



REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

in support of
ENERGY-RELATED EQUIPMENT

ISSUED BY THE UW SCHOOL OF ENERGY RESOURCES

Proposals are due February 2, 2024
Selected proposals will be notified
by February 9, 2024

The School of Energy Resources (SER) is focused on energy driven economic development for Wyoming. An important component of meeting that mission is supporting UW faculty and research staff with the necessary equipment to undertake cutting-edge Wyoming-energy focused research. SER is releasing this Request for Proposals to support energy-related equipment. Proposals are invited for repairing equipment, purchasing testing supplies and purchasing new equipment.

Proposals for any cost beyond June 30, 2024, will not be considered; all funds must be expended prior to that date. Priority will be given to shared equipment and facilities.

TOPICS OF INTEREST:

Proposals will be considered in three areas:

- **Equipment repair:** Maximum award: \$100,000
- **Research supplies:** Maximum award: \$100,000. This can include laboratory supplies, computational resources, software purchases, etc. although ongoing costs beyond June 30, 2024 will not be funded
- **Equipment purchase:** Maximum award: \$500,000

Applicants can combine different areas into a single proposal. However, it is likely that the maximum award given to any single faculty member will be no more than \$500,000.

HOW TO APPLY:

Submit a 1-page (max) proposal to krussow@uwyo.edu with the subject line 'Energy Equipment Proposal' that includes:

- PI college/department affiliation and expertise
- Repair, supplies or equipment requested
- Explanation of how the support would result in an increase in Wyoming energy-related research and/or improve capacity for energy research
- How the resource will be shared among multiple faculty and/or researchers (preferred, but not required)

TIMELINE:

- Proposals are due February 2, 2024
- Selected proposals will be notified by February 9, 2024
- Quotes for equipment, repairs, and supplies must be provided to SER by February 29, 2024
- All funds must be spent by June 30, 2024

EXPECTED DELIVERABLES:

By June 30, 2024: Provide a two-page report of how the funds were used and any new capabilities for energy research that may benefit the Wyoming energy sector and/or energy research, instruction and collaboration across UW.

ALL FUNDS MUST BE EXPENDED BY JUNE 30, 2024. THERE WILL BE NO EXTENSIONS