

This Amendment 01 to N39430-15-R-1720 contains Requests for Information (RFI) for questions received by the Government through 5:00 PM 9/3/2015, as an addition to the original solicitation.

Combined Synopsis/Solicitation was posted to NECO/FPO on 9/1/15. RFI responses are provided below.

Q1 received 2:42 PM Pacific Time, 9/2/15

_____ is interested in bidding on this project. Are any of the previous annual monitoring reports that are referenced in Section 6.0 of the Solicitation available? Is the amount of data generated under this solicitation anticipated to be on the same order of magnitude as previous years? This information is important so that we can assess the anticipated volume of data that will need to be processed and the level of effort to complete the reporting under an awarded contract.

RESPONSE:

Question one, above, contains two parts, displayed and answered as 1.1 and 1.2 below:

1.1 Are any of the previous annual monitoring reports that are referenced in Section 6.0 of the Solicitation available?

There are copies of previous reports, but this information is sensitive regarding the Native Americans (parties to the Memorandum of Agreement) and not available for public release. We are providing an outline of prior report below:

Outline/Template: Coso Hot Springs Monitoring Report

Introduction

Overview

- Physical Setting
- Geology
- Hydrogeology

Climate Monitoring

Regional/Geothermal Climate Data

Surface Manifestations (South Pool)

- Water Levels
- Temperature

Monitoring Wells

- Water Levels (4P-1, OB-1, OB-2 and 37-4TCH)
- Temperatures (4P-1, OB-1 and OB-2)

Geochemistry

- Analytic Quality of the Samples
- Monitoring Wells
 - 4P-1

OB-1
OB-2
Surface Manifestations
South Pool
West Canyon Fumarole
Wheeler Pad/Prospect

Summary

References

Appendix A (Climate Data)

Appendix B (Surface Manifestation Data)

Appendix C (Monitoring Well Data)

Appendix D (Geochemistry)

1.2 Is the amount of data generated under this solicitation anticipated to be on the same order of magnitude as previous years?

Yes.

Q2 received 6:59 AM Pacific Time, 9/3/15

_____ is interested in responding to this solicitation. Based on review of available information, we are unable to determine the volume of data that needs to be cataloged annually. Can you please indicate the volume of data that will be collected annually. Can you send me an example, or provide a link to a typical annual data set? Thank you.

RESPONSE:

This data is analyzed by the awardee, not cataloged. Anywhere from 5 to 10 megabytes of data (possibly more) is sent for evaluation and analysis for the annual report and historical update. Look at the template provided for data types.

Q3 received 11:38 AM Pacific Time, 9/3/15

What format will the data be provided (pdf, excel, word, other)?

RESPONSE:

See 4.1 in the solicitation, which states that MS Word, Excel and pdf (photos) data sets will be provided to the Contractor.

Q4 received 1:22 PM Pacific Time, 9/3/15

Can you give us a sense of how much data (historic data, yearly data, number of monitoring locations, etc.) there will be for the aforementioned solicitation? Thank you.

RESPONSE:

See 2.2.1 in the solicitation which describes the data sets; anywhere from 5 to 10 megabytes of data (possibly more) is sent for evaluation and analysis for the annual report and historical update. See also the Response to Q1 above (sub-part marked as 1.1): an outline/template is provided which includes data types and locations.