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## SECTION SF 30 BLOCK 14 CONTINUATION PAGE

# SUMMARY OF CHANGES

## Section A - Solicitation/Contract Form

The following changes have been made:

INFORMATION	FROM	ТО
Response Due Date	16 Dec 2022	29 Dec 2022

## Section L - Instructions, Conditions, & Notices to Offerors or Quoters

### Miscellaneous text in this section has been modified to:

#### 1.0 GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1.1 General Information

1.1.1 The offeror's proposal must include all data and information requested by these Instructions to Offerors and must be submitted in accordance with these instructions. The offer shall be compliant with the requirements as stated in the Specifications and Solicitation. Non-conformance with the instructions provided in these Instructions to Offerors may result in an unfavorable proposal evaluation.

1.1.2 The proposal acceptance period is specified in Block 13, SF 1442, of this solicitation. By signing block 20B of the SF 1442, the offeror certifies that the proposal is valid from the due date and time listed in block 13A through the entire period specified in block 13D.

1.1.3 All referenced documents for this solicitation are available on the Contract Opportunities website at https://sam.gov/. Potential offerors are encouraged to subscribe for real-time e-mail notifications when information has been posted to the website for this solicitation.

1.1.4 The Government reserves the right to revise or amend the specifications, drawings, or the solicitation prior to the proposal closing time. Such revisions or amendments will be communicated by amendments to the Request for Proposal (RFP) and posted on the SAM.gov website. If such amendments require material changes in quantities or prices, the proposal closing date may be postponed by enough days to enable offerors to revise their proposals. In such cases, the amendment will include an announcement of the new closing date and time. Offerors MUST acknowledge all amendments in their proposal, either by completing SF 1442 Block 19, providing signed copies of the amendments with their proposal (Section III), or by separate letter which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers.

1.1.5 The Contracting Officer listed below is the Government's sole point of contact for this acquisition. Address any questions or concerns you may have to the Contracting Officer. Written requests for clarification may be sent to the Contracting Officer at the following email address: Richard T. Beaty, Email: richard.beaty.3@us.af.mil . Please copy the following Contract Specialists for this project on any correspondence sent to the Contracting Officer: Ashley Williams, ashley.williams.85@us.af.mil, 1st Lt Sherianne Carroll, sherianne.carroll.1@us.af.mil, TSgt Patrick Eldridge, patrick.eldridge.1@us.af.mil

1.1.6 In accordance with FAR Subpart 4.8 (Government Contract Files), the Government will retain a copy of all unsuccessful proposals.

1.1.7 The Contracting Officer will promptly notify offerors of any decision to exclude them from the competition; whereupon, they may request and receive a debriefing in accordance with FAR 15.505. Excluded offerors may request a pre-award debriefing or they may choose to wait until after the source selection decision to request a post award debriefing. However, excluded offerors are entitled to no more than one debriefing for each proposal. The Contracting Officer will notify unsuccessful offerors of the source selection decision in accordance with FAR 15.503. Upon such notification, unsuccessful offerors may request and receive a debriefing. Offerors desiring a debriefing must make their request in accordance with the requirements of FAR 15.505 or FAR 15.506, as applicable.

1.1.8 If an offeror believes that the requirements in these instructions contain an error, omission, or are otherwise unsound, the offeror shall immediately notify the Contracting Officer in writing with supporting rationale as well as the remedies the offeror is asking the Contracting Officer to consider as related to the claimed omission or error. The offeror is reminded that the Government reserves the right to award this effort based on the initial proposal, as received, without discussions. This reservation includes matters of additional or substitute pages of the initial proposal.

1.1.9 The Contracting Officer has determined there is a high probability of adequate price competition in this acquisition. Upon examination of the initial offers, the Contracting Officer will review this determination and if, in the contracting officer's opinion, adequate price competition exists no additional cost information will be requested and certification under FAR 15.406-2 will not be required. However, if at any time during this competition the Contracting Officer determines that adequate price competition no longer exists, offerors may be required to submit information to the extent necessary for the contracting officer to determine the reasonableness and affordability of the price.

