

Questions and Answers RFP 13-01 CNG Maintenance Plan  
September 23, 2013

1. Can the Authority provide the bidders with an estimate of the annual run hours of the equipment?  
Approximately 1000 hrs. annually for CU unit in Joshua Tree, 1400 hours for ANGI/B65 unit in 29 Palms.
2. Can the Authority provide the bidders with an estimate of the total Therms or GGE's used per year for both stations? 2012-13 usage is 62,032 therms in 29 Palms, 88648 therms in Joshua Tree/
3. Will the Authority consider computerized records and digital copies of service reports acceptable in lieu of written log books? Yes.
4. Scope of Work, Section 2.03 C. Will the Authority consider a four (4) hour response time acceptable? Yes.
5. Scope of Work, Section 2.01 B 14. Requires the bidder to observe the compressor while under load. Will the Authority please provide the bidders with the time(s) of day the station is operational? 10 pm to 4 am the compressor kicks on automatically to fill vessels, also intermittently during the day as usage occurs.
6. Will the Authority please provide the bidders with a list of CNG vehicles currently in service? 4 Eldorado XHF (35' rear engine), 6 Glaval GMC 5500 (24-30' large cutaway), 4 Goshen F-550 (30' large cutaway), 6 StarCraft Allstar (22' medium sized cutaway), 1 Glaval Universal (22' medium cutaway), 1 MST (30' front engine bus), 1 ARBOC (22' medium cutaway), 1 Ford Transit Connect (service vehicle), 1 Ford F-250 (service truck).
7. Will the Authority accept flash drives in lieu of CD's for the digital copies? Yes