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DCPSC requests proposals for Solar Aggregation and Advanced Inverter Pilot Project

(Washington, D.C.) The Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia (Commission) is pleased to announce the issuance of <u>Request for Proposals (RFP) No. PSC-23-09</u>, seeking projects that can demonstrate the benefits of advanced inverter equipment, including communications and the expansion of solar hosting capacity. The maximum amount of funding available for the project is \$3 million, which may be awarded to one or more bidders.

The <u>Solar Aggregation and Advanced Inverter Pilot Project</u> will help advance the District's clean energy goals by providing insights and new learnings to assist the Commission in identifying technologies and policies that can be implemented in the District to modernize the distribution of the energy delivery system for increased sustainability.

Legal entities eligible to apply for this RFP will include:

- o Corporations, partnerships, and/or associations,
- Private enterprises,
- \circ Nonprofits, including those with 501 (c)(3) or 501(c)(4) determinations, and
- Public-private partnerships and joint ventures comprising government agencies and private enterprises.

The RFP was developed between Commission Staff and the Pilot Projects Governance Board, which was established to develop and recommend innovative pilot projects funded under the PowerPath DC Pilot Projects Fund Subaccount resulting from the Pepco Holdings, Inc.-Exelon Merger.

Potential offerors can access the RFP on the <u>DCPSC website</u> beginning February 9, 2023. Questions may be directed to Karen M. Hester at KHester@psc.dc.gov.

For additional information about new procurement opportunities, the Commission encourages companies to join the DCPSC Bidder's List.