1.1.10 Who Can Participate. Proposals may only be submitted by Service Disabled Veteran Owned certified Small Business firms. At the time of initial contract offer and at time of award, each business must be a certified SDVOSB. In order to submit an offer on a solicitation, each business concern in a Teaming Agreement or Joint Venture must be a small business under the designated NAICS size standard, and must also be a small business when combined in the aggregate of all teaming affiliates.

### 2.0 SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 The following instructions are to aid in the evaluation process.

2.1.1 Offerors are responsible for submitting proposals (including any revisions, and amendments) so as to reach the Government office designated in this solicitation by the time specified in this solicitation. Bid bonds must be included with the proposal package and be received at or before the time specified in this solicitation. Only electronic versions of the proposals will be accepted. Paper copies of proposals will not be evaluated, will be rejected, and will not be considered for award.

2.1.1.1 Proposals SHALL be submitted electronically on disk (CD or DVD) ONLY. Disks may be hand carried or mailed using FedEx or UPS to 350 Tully Street, Building 90339, Hurlburt Field, FL 32544. Packages shall be marked with attention to RICHARD BEATY and LT SHERIANNE CARROLL. Contractors should request base access for hand carried proposals NLT 72 hours prior to proposal due date/time.

2.1.1.2 Proposals shall be marked as "Controlled Unclassified Information" and "Source Selection Information - See FAR 2.101 and FAR 3.104".

2.1.2 Any proposal, bond, modification, or revision, that is received at the designated Government office after the exact time specified for receipt of proposals will be "late" and will not be considered unless the Contracting Officer determines the criteria set forth in FAR 15.208 exists.

2.1.3 Proposals shall be complete, clearly presented, and include sufficient detail for effective evaluation as detailed in section M of this solicitation and for substantiating validity of stated claims. The proposal should not simply rephrase or restate the Government's requirements but rather provide convincing rationale to address how the offeror intends to meet these requirements. Offerors shall assume that the Government has no prior knowledge of the offeror's facilities and/or experience and will rely heavily, on the information presented in the offeror's proposal. Proposals shall be neat, indexed (cross-indexed as appropriate) and assembled electronically in an orderly manner. Elaborate artwork and expensive visual and other presentation aids are neither necessary nor desired. Include only information that is relevant to this source selection.

## 2.1.4 Organization/Number of Copies/Page Limits.

2.1.4.1 A complete proposal shall consist of three (3) volumes: Volume I, Technical Proposal; Volume II (a), Past Performance; Volume II (b), Signed Teaming or Joint Venture (JV) Agreement (if applicable); and Volume III, Cost/Price Proposal (Executed RFP Documents)/Contractor Responsibility. Specific guidance regarding the content of each volume will be discussed further below. Page limitations shall be treated as maximums. If exceeded, the excess pages will not be read or considered in the evaluation of the proposal. When Evaluation Notices (ENs) are necessary, the Government will issue them by electronic means to prospective offerors. Page limitations may be placed on responses to these ENs and such limitations will be provided at the time the EN is issued.

2.1.4.2 Electronic Page Size, Format and Limit.

2.1.4.2.1 An electronic page is defined as each face of an  $8 \frac{1}{2} \times 11$ " electronic sheet of paper containing information. Page limits apply to all electronic files. Pages in excess of the maximum page limits defined below will not be evaluated. For the purposes of formatting, the type font shall not be less than 12 pitch. Pages shall be numbered sequentially by volume.

Volume I - Technical Proposal: Subfactor 1: 20 Page Limit

Volume II (a) - Past Performance: 10 Page Limit

Volume II (b) - Signed Teaming or JV Agreement (required if Teaming or JV is proposed): No page limit Volume III - Cost/ Price Proposal and Contractor Responsibility: No Page Limit

2.1.4.2.2 All pages of each volume shall be appropriately numbered and identified with the Request for Proposal (RFP) number.

2.1.4.3 Cost or Pricing Related Data. All cost and/or pricing data shall ONLY be addressed in the Cost/Price Proposal Volume.

