

CRCOG RFI for Consulting Services for Food Waste/Food Scraps, Food Donation/Food Rescue, and Organic Waste Reduction, Diversion, Collection, and Processing Additional Questions

Questions below are MANDATORY and MUST be answered for proposal to be considered for submission. Questions can be answered in multiple formats, including Word, Excel, PPT, and more so long as Respondent adheres to RFI requirements, including, but not limited to, font and page length.

1. Are all conditions of the RFI adhered to by the Respondent? Yes/No
2. Has Respondent completed/signed/agreed to Non-Collusion Statement? Yes/No
3. Does Respondent have a current, valid and/or required license, registration, and/or certificate to do business in CT? Yes/No – Please explain.
4. Does Respondent have a current, valid, and/or required license, registration, and/or certificate to do business in their State of incorporation/formation? Yes/No – Please explain.
5. Is Respondent in good standing in the State of CT? Yes/No – Please explain.
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7. Does Respondent have experience working with counties, regions, municipalities, government entities, such as EPA, DEEP, etc.? Yes/No – Please explain.
8. Does Respondent have knowledge/expertise in municipal law, legislation, public ordinances, permits, planning and zoning, etc.? Yes/No – Please explain.
9. Does Respondent have proven and demonstrated experience in food waste, organic collection, processing, marketing, reuse, recycling, composting, etc.? Yes/No – Please explain.
10. Please detail Respondents key advisory personnel with at least five (5) year's experience in Scope of Work of RFI.
11. Company Information – Please provide the following information:
 - a. Company Name and d/b/a
 - b. Company Address
 - c. Company Key Point of Contact Name and Title
 - d. Company Phone Number
 - e. Key Point of Contact Email
 - f. Key Point of Contact Phone Number
12. Describe Respondent's Project Team, including resumes of at least three (3) personnel/team members with expertise related to the RFI Scope of Work.
13. Describe Respondent's Company Background, including, but not limited to, company background, experience, methodology, practice work, approach to services, including specific examples relevant to the RFI Scope of Work.

14. Please include in Respondent's RFI Proposal responses to the following questions:
- a. Why has CT struggled to implement a viable long-term solid waste plan, especially for food waste and organics?
 - b. What other areas similar to CT in demographics/geography have implemented a successful food waste/organics plan and how?
 - c. How can CRCOG and its members successfully implement a regional, municipal food waste and organics program?

Attendance at the Pre-Proposal Conference is encouraged, but not mandatory.

All questions in regard to this RFI should be posed to CRCOG through the bonfire portal at crcog.bonfirehub.com