

Request for Proposal (RFP)

WESTERN AREA POWER ADMINISTRATION



WAPA-NNSA RFP Questions and Answers (Q&A) Response Page

Previous Q&A from CY 2024-2025 NNSA RFP (still applicable)

1. **Question:** I have a clarifying question on the RFP. Am I reading it correctly that you will be transacting all three products with one counterparty for each year? Meaning, if someone can only offer the 40 MW ATC for the calendar year, but not the other products, then you would not buy the one product from that party?

Answer: This is correct. Under this RFP, WAPA is currently only considering proposals that can supply all timing blocks for each calendar year.

2. **Question:** We are also WSPP members but are not enabled as of yet with credit with WAPA. Please advise on the steps you would like to take for our participation.

Answer: Fill out and send a credit application letter to
WesternCreditApplications@wapa.gov

3. **Question:** Would WAPA on behalf of NNSA accept proposals for a longer term?

Answer: Respondents may provide proposals at their discretion, and WAPA reserves the right to reject, clarify, or further evaluate proposals with non-conforming terms. If there are any proposed parameters that do not align with the original RFP description, please leave a details explanation describing the changes in at least one of the available text boxes.

Previous Q&A from CY 2026-2028 NNSA RFP (still applicable)

1. **Question:** Our company does not have a credit rating but already does business with WAPA CRSP. Can we respond to the RFP?

Answer: If a company has active or historical agreements with WAPA CRSP then a creditworthiness assessment that keeps track of historical payments has been compiled on the company. Creditworthiness will be checked and the interested company will be notified of the result. If the company has been deemed creditworthy in the latest creditworthiness assessment, they are considered an acceptable counterparty for the RFP. An irrevocable letter of credit (LC) may be required, by the date the power purchase agreement begins, for companies that have been or have not been deemed credit worthy in the latest creditworthiness assessment. This determination will be made by CRSP during the RFP process.