2.1.4.4 Indexing. Electronic files should be titled appropriately so as to easily discern each volume as outlined in paragraph 2.1.4.1. Each file shall contain a more detailed table of contents to delineate the subparagraphs within that file. Tab indexing shall be used to identify sections. Indexing is not included in the page limitations.

2.1.4.5 Proposal Acceptance Period. The proposal acceptance period is specified in Block 13d of the Standard Form 1442 of the Solicitation. In accordance with Block 17, the number inserted must be equal to or greater than the number of days listed in Block 13d.

3.0 GENERAL: The Technical proposal shall be prepared in accordance with these instructions and shall be evaluated in accordance with the evaluation criteria and evaluation standards in Section M, Evaluation Factors for Award. Technical proposals shall include necessary information to enable the evaluators to form a definitive conclusion concerning the offeror's ability to perform the required construction.

3.1 FACTOR 1, Volume 1 - Technical Proposal. Offerors shall submit two versions of the Technical Proposal. Submit one (1) original and one (1) "sanitized copy" utilizing company CAGE code only in place of Company Name. Sanitized copy shall be provided as a separate file name. (e.g., "Volume 1 Sanitized Tech Proposal CAGE#").

3.1.1 TECHNICAL FACTOR - Project Schedule: Using the provided specifications, the offeror must provide a project schedule and narrative supporting the schedule. The proposal shall describe procedures, processes, and methods for tracking the progress of the project and interface with the Government and contractor team from beginning to end. The project schedule and supporting narrative shall identify the separate work elements of the project, the order of work elements to include project phasing, number of days for each work element, and the identification of long lead time materials. Long lead items such as major equipment, electrical equipment, pre-engineered piping, etc., must be specifically identified in the Technical proposal. If there are no Long Lead Time Materials, the proposal must state that there are no Long Lead Time Materials. At a minimum, the project schedule must include mobilization, submittals, demolition, and major work elements by specification division, final inspection, demobilization, and close-out documents. The schedule must be in the form of a progress chart of suitable scale to indicate appropriately the percentage of work scheduled for completion by any given date during the performance period. The submitted schedule must be developed using project scheduling software such as MS Project, Primavera, or any other comparable form. The AF Form 3064, Contract Progress Schedule may also be used for submission of this item, and is recommended. Offerors should only include the work elements necessary to complete the required work. The AF Form 3064, Contract Progress Schedule shall reflect a 515-day performance period. This list is provided as a guide and is not all inclusive or exclusive. It is the offeror's responsibility to identify all necessary work elements. The form must show major measurable line items of the construction project, percentage/value each line item represents in the total proposal cost and a timeline when each line item is schedule to be completed. The project schedule i

3.1.1.1 Identification of separate work elements.

3.1.1.2 Order of work elements to include project phasing

3.1.1.3 Number of days for each work element.

3.1.1.4 Identification of Long Lead Time Materials (Long lead items such as major equipment, electrical equipment, pre-engineered piping, etc., must be specifically identified in the technical proposal. If there are no Long Lead Time Materials, the proposal must state that there are no Long Lead Time Materials).

4.0 FACTOR 2, PAST PERFORMANCE. Submit one (1) copy only; a "sanitized copy" of Past Performance is NOT REQUIRED. Volume II (a) is limited to 20 pages and Volume II (b) - Signed Teaming or JV Agreement has no page limit. Past Performance Questionnaires and Contractor Performance Assessment Reporting System (CPARS) evaluations that accompany the offerors proposal are not included in the page limitation.

4.1 Volume II (a) - Past Performance - Offerors shall provide adequate past performance information on completed or current contracts (including Federal, State, local government and private) considered most relevant in demonstrating the ability to perform the proposed work as identified within the Specifications. Offerors must provide past performance information to establish Recency and Relevancy on all Federal contracts before State, local government or private contracts. The Government's evaluation of past performance information will take into account past performance information regarding predecessor companies, key personnel who have relevant experience, or subcontractors that will perform major or critical aspects (see Teaming Agreements and JV's, para 4.2 and 4.3), when such information is relevant to the instant acquisition. Offerors are required to explain what aspects of each contract are deemed relevant to complexity and magnitude as related to the requirements of this solicitation and in accordance with Section M. Failure to provide required relevancy description may impact the confidence rating, (i.e. aspects of previous projects should match work elements identified in the Solicitation/ specification).

