

Questions for Outreach 10/07/2021 Hazardous Waste District 5, 6, & 10

1. Will 3 bids be required of Vendors?

SOQ Instructions, Section II, Definitions, Item O, first and second paragraph is amended to read as follow: "O. Vendor Services are Trade services incidental to the core A&E services. Firms providing Trade services will require to submit their rate sheets used for all clients. Vendor name and description of services shall be listed in the SOQ transmittal letter." Note, all Vendors and the associated service descriptions shall be listed in the SOQ. DBE and Non-DBE vendor names should be identified in the SOQ and include their perspective Transmittal Letter accompanied with the A&E Conflict of Interest forms. During cost negotiation stage, Vendors (DBE and Non-DBE) will submit rate sheets for a "Fair and Reasonable" check prior to executing contract.

2. Will we be allowed to NAME Vendors?

Yes, please see responses above.

3. Are ALL the listed required certifications/licenses key personnel?

Please read the SOW and the associated cross reference to SER.

4. The two highlighted areas below directly contradict each other (each color is related/contradictory). Can you please clarify which is correct? "Performs analysis or evaluation involving substantial discretionary judgement. Collaborated on design. Does not participate and/or collaborate in project design/proposal development. Services do not include a significant amount of analysis or evaluation that involve substantial discretionary Judgement."

SOQ will be revised, please refer to revised SOQ.

5. Do we need to NAME individuals from vendors on an org chart if they hold a required certification?

Vendor Services are Trade services incidental to the core A&E services with corresponding Rate Sheets and no separate Labor Sheets would be required. As such the name of the Vendor will be listed on the Org chart and not the individuals.

6. What happens if a sub is denied SHR?

The Sub will be considered non-compliant and as such the team would be considered non-responsive to the RFQ.

7. Is the team Disqualified or do they get the opportunity to provide the more comprehensive costing?

Please see response above.

8. Will you send the presentation attendees a link to the updated requirements?

Please use the current SOQ instructions and or any Addendums posted.

9. ETA on updated SOQ instructions?

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