



## Frontier CDR Purchasing 2024 Governance Review Template

As a reminder, Frontier takes full responsibility for final purchase decisions. Your feedback helps us assess the strengths and weaknesses of a given proposal and decide how to best deploy Frontier capital.

Please note this is only a template; the actual review form where you will submit data is located [here](#).

### Public Engagement

1. To what extent did the applicant propose a project in line with best practices for public engagement and project development? Please discuss strengths and weaknesses, including whether the applicant has:
  - Identified and engaged key stakeholders in their deployment area before selecting a site(s)
  - Has a plan to be/has already been responsive to stakeholder input

2. On a scale of 1-10, how sound is the applicant's public engagement approach?

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### Environmental Justice

3. To what extent has the applicant integrated environmental and social justice considerations into their deployment strategy and decision-making? Please discuss strengths and weaknesses, including whether the applicant has:
  - Developed a plan to address environmental justice concerns
  - Established processes for fair decision making that include the voices of impacted communities, particularly disadvantaged groups, for example:
    - Established mechanisms for collecting input from impacted communities early in the project development process
    - Has a plan to be responsive to that input over time
  - Identified potential project benefits, risks, and impacts, and avoids harms or negative impacts to disadvantaged communities, while maximizing the fair distribution of benefits, for example:
    - Considered expansion of infrastructure such as pipeline, truck traffic, etc.
    - Mitigated land use concerns such as croplands, preserving biodiversity, etc.
    - Considered workforce development, such as the creation of good-paying local jobs
  - Acknowledges any past harms to local communities and has plans to redress those harms, for example:
    - Cleans up legacy pollution
    - Takes advantage of/repurposes legacy infrastructure
  - Avoided moral hazard concerns (i.e., this project wouldn't hurt efforts to reduce GHG emissions)

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4. On a scale of 1-10, how sound is the applicant's approach to environmental and social justice considerations?

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## Human & Ecosystem Safety

5. To what extent did the applicant identify safety concerns and state how they would mitigate those risks?

Please discuss strengths and weaknesses, including whether the applicant has:

- Identified potential human health impacts (if applicable) and defined a mitigation strategy
- Identified potential environmental/ecosystem impacts (animals, crops, water supplies, oceans, etc.) and defined a mitigation strategy

6. On a scale of 1-10, how would you rate the human & ecosystem safety risks of this proposal?

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## Legal and Regulatory Compliance

7. To what extent has the applicant considered legal and regulatory requirements to operate their proposed deployment? Please discuss strength and weaknesses, included whether the applicant has:

- Identified legal risks and regulatory regimes relevant to their deployment, and has the ability to operate in compliance with those requirements
- Identified permitting requirements, and has a path to secure the permits needed to operate

8. On a scale of 1-10, how sound is the applicant's legal and regulatory approach?

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Other Considerations

9. From a governance perspective, are there any reasons why Frontier should not purchase from this applicant? (Yes / Possibly / No)

10. If you answered Yes or Possibly, please describe (a) why and (b) whether there are changes to the proposed project that could be made such that you would not have concerns regarding a purchase.

11. Do you have any major questions about this project that were not addressed in the application? If so, please list them here so the applicant has a chance to respond.

The final question is for Frontier use only and will not be shared with applicants.

12. Please list any feedback you would like to share with Frontier but not the applicant. This could include governance milestones you think Frontier should include in our contract if we purchase from this applicant or comments on any serious red flags.