 PM Central Prevailing Time**. During the session, you will be able to ask questions about the Bid Form and you will be able to practice all aspects of the bid submission procedure that you will use on the Bid Date. Bidder training is done via the Procurement Administrator's Secure Bid Transfer interface and is not conducted via a webcast.

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Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Part 2 Proposals due Friday, December 1 by 12PM (noon) CPT

Published Date: November 28, 2023

The Part 2 Window for the Indexed REC RFP is open. You can access the [online Part 2 Form](#) using the same login credentials you used to access the online Part 1 Form. **Part 2 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT on Friday, December 1, 2023.**

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Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Part 2 Proposals due Friday, December 1 by 12PM (noon) CPT

Published Date: November 21, 2023

The Part 2 Window for the Indexed REC RFP is open. You can access the [online Part 2 Form](#) using the same login credentials you used to access the online Part 1 Form. **Part 2 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT on Friday, December 1, 2023.**

Please follow the instructions provided to you for submitting bid assurance collateral for the Indexed REC RFP. These instructions were provided by email on **November 3, 2023**. The final lists of acceptable modifications for the Pre-Bid Letter of Credit – Electronic Version and the Pre-Bid Letter of Credit – Hardcopy Version are posted to the [Final Materials](#) page of the Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield section of the procurement website. These documents are relevant only to Bidders providing a letter of credit as bid assurance collateral.

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Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: Part 2 Window is Open!

Published Date: November 15, 2023

The Part 2 Window for the Indexed REC RFP is now open. You can access the [online Part 2 Form](#) using the same login credentials you used to access the online Part 1 Form. **Part 2 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT on Friday, December 1, 2023.**

Please follow the instructions provided to you for submitting bid assurance collateral for the Indexed REC RFP. These instructions were provided by email on **November 3, 2023**. The final lists of acceptable modifications for the Pre-Bid Letter of Credit – Electronic Version and the Pre-Bid Letter of Credit – Hardcopy Version are posted to the [Final Materials](#) page of the Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield section of the procurement website. These documents are relevant only to Bidders providing a letter of credit as bid assurance collateral.

Please direct any questions regarding the Indexed REC RFP to the "[Ask a Question](#)" page of the procurement website.

Indexed REC RFP – FINAL REMINDER: Part 1 Proposals due TODAY, November 1 by 12PM (noon) CPT

Published Date: November 1, 2023

In order to submit a Bid for a Project under the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP, a Bidder must submit a Proposal, which consists of two (2) parts. The first part of the Proposal, the Part 1 Proposal, is the Bidder's response to the qualification standards under the RFP Rules. **Part 1 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT TODAY, November 1, 2023.**

If you have not done so already, please register for an account to access the online Part 1 Form [here](#) under the Contact Us page. Select the "Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield" category. Please include your name, company name, email address, phone number, and the number of projects for which you intend to submit a Proposal. **A separate Proposal must be submitted for each Project.** The Procurement Administrator will issue account activation and qualification form instructions to individuals that have registered. Only one account will be issued to a company.

Bidders that activate their account can log on to the online form [here](#) or select Qualification Form under the Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield section on the side navigation panel of the [procurement website](#) and choose "If you have an account, please [log in here](#)".

Please direct any questions regarding the Indexed REC RFP to the "[Ask a Question](#)" page of the procurement website.

Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: Technical Issues Resolved

Published Date: October 30, 2023

On October 30, 2023, the Part 1 Proposal form experienced intermittent slowness and connectivity issues. These issues have been resolved. We apologize for this inconvenience.

Due to these technical issues, **the deadline for submission of the Part 1 Proposal, including submission of the Bid Participation Fee, has been extended to 12 PM (noon) CPT on Wednesday, November 1, 2023.**

Please note that while there is no file size limitation for uploads when working in the Part 1 Proposal form, if you upload large documents, such as site control related documentation or large maps, additional time may be required to save and submit the form. Such documentation may be provided by email to Illinois-RFP@nera.com instead of by upload to the online Part 1 Proposal form.

Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: Technical Issues with the Part 1 Proposal Form; Part 1 Date Extended to Wednesday, November 1 at 12PM CPT

Published Date: October 30, 2023

On October 30, 2023, the Part 1 Proposal form experienced intermittent slowness and connectivity issues. We apologize for this inconvenience. The Procurement Administrator is currently investigating this issue and a follow-up email will be sent to website registrants as soon as the technical issues have been resolved.

Due to these technical issues, **the deadline for submission of the Part 1 Proposal, including submission of the Bid Participation Fee, has been extended to 12 PM (noon) CPT on Wednesday, November 1, 2023.**

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Part 1 Proposals due TOMORROW, October 31 by 12PM (noon) CPT

Published Date: October 30, 2023

In order to submit a Bid for a Project under the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP, a Bidder must submit a Proposal, which consists of two (2) parts. The first part of the Proposal, the Part 1 Proposal, is the Bidder's response to the qualification standards under the RFP Rules. Part 1 Proposals are submitted via the online Part 1 Form during the Part 1 Window. The Part 1 Window is open. **Part 1 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT on TOMORROW, October 31, 2023.**

If you have not done so already, please register for an account to access the online Part 1 Form [here](#) under the Contact Us page. Select the "Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield" category. Please include your name, company name, email address, phone number, and the number of projects for which you intend to submit a Proposal. **A separate Proposal must be submitted for each Project.** The Procurement Administrator will issue account activation and qualification form instructions to individuals that have registered. Only one account will be issued to a company.

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Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Part 1 Proposals due Tuesday, October 31 by 12PM (noon) CPT

Published Date: October 24, 2023

In order to submit a Bid for a Project under the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP, a Bidder must submit a Proposal, which consists of two (2) parts. The first part of the Proposal, the Part 1 Proposal, is the Bidder's response to the qualification standards under the RFP Rules. Part 1 Proposals are submitted via the online Part 1 Form during the Part 1 Window. The Part 1 Window is open. **Part 1 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT on Tuesday, October 31, 2023.**

If you have not done so already, please register for an account to access the online Part 1 Form [here](#) under the Contact Us page. Select the "Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield" category. Please include your name, company name, email address, phone number, and the number of projects for which you intend to submit a Proposal. **A separate Proposal must be submitted for each Project.** The Procurement Administrator will issue account activation and qualification form instructions to individuals that have registered. Only one account will be issued to a company.

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Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: Part 1 Window is Open!; Register for an Account to Access the Online Part 1 Form

Published Date: October 17, 2023

In order to submit a Bid for a Project in the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP, a Bidder must submit a Proposal, which consists of two (2) parts. The first part of the Proposal, the Part 1 Proposal, is the Bidder's response to the qualification standards under the RFP Rules. Part 1 Proposals are submitted via the online Part 1 Form during the Part 1 Window. The Part 1 Window is open. **Part 1 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT on Tuesday, October 31, 2023.**

If you have not done so already, please register for an account to access the online Part 1 Form [here](#) under the Contact Us page. Select the "Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield" category. Please include your name, company name, email address, phone number, and the number of projects for which you intend to submit a Proposal. **A separate Proposal must be submitted for each Project.** The Procurement Administrator will issue account activation and qualification form instructions to individuals that have registered. Only one account will be issued to a company.

Bidders that activate their account can log on to the online form [here](#) or select Qualification Form under the Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield section on the side navigation panel of the [procurement website](#) and choose "If you have an account, please [log in here](#)".

Please direct any questions regarding the Indexed REC RFP to the "[Ask a Question](#)" page of the procurement website.

Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: Part 1 Window Opens on Tuesday, October 17; Register for an Account to Access the Online Part 1 Form

Published Date: October 9, 2023

In order to submit a Bid for a Project in the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP, a Bidder must submit a Proposal, which consists of two (2) parts. The first part of the Proposal, the Part 1 Proposal, is the Bidder's response to the qualification standards under the RFP Rules. Part 1 Proposals are submitted via the online Part 1 Form during the Part 1 Window. The Part 1 Window will open on Tuesday, October 17, 2023. **Part 1 Proposals are due by 12 PM (noon) CPT on Tuesday, October 31, 2023.**

If you have not done so already, please register for an account to access the online Part 1 Form [here](#) under the Contact Us page. Select the "Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield" category. Please include your name, company name, email address, phone number, and the number of projects for which you intend to submit a Proposal. **A separate Proposal must be submitted for each Project.** The Procurement Administrator will issue account activation and qualification form instructions to individuals that have registered. Only one account will be issued to a company.