4.1.1 Provide a summary of the previous contracts described above. The summary should explain what aspects of each contract are deemed recent and relevant as related to the requirements of this solicitation and in accordance with Section M. Failure to provide required relevancy description may impact the confidence rating, (i.e. aspects of previous projects should match work elements identified in the solicitation/specification). The summary should not exceed 1 page per reference (maximum total of 10 pages) and include:

- a) Name of project (Contract number, if applicable)
- b) Name and address of customer or Government agency
- c) Name, telephone, fax number and/or email of customer contact or contracting officer
- d) Dollar value
- e) Period of performance/Completion date
- f) Brief description of work performed, and why the effort is relevant
- g) Comments regarding any known performance deemed unacceptable to the customer, or not in accordance with the contract terms and conditions
- 4.1.1.1 Each proposal shall provide current and relevant information regarding an offeror's actions under previously awarded contracts:
- a) Recency Assessment:

An assessment of the past performance information will be made to determine if it is recent. To be recent, the effort must be ongoing or must have been performed during the past six (6) years from the issuance month of this solicitation. Past performance information that fails this condition will not be evaluated.

b) Relevancy Assessment:

The Government will conduct an in-depth evaluation of all recent performance information obtained to determine how closely the products provided /services performed under those contracts relate to the Technical factor and Cost/Price factor, including their relative order of importance [reference

Section M, para 2.1]. Consideration will be given to projects involving the type of construction and work elements described in the attached Specifications. Relevant past performance information must demonstrate construction experience involving the type of construction and work elements described in the attached Specifications, Section 01 10 00, paragraph 1.01, and costs comparable to the project magnitude as specified in Block 10 for the SF 1442, Request for Proposal. A relevancy determination of the offeror's past performance will be made based upon the aforementioned considerations, including joint venture partner(s). In determining relevancy for individual contracts, consideration will be given to the effort, or portion of the effort, being proposed by the offeror or teaming partner whose contract is being reviewed and evaluated. The past performance questionnaires and information obtained from other sources will be used to establish the degree of relevancy of past performance.

4.1.2 Complete Section A, Contractor Information, of Attachment 5, Past Performance Questionnaire and mail, or email the attached Past/Present Performance Questionnaire to all past performance references in the list you provide and instruct them to return the completed questionnaire to the individual(s) indicated in paragraph 4.1.3 below. Evaluators are only allowed to use the government provided Past Performance Questionnaire form found in Section J of the solicitation, Attachment 5. Company developed questionnaires or questionnaires developed by other organizations will not be evaluated. Also, Questionnaires must be completed by Project Owners, Inspectors, Contracting Officers or their authorized representatives only. Questionnaires will not be accepted from Prime Contractors, Subcontractors, or Manufacturers.

4.1.3 Inform your references that completed questionnaires are to be submitted electronically by email directly to the address below. Questionnaires should be received not later than the closing date of the solicitation. Offerors are responsible for ensuring their references transmit the questionnaire to the Contracting Office. In lieu of a Past/Present Performance Questionnaire, if a project is currently available in the Contractor Performance Assessment Reporting System (CPARS), the contractor can attach the evaluation to the questionnaire with the relevant solicitation number and submit with Volume II of the proposal.

Electronic submission of Questionnaires shall be sent to:

Richard Beaty, Email: richard.beaty.3@us.af.mil

Ashley Williams, Email: ashley.williams.85@us.af.mil

1st Lt Sherianne Carroll, sherianne.carroll.1@us.af.mil

TSgt Patrick Eldridge, patrick.eldridge.1@us.af.mil

4.1.4 Lack of any past performance will not automatically disqualify an offeror, but it is a factor that is considered in the Performance Price Trade-Off Source Selection described in Section M.

