

Final Scoring Matrix

DFCM - Various Agencies
Multiple Solar PV Facilities
DFCM Project No. 13055300

University of Utah HPER N and Marriott Library

August 23, 2013

Firms		A	B
Selection Criteria	Points Possible		
Design Proposal	15	12.5	10.5
Schedule	10	10.0	7.3
DFCM Past Performance Rating	15	12.9	13.2
Strength of Team	15	14.5	13.5
Project Management Approach	15	14.0	13.0
Cost	20	12.0	16.0
Proposal Viability	10	8.3	6.3
Total	100	84.3	79.9

Following the evaluation of each of the firms that submitted on this project, the selection committee has selected Meridian Solar/SPower as the firm that provides the best value to the State of Utah.



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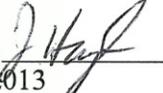
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Agency: DFCM-Variou Agencies
Project Name – Multiple Solar PV Facilities
DFCM Project No.:13055300
DFCM Project Manager: John Harrington

SELECTION COMMITTEE JUSTIFICATION STATEMENT

The selection committee would like to express it's appreciation to all of the teams that proposed for services on the above references project. The selection committee selected **SPower/MerdianSolar for the UU HPER N &Marriott Library projects** based on the following detailed conclusion supporting the selection in accordance with the selection criteria:

Design Proposal:

Detailed design documents were submitted as part of the RFP response.

Schedule:

Aggressive schedule was provided in the RFP response that matched requirements of RFP. SPower has a vented and negotiated PPA agreement document in place with the University due to a previous project at the museum. Time required for execution of PPA agreement is significantly reduced. This is a **critical factor** due to the installation completion date requirement for the Blue Sky grant. Possible loss of grant if completion date not met.

DFCM Past Performance Rating:

This score is based on the average of ratings for previous projects as explained in the RFP.

Strength of Team:

Experienced team that matched the requirements for RFP scope of work. Local team with strong relationship at the University.

Project Management Approach:

Strong Management plan with experienced team. Included all aspects needed for each awarded project to be successful.

Cost (Proposer's offer & Terms):

Escalation rate was high. Rate/kWh PPA was competitive but not the lowest rate offered.

Proposal Viability:

Excellent proposal, with solid understanding of scope of work, schedule and financial requirements. Best overall solution presented to DFCM for awarded projects based upon the importance of meeting the Blue Sky project completion dates.