

RFP Distribution Plan

Project: Request for Proposals for Consulting Services pursuant to the Report and Order issued on May 16, 2025 by the State of Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”) in Docket No.: 25-08-GE, In Re: Inquiry Into the Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a Rhode Island Energy’s billing Systems Practices and Performance (“RFP”)

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1. **Objective**

To ensure the RFP is distributed in a fair, transparent, and effective manner to attract qualified vendors.

2. **Distribution Channels:**

A. Organization Website:

Upon the Commission’s approval of the RFP, the RFP will be publicly posted by RIE on a website for RIE.

Interested parties will be directed, via the website, to contact RIE’s supply chain personnel for instructions on how to access RIE’s RFP portal for the purpose of submitting a proposal in response to the RFP.

Instructions will be provided to interested parties promptly after a request is made as described in Section 2C below.

B. Invitee List

Subject to the Commission’s approval, after the RFP is publicly posted as described above, RIE intends to send emails to the following organizations to invite those organizations to submit proposal(s) in response to the RFP; each of which organization is a leading professional services company that has experience that is relevant to the Services described in the RFP including consulting, auditing, technology and performance services:

1. Kearney
[Global Management Consulting Firm | Kearney](#)
2. PwC
[PwC: Audit and assurance, consulting and tax services](#)

3. McKinsey
[Global management consulting | McKinsey & Company](#)
4. Baker Tilly
[Baker Tilly | Advisory, Tax and Assurance](#)
5. EY
[EY - US | Shape the future with confidence](#)
6. Grant Thornton
[Grant Thornton International | Audit, Tax & advisory services](#)

C. Instructions:

Instructions on how to access RIE's RFP portal for the purpose of submitting a proposal in response to the RFP shall be sent by email to any interested parties described in Sections 2B above, and to any invitees described in Section 2C above, which email will include:

- A formal invitation letter
- The RFP document (PDF or link)
- Submission instructions and deadlines
- Contact information for questions
- A request for confirmation of receipt from each invitee

RIE intends to track email opens and downloads where possible.