4.1.5 If the offeror claims there is no past performance, then that status must be identified to the Contracting Officer not later than the date/time proposals are due from all offerors.

4.2 Volume II (b) Signed Teaming Agreement - If Teaming Agreements are contemplated they must comply with 13 CFR Part 121 - Small Business Size Regulations. The teaming members must provide complete information as to relevant and recent past performance information on previous teaming agreements. If this is a first time joint effort, each party to the teaming agreement must provide information on all relevant contracts as specified in paragraph 4.1. The maximum number of references combined shall not exceed 10 per teaming partner.

4.2.1 The Government will recognize the integrity and validity of formal contractor Teaming Agreements; provided, the agreements are identified and company relationships are fully disclosed in an offer. A Teaming Agreement must establish each party's role in the proposal preparation process and will be incorporated into the contract. Failure to clearly define roles and/or provide a Teaming Agreement with a proposal shall make teaming arrangements and related subcontractor past performance ineligible for evaluation and consideration of award. The prime contractor shall remain fully responsible for contract performance, regardless of any Teaming Agreement between the prime contractor and its subcontractors. Teaming Agreements must provide the following information as part of their proposal, Volume II (b), not later than the date/ time proposals are due:

4.2.1.1 Clearly establish roles of each party (who is prime and who is subcontractor, who is responsible for what tasks, contract administration, proposals, work management, etc.)

4.2.1.2 Provide for protection of competition-sensitive proprietary information. (Subcontractor past performance cannot be disclosed to the prime offeror without the subcontractor's consent). Provide a letter from all subcontractors that will perform major or critical aspects of the requirement, consenting to the release of their past performance information to the prime contractor, only if it is being used as part of the past performance evaluation.

4.2.1.3 Identify each member's share of the prospective contract, 50/50, 51/49, etc.

4.2.1.4 Exclusivity. Assurance that the team member will not be replaced for the duration of the contract, any exceptions should be identified. Assurance that the team members are not teaming with another firm for the same procurement.

4.2.1.5 Statement of acknowledgement that the Prime Contractor is responsible for adhering to contract terms and conditions and daily management. The Prime Contractor is obligated to negotiate in good faith and responsible for conveying mandatory government terms and conditions to subcontractors.

4.2.1.6 The prime contractor shall remain fully responsible for contract performance, regardless of any teaming agreement between the prime contractor and its subcontractors.

4.2.2 At the time of initial contract offer and at time of award, each business must be a small business. In order to submit an offer on a contract, each business concern in a Teaming Agreement must be a small business under the designated NAICS size standard, and must also be small when combined in the aggregate of all teaming affiliates.

4.3 Volume II (b) Joint Ventures - A certified Service Disabled Veteran Owned small business concern may enter into a joint venture agreement with one or more other small business concerns, or with an approved mentor authorized by 13 C.F.R. (S) 125.9 (or, if also an 8(a) BD Participant, with an approved mentor authorized by 13 C.F.R (S) 124.520), for the purpose of submitting an offer for a SDVO small business contract. The joint venture itself need not be a certified SDVO small business concern.

4.3.1 A joint venture of at least one certified SDVO small business concern and one or more other business concerns may submit an offer as a small business for a SDVO procurement or sale so long as each is determined small under the size standard corresponding to the NAICS code assigned to the procurement.

4.3.2 A joint venture between a protege firm and its SBA-approved mentor (see 13 C.F.R (S) 125.9) will be deemed small provided the protege qualifies as small for the size standard corresponding to the NAICS code assigned to the SDVO procurement.

4.3.3 As part of the proposal, Volume II (b), Joint Venture Agreements must meet the criteria set forth in 13 CFR (S) 125.8.

5.0 FACTOR 3, VOLUME III - PRICE/COST PROPOSAL. (Submit the Standard Form 1442 and all pages originally included in the RFP. Submit one (1) copy.)

5.1 Complete blocks 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, and 20a-c of the SF 1442, Solicitation, Offer, and Award. An authorized official of the firm submitting the offer must sign and date the SF 1442 in block 20a-c. In doing so, the offeror accedes to the contract terms and conditions as written in the RFP, Sections A through K.