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Indexed REC RFP – POSTING: Bidder Information Webcast Materials

Published Date: October 3, 2023

The Procurement Administrator posted the presentation materials and the audio recording from the bidder information webcast held on October 3, 2023 to the [Final Materials](#) page of the Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield section of the website.

Indexed REC RFP – FINAL REMINDER: Webcast Scheduled for TODAY, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT)

Published Date: October 3, 2023

The 2022 Long-Term Plan provides for a procurement of Indexed Renewable Energy Credits (“Indexed RECs”) from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects this Fall 2023.

A bidder information webcast for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP will be held on **TODAY, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT)** and is open to all prospective bidders. Representatives of NERA, the Procurement Administrator, will provide an overview of the terms of the Indexed REC Contract and the RFP Process and Rules including qualification requirements. Time is scheduled for questions.

If you wish to participate, please RSVP with the number of phone connections needed by using this [link](#) or replying to this email. Call-in information will be provided to respondents.

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Webcast Scheduled for TOMORROW, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT)

Published Date: October 2, 2023

The 2022 Long-Term Plan provides for a procurement of Indexed Renewable Energy Credits (“Indexed RECs”) from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects this Fall 2023.

A bidder information webcast for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP will be held on **TOMORROW, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT)** and is open to all prospective bidders. Representatives of NERA, the Procurement Administrator, will provide an overview of the terms of the Indexed REC Contract and the RFP Process and Rules including qualification requirements. Time is scheduled for questions.

If you wish to participate, please RSVP with the number of phone connections needed by using this [link](#) or replying to this email. Call-in information will be provided to respondents on the morning of the webcast.

Indexed REC RFP – POSTING: Final Indexed REC Contract and Final RFP Documents

Published Date: September 29, 2023

The Procurement Administrator has posted the final Indexed REC Contract and final RFP Documents for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP to the [Final Materials](#) page of the Indexed Wind, Solar, and Brownfield section of the procurement website. These documents are dated September 29, 2023.

A bidder information webcast will be held on Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT) and is open to all prospective bidders. Representatives of NERA, the Procurement Administrator, will provide an overview of the terms of the Indexed REC Contract and the RFP Process and Rules including qualification requirements.

If you wish to participate, and have not done so already, please RSVP with the number of phone connections needed by using this [link](#) or replying to this email. Call-in information will be provided to respondents on the morning of the webcast.

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Webcast Scheduled for Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT)

Published Date: September 26, 2023

The 2022 Long-Term Plan provides for a procurement of Indexed Renewable Energy Credits (“Indexed RECs”) from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects this Fall 2023.

A bidder information webcast for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP will be held on Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT) and is open to all prospective bidders. Representatives of NERA, the Procurement Administrator, will provide an overview of the terms of the Indexed REC Contract and the RFP Process and Rules including qualification requirements. Time is scheduled for questions.

If you wish to participate, please RSVP with the number of phone connections needed by using this [link](#) or replying to this email. Call-in information will be provided to respondents on the morning of the webcast.

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Webcast Scheduled for Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT)

Published Date: September 19, 2023

The 2022 Long-Term Plan provides for a procurement of Indexed Renewable Energy Credits (“Indexed RECs”) from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects this Fall 2023.

A bidder information webcast for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP will be held on Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT) and is open to all prospective bidders. Representatives of NERA, the Procurement Administrator, will provide an overview of the terms of the Indexed REC Contract and the RFP Process and Rules including qualification requirements. Time is scheduled for questions.

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Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: Webcast Scheduled for Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT)

Published Date: September 13, 2023

The 2022 Long-Term Plan provides for a procurement of Indexed Renewable Energy Credits (“Indexed RECs”) from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects this Fall 2023.

A bidder information webcast for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP will be held on Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 3PM (CPT) and is open to all prospective bidders. Representatives of NERA, the Procurement Administrator, will provide an overview of the terms of the Indexed REC Contract and the RFP Process and Rules including qualification requirements. Time is scheduled for questions.

