Letter of Addendum

TO: All Offerors
FROM: Kimela Miller
DATE: July 13, 2021
RE: RFP Number: 2105019P - Amendment #3
Commodity: IDIQ Architectural and Engineering Services

Please check the NM Tech website often for updates on this RFP.

Incorporated into the RFP is the PowerPoint presentation posted on the website with an overview of the project.

Q1) The RFP Terms and Conditions state that the project must meet requirements of ICD-705, and DoD 5200. Are there any security classifications and/or certifications required by us in order to be awarded the project?
A1) In Section 17.7, of the RFP it states the following:

“17.7 Security
The contractor shall comply with applicable security requirements established for this contract by DD 254 (Contractor Security Classification Specifications) and further defined in the DD 254 for each Task Order as required, the Critical Information List, and U.S. export controls. The contractor must meet special handling requirements of Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI) such as not transmitting data unless it is encrypted, collecting documents and drawings from sub-contractors and suppliers, and maintaining access rosters. Contractor shall maintain compliance with NIST 800-171. The contractor will appoint a Security officer, who shall implement and keep records regarding the security quality control plan during the design process and through the duration of the project. Contractor shall implement and document an employee security training and certification plan.”

The contractor must have a facility security clearance (FCL) and able to have flowed down a DD-254.

Q2) The RFP talks about submitting a price portion of the proposal in a sealed envelope. Should we submit pricing with our proposal? If so, would this be our rate sheet?
A2) Disregard the discussion of pricing in 1.5 and 4.2. Pricing/cost is not an evaluation criteria.

Q3) Regarding the RFP no. 2105019P, as this IDIQ call is part of the AFRL PEACE contract FA8650-19-S-1888, would FAR regulations related to HUBzones, 8a, WOSB, EDWOSB apply as well as Veteran NM Business Preference?
A3) This is a mixed question. 1) NMT does want to use HUBzones, 8a, WOSB, EDWOSB and have committed to them in the Small Business Administration plan, however, this is not a criteria of this RFP. 2) Since federal funds will be used, under the state guidelines 13-1-21, neither in-state nor veterans preferences apply to this RFP.
All Offerors are required to confirm the receipt of this amendment in their response. All other terms and conditions of the RFP remain unchanged.

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