

# Terral/erde ENERGY

El Dorado County Solar Design Options, Savings Analysis, and Contracting

El Dorado County Board of Supervisors Meeting 3/19/2019

## **Project Status**

- Request for Proposals (RFP) released 10/17/2018
  - Sent to 145 potential respondents from TerraVerde and County distribution lists
- Request for Proposals (RFP) responses received 12/11/2018
  - 14 NOIs, 12 respondents attended site walk, 5 responses received
- Shortlisted 3 Respondents for interviews held on 1/3/2019
- Contract negotiations initiated with REC Solar on 1/4/2019
  - Selected by County based on qualitative and quantitative evaluation criteria specified in RFP
- Design options for RES-BCT solar field value engineered
- Developed updated projected financials
- PPA contract negotiations complete
  - Still addressing lease provisions, approval of bond counsel, USDA approval as part of the Conditions Precedent





## Public Safety Facility - NEM

- Designed per County requirements
- 517 kW system size
- 25 year net benefit \$1,600,000
  - Previously \$1,669,000
- Targeted for parking lot re-opening before facility operation
- Battery option not proposed based on lack of data

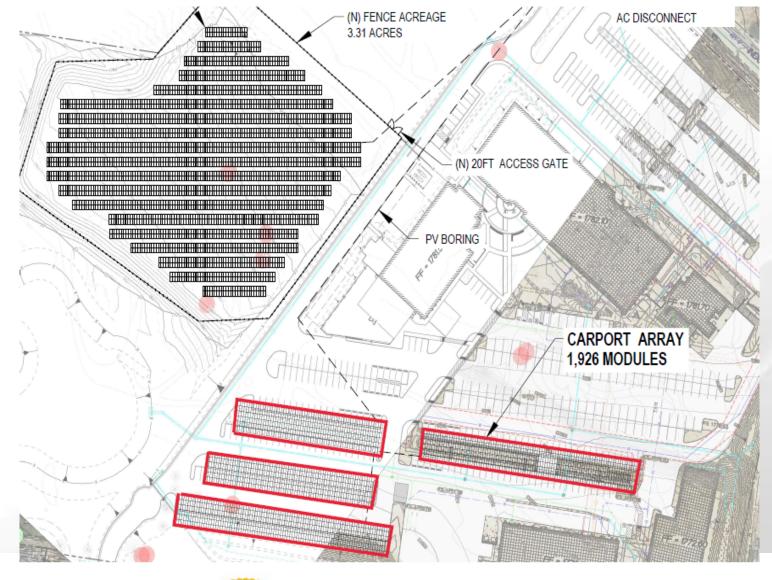






## RES-BCT Option C

- Value engineered design
- Preserves approximately2 acres for future dev.
- Bolsters production and savings with additional carport arrays
- ▶ 1,928 kW system size
- 25 year net benefit -\$1,626,000
  - Previously \$1,850,000







#### Contracts

- Power Purchase Agreement (PPA)
  - PPA for each site
  - 25 year term, 0% escalation on PPA rate
  - Performance guaranteed to 95%, 3 year true up
  - Lease to be finalized as part of the Conditions Precedent milestone.
  - General Conditions and Technical Specifications Agreed to by REC Solar.
- Cost Reimbursement Agreement (CRA)
  - Reimburse County for cost incurred during the development and construction of solar projects
  - \$150,000 reimbursement to County for Site Improvement Costs
  - Agreed to by both parties



### Next Steps

#### Board of Supervisors meeting 3/19/2019

- ▶ 4217.12 public hearing to receive public comment
- 4217.12 Board Resolution
  - To enter into a contract pursuant to Gov. code 4217.12
  - Review of findings
- 4217.12 Agenda Item
  - Authorizing and Approving the Power Purchase Agreement and other necessary documents with selected Respondent



## Questions & Answers