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Indexed REC RFP – FINAL REMINDER: Comments on the Draft Indexed REC Contract and Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements Due TODAY, September 8

Published Date: September 8, 2023

Public Act 102-0662 (the “Climate and Equitable Jobs Act”) was signed into law and became effective on September 15, 2021. In accordance with Public Act 102-0662, the Illinois Power Agency (“IPA”) filed its revision to its Long-Term Renewable Resources Procurement Plan (“2022 Long-Term Plan”) with the Illinois Commerce Commission (“ICC”) on March 21, 2022. The ICC issued a Final Order approving the 2022 Long-Term Plan with modifications on July 14, 2022. The 2022 Long-Term Plan provides for a procurement of Indexed Renewable Energy Credits (“Indexed RECs”) from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects this Fall 2023. The calendar for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP is available on the procurement website [here](#).

On August 4, 2023, the Procurement Administrator posted to the [procurement website](#) Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements and a Draft Term Sheet. Subsequently, on August 18, 2023, the Procurement Administrator posted the Draft Indexed REC Contract for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP. **The Procurement Administrator invites interested parties to submit their comments on any aspect of the Draft Indexed REC Contract and the Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements.** The comment process is explained in the Invitation to Comment posted [here](#). The process can be summarized as follows:

- Please submit an attachment with your comments on the Draft Indexed REC Contract and the Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements by email to the Procurement Administrator at: Illinois-RFP@nera.com
- Please provide telephone and e-mail contact information in the event that the Procurement Administrator seeks clarification regarding your comments.
- If providing feedback on the Draft Indexed REC Contract, please submit your comments with track changes in Microsoft Word. We strongly encourage you to provide explanatory notes either in a separate document or highlighted in tracked changes.
- If providing feedback on Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements, please include a reference to the section name, from the left-hand column of the respective table, that is applicable to the requirement for which you are providing comment(s).

The deadline to provide comments is TODAY, September 8, 2023.

To receive updates and information regarding the Indexed REC RFP, please click [here](#) to register to our mailing list.

Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Comments on the Draft Indexed REC Contract and Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements Due TOMORROW, September 8

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- If providing feedback on Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements, please include a reference to the section name, from the left-hand column of the respective table, that is applicable to the requirement for which you are providing comment(s).

The deadline to provide comments is TOMORROW, September 8, 2023.

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Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Invitation to Comment on the Draft Indexed REC Contract and Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements

Published Date: August 31, 2023

Public Act 102-0662 (the “Climate and Equitable Jobs Act”) was signed into law and became effective on September 15, 2021. In accordance with Public Act 102-0662, the Illinois Power Agency (“IPA”) filed its revision to its Long-Term Renewable Resources Procurement Plan (“2022 Long-Term Plan”) with the Illinois Commerce Commission (“ICC”) on March 21, 2022. The ICC issued a Final Order approving the 2022 Long-Term Plan with modifications on July 14, 2022. The 2022 Long-Term Plan provides for a procurement of Indexed Renewable Energy Credits (“Indexed RECs”) from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects this Fall 2023. The calendar for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP is available on the procurement website [here](#).

On August 4, 2023, the Procurement Administrator posted to the [procurement website](#) Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements and a Draft Term Sheet. Subsequently, on August 18, 2023, the Procurement Administrator posted the Draft Indexed REC Contract for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP. **The Procurement Administrator invites interested parties to submit their comments on any aspect of the Draft Indexed REC Contract and the Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements.** The comment process is explained in the Invitation to Comment posted [here](#). The process can be summarized as follows:

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- If providing feedback on Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements, please include a reference to the section name, from the left-hand column of the respective table, that is applicable to the requirement for which you are providing comment(s).

The deadline to provide comments is Friday, September 8, 2023.