5.2 Insert prices in Section B for each Contract Line Items, including all options. All line items must be filled in. Failure to provide prices for all line items may eliminate you from competition.

5.3 In addition to the line item pricing in section B, the contractor shall complete the 50 Division Construction Cost Estimate Worksheet (Attachment 7). Contractor shall fill in construction cost estimate worksheet to include the summary and specific divisions to be utilized for this project. At a minimum, each division should include breakdowns of specific labor and material cost. The use of lump sum or lot pricing should be avoided. The 50 Division Worksheet ONLY, may be submitted electronically by close of business 2 business days after proposal submission. The total amount on the 50 Division Worksheet must match total price as submitted in Volume III Cost Proposal with variance authorized for rounding. Submit the worksheet to the following individuals:

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5.4 Complete representations and certifications in Section K or the System for Award Management (SAM).

5.5 Submit the Financial Reference Sheet (Attachment 6) with the top portion only completed.

5.6 Submit an electronic copy of the original Bid Bond with the proposal package.

### 6.0 RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN INSTRUCTIONS AND EVALUATION.

Your attention is directed to the functional relationship between Sections L and M of this solicitation. Section L provides information for the purpose of organizing the proposal and is not intended to be all inclusive. Section M describes evaluation factors for award. Since the Government evaluation of proposals will cover areas identified in Section M, proposals should address all such areas of evaluation.

#### 7.0 AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION PRIOR TO CLOSING.

The Government reserves the right to revise or amend the specifications, drawings, or the solicitation prior to the proposal closing time. Such reservations or amendments will be communicated by amendments to the Request for Proposal (RFP) and posted on the Contract Opportunities website (https://sam.gov/). If such amendments require material changes in quantities or prices, the proposal closing date may be postponed by enough days to enable offerors to revise their proposals. In such cases, the amendment will include an announcement of the new closing date and time. Offerors MUST acknowledge all amendments in their proposal, either by completing SF 1442 Block 19, providing signed copies of the amendments with their proposal (Section III), or by separate letter which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers.

#### 8.0 QUESTIONS.

All questions regarding this solicitation must be submitted in writing. All questions and subsequent answers will be posted to the Contract Opportunities website https://sam.gov/. It is the responsibility of the contractor to continuously monitor the site for updates. To mitigate the risks associated with the cancellation of this solicitation due to untimely submission of questions, all questions must be submitted electronically to the individual(s) listed below no later than close of business 5 business days after the site visit. Any questions submitted after this period may not be answered.

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### ADDITIONAL CLAUSES INCORPORATED by FULL TEXT

52.228-1 Bid Guarantee (1996 - 09)

As prescribed in 28.101-2,

Bid Guarantee (Sept 1996)

(a) Failure to furnish a bid guarantee in the proper form and amount, by the time set for opening of bids, may cause for rejection of the bid.

(b) The bidder shall furnish a bid guarantee in the form of a firm commitment, e.g., bid bond supported by good and sufficient surety or sureties acceptable to the Government, postal money order, certified check, cashier's check, irrevocable letter or credit, or, under Treasury Department regulations, certain bonds or notes of the United States. The Contracting Officer will return bid guarantees, other than bid bonds-

(1) To unsuccessful bidders as soon as practicable after the opening of bids; and

(2) To the successful bidder upon execution of contractual documents and bonds (including any necessary coinsurance or reinsurance agreements), as required by the bid as accepted.

(c) The amount of the bid guarantee shall be 20 percent of the bid price or \$3,000,000.00, whichever is less.

(d) If the successful bidder, upon acceptance of its bid by the Government within the period specified for acceptance, fails to execute all contractual documents or furnish executed bond(s) within 10 days after receipt of the forms by the bidder, the Contracting Officer may terminate the contract for default.

(e) In the event the contract is terminated for default, the bidder is liable for any cost of acquiring the work that exceeds the amount of its bid, and the bid guarantee is available to offset the difference.

(End of Clause)