

Question and Answer (Q&A) Solicitation W56HZV-14-R-0109 - 15 Dec 2014

Solicitation Industry Question #1:

I just reviewed the SPCS requirement and wondered what the procurement timeline looked like.

Government Answer to Question #1:

The formal Request for Proposal (RFP) is anticipated to be posted in early January. The Government can't speak to procurement timelines beyond the anticipated release of the RFP.

Solicitation Industry Question #2:

Can this RFQ be changed to a Small Business Set Aside?

Government Answer to Question #2:

A DD 2579-Small Business Coordination Record was reviewed and approved by the Office of Small Business Programs (OSBP) on 01 July 2014. The OSBP reviewed information presented by the contracting office, and it was determined this procurement would be processed on a full and open basis with no small business set asides. Also to clarify, the formal Solicitation will be a Request for Proposal (RFP), not a Request for Quotation (RFQ) as stated above in Question #2.

Solicitation Industry Question #3:

We would like to know if this is an existing model or if you want a manufacturer to build a saw to meet these specifications?

Government Answer to Question #3:

Through market research the Government has identified commercial market saws capable of fully meeting the requirements of the Commercial Item Description (CID) attachment 0001. However the Government does not discourage other innovative approaches to meeting the requirements of the CID.

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Solicitation Industry Questions #4 & #5:

I have been looking over Draft Solicitation and I have questions about the diamond blades and the widths that are not specified in the draft.

I am also not sure what the reference to hoses means and is there a complete list of the items that need to be supplied as replacement parts.

Government Answer to Questions #4 & #5:

Please be sure to review the entire package contained in this web page, including the DRAFT RFP and contract attachments. Blade and hose requirements are specifically detailed in Attachment 0001-Commercial Item Description (CID).

****Note: Please ensure that questions submitted specify which portion of the RFP or attachments are being questioned. Please try to be as specific as possible.**