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Indexed REC RFP – REMINDER: Invitation to Comment on the Draft Indexed REC Contract and Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements

Published Date: August 24, 2023

Public Act 102-0662 (the “Climate and Equitable Jobs Act”) was signed into law and became effective on September 15, 2021. In accordance with Public Act 102-0662, the Illinois Power Agency (“IPA”) filed its revision to its Long-Term Renewable Resources Procurement Plan (“2022 Long-Term Plan”) with the Illinois Commerce Commission (“ICC”) on March 21, 2022. The ICC issued a Final Order approving the 2022 Long-Term Plan with modifications on July 14, 2022. The 2022 Long-Term Plan provides for a procurement of Indexed Renewable Energy Credits (“Indexed RECs”) from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects this Fall 2023. The calendar for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP is available on the procurement website [here](#).

On August 4, 2023, the Procurement Administrator posted to the [procurement website](#) Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements and a Draft Term Sheet. Subsequently, on August 18, 2023, the Procurement Administrator posted the Draft Indexed REC Contract for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP. **The Procurement Administrator invites interested parties to submit their comments on any aspect of the Draft Indexed REC Contract and the Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements.** The comment process is explained in the Invitation to Comment posted [here](#). The process can be summarized as follows:

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- If providing feedback on Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements, please include a reference to the section name, from the left-hand column of the respective table, that is applicable to the requirement for which you are providing comment(s).

The deadline to provide comments is Friday, September 8, 2023.

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Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: Invitation to Comment on the Draft Indexed REC Contract and Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements

Published Date: August 18, 2023

Public Act 102-0662 (the “Climate and Equitable Jobs Act”) was signed into law and became effective on September 15, 2021. In accordance with Public Act 102-0662, the Illinois Power Agency (“IPA”) filed its revision to its Long-Term Renewable Resources Procurement Plan (“2022 Long-Term Plan”) with the Illinois Commerce Commission (“ICC”) on March 21, 2022. The ICC issued a Final Order approving the 2022 Long-Term Plan with modifications on July 14, 2022. The 2022 Long-Term Plan provides for a procurement of Indexed Renewable Energy Credits (“Indexed RECs”) from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects this Fall 2023. The calendar for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP is available on the procurement website [here](#).

On August 4, 2023, the Procurement Administrator posted to the [procurement website](#) Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements and a Draft Term Sheet. Subsequently, on August 18, 2023, the Procurement Administrator posted the Draft Indexed REC Contract for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP. **The Procurement Administrator invites interested parties to submit their comments on any aspect of the Draft Indexed REC Contract and the Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements.** The comment process is explained in the Invitation to Comment posted [here](#). The process can be summarized as follows:

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- If providing feedback on Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements, please include a reference to the section name, from the left-hand column of the respective table, that is applicable to the requirement for which you are providing comment(s).

The deadline to provide comments is Friday, September 8, 2023.

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Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP

Indexed REC RFP – POSTING: Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements and Draft Term Sheet for Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP

Published Date: August 4, 2023

On August 4, 2023, the Procurement Administrator posted to the [procurement website](#) the Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements and a Draft Term Sheet for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP. These documents provide an overview of the proposal submission process, draft requirements to qualify a Project under the RFP, and key contract elements.

A stakeholder comment process on the Draft Preliminary Proposal Requirements and Draft REC Contract is scheduled to kick off on August 18, 2023. The Procurement Administrator will post the Draft REC Contract along with an invitation to comment by August 18, 2023. Comments on the documents are due by September 8, 2023.

The schedule for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP is posted to the [Calendar](#) page of the procurement website.

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Indexed REC RFP – ANNOUNCEMENT: Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP Scheduled

Published Date: July 25, 2023

In accordance with the Illinois Power Agency's 2022 Long-Term Renewable Resources Procurement Plan ("2022 Long-Term Plan"), which was approved with modifications by the Illinois Commerce Commission ("ICC") on July 14, 2022, a procurement for Indexed Renewable Energy Credits ("Indexed RECs") from new utility-scale wind projects, new utility-scale solar projects, and new brownfield site photovoltaic projects will be held this Fall 2023. The quantities to be procured are 5,600,000 RECs delivered annually from new utility-scale wind projects, 1,100,000 RECs delivered annually from new utility-scale solar projects, and 127,000 RECs delivered annually from new brownfield site photovoltaic projects.

The schedule for the Fall 2023 Indexed REC RFP is posted to the [Calendar](#) page of the procurement website.
