

<b>AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT</b>			1. CONTRACT ID CODE	PAGE OF PAGES 1   7
2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO. 0001	3. EFFECTIVE DATE 08-Oct-2015	4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO. ACQR3969825		5. PROJECT NO.(If applicable) P-308
6. ISSUED BY NAVFAC MID ATLANTIC HAMPTON ROADS IPT 9324 VIRGINIA AVENUE NORFOLK VA 23511-3095	CODE N40085	7. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than item 6)  <b>See Item 6</b>		
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (No., Street, County, State and Zip Code)		X	9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. N40085-15-R-8749	
		X	9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11) 29-Sep-2015	
			10A. MOD. OF CONTRACT/ORDER NO.	
			10B. DATED (SEE ITEM 13)	
CODE	FACILITY CODE			
11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offer <input type="checkbox"/> is extended, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is not extended. Offer must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended by one of the following methods: (a) By completing Items 8 and 15, and returning <u>1</u> copies of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.				
12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA (If required)				
13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS. IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.				
A. THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO: (Specify authority) THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.				
B. THE ABOVE NUMBERED CONTRACT/ORDER IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) SET FORTH IN ITEM 14, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF FAR 43.103(B).				
C. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF:				
D. OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)				
E. IMPORTANT: Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> is not, <input type="checkbox"/> is required to sign this document and return _____ copies to the issuing office.				
14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION (Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.)  This Amendment is issued to make the following changes to the solicitation: 1. Respond to INQUIRIES 2. Provide Point of Contact names/phone numbers 3. Confirm date of site visit 4. Provide Full Text Clause				
Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.				
15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print)		16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)		
		TEL:	EMAIL:	
15B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR	15C. DATE SIGNED	16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA		16C. DATE SIGNED
_____ (Signature of person authorized to sign)		BY _____ (Signature of Contracting Officer)		08-Oct-2015

## SECTION SF 30 BLOCK 14 CONTINUATION PAGE

## SUMMARY OF CHANGES

## SECTION SF 30 - BLOCK 14 CONTINUATION PAGE

The following have been added by full text:

RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES

THE OFFICIAL POINT OF CONTACT FOR THIS SOLICITATION IS ELIZABETH CARMACK – email

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Phone - 757 341-1654

THE ALTERNATE POINT OF CONTACT IS CHANGED FROM MICHELLE GOODEN TO LEIGH WALKER –

[leighann.walker@navy.mil](mailto:leighann.walker@navy.mil) PHONE – 757-341-0080

SITE VISIT UPDATE: WITH REGARD TO THE SITE VISIT, BASE ACCESS REQUEST MAY BE SUBMITTED UP TO 5 BUSINESS DAYS PRIOR TO THE ACTUAL SITE VISIT. THEREFORE, PLEASE SUBMIT ALL ACCESS REQUESTS BY COB OCTOBER 13, 2015.

THE SITE VISIT IS CONFIRMED TO BE OCTOBER 21, 2015. POINT OF CONTACT FOR BASE ACCESS IS RICHARD BURNETT – PHONE IS 207-259-8347 CELL - 207-650-0557(MAINE) THE ALTERNATE POC IS MR. LOUIS PLAUD – PHONE is 207-259-8242.

FAR CLAUSE 52.215-1 (Alt I) is hereby INCORPORATED as FULL TEXT

RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES

- 1) Are prime contractors required to attend the site visit in order to submit proposal?
  - 1a) If YES; If there is a JV approach, do representatives from all JV partners need to attend?

**AQ RESPONSE: PLEASE SEE FAR CLAUSE 52.236-27 within the solicitation which provides information regarding the site visit which in part states “Accordingly, offerors or quoters are urged and expected to inspect the site where the work will be performed.”**

- 2) Will contractors be allowed to take photos during the site visit?

**RESPONSE: Photography is allowed.**

- 3) Will a copy of the site visit sign-in sheet be uploaded to the FBO/NECO website after the site visit is conducted?

**AQ RESPONSE: Yes.**

- 4) This appears to be a reissue of a previous solicitation. Will all the public PPIs and responses from the previous solicitation become part of this solicitation, or should we re-ask any of the questions that we feel are necessary to get on record for this solicitation as well?

**RESPONSE: The plans and specifications have been updated and should be evaluated as a new solicitation. Bid inquiries will be addressed.**

- 5) Is there a list of all the changes to the drawings and specifications from the previous solicitation that can be provided?

**RESPONSE: No.**

- 6) The Subsea Cable specification identifies a 25-year material warranty. We are aware of one cable manufacturer that will provide a 40-year warranty, but no others that will provide more than a 5-year material warranty for the type of custom cable required by the specification. Is the Navy aware of cable manufacturer(s) that will specifically provide a 25-year material warranty? If so, can you provide the name and/or contact information of the supplier(s) that the Navy received this information from?

**RESPONSE: UNDER SPECIFICATION SUBSEA CABLE, SECTION 26 05 033, PAGE 7  
PARAGRAPH 2.1.10 WARRANTY – Make the following CHANGES:**

**DELETE .** “The contractor shall provide a 2-year installation warranty and a 25-year material warranty on the Subsea Power Cable.”

**REPLACE WITH:** The contractor shall provide a 2-year installation warranty and a 5-year material warranty on the Subsea Power Cable.”

- 7) In the RFP Document, page 37; Safety is listed as Factor 4; we believe Safety should be Factor 3. Small Business Utilization is also listed as Factor 4, after the Safety section. Wanted to confirm there are no other Factors missing.

**AQ RESPONSE: CORRECTION : SAFETY IS FACTOR 3 – SMALL BUSINESS IS FACTOR 4.  
Confirmation that there are a total of 5 NON-PRICE FACTORS.**

- 8) In the RFP Document, pages 20 through 29 and pages 43 through 53 include what appears to be duplicated wage determination information. Wanted to confirm this was not supposed to have different information in one of these two sections.

**AQ RESPONSE: There are two wage determinations applicable to this solicitation – ME150032 (Building) and ME150001(Heavy Dredging). There are DUPLICATES contained in the solicitation.**

- 9) Are any firms excluded from bidding this solicitation, either as prime contractor or subcontractor?

**AQ RESPONSE: This solicitation is being advertised as an UNRESTRICTED, FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION and in accordance with FAR 6.102 and FAR 52.215-1(Alt I).**

## SECTION 00700 - CONTRACT CLAUSES

The following have been added by reference:

52.215-1                    Instructions to Offerors--Competitive Acquisition                    JAN 2004

The following were previously included by reference and are now included by full text:

52.215-1    INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS--COMPETITIVE ACQUISITION (JAN 2004)—ALTERNATE I  
(OCT 1997)

(a) Definitions. As used in this provision--

“Discussions” are negotiations that occur after establishment of the competitive range that may, at the Contracting Officer's discretion, result in the offeror being allowed to revise its proposal.

In writing, writing, or written” means any worded or numbered expression which can be read, reproduced, and later communicated, and includes electronically transmitted and stored information.

“Proposal modification” is a change made to a proposal before the solicitation's closing date and time, or made in response to an amendment, or made to correct a mistake at any time before award.

“Proposal revision” is a change to a proposal made after the solicitation closing date, at the request of or as allowed by a Contracting Officer as the result of negotiations.

“Time”, if stated as a number of days, is calculated using calendar days, unless otherwise specified, and will include Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays. However, if the last day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, then the period shall include the next working day.

(b) Amendments to solicitations. If this solicitation is amended, all terms and conditions that are not amended remain unchanged. Offerors shall acknowledge receipt of any amendment to this solicitation by the date and time specified in the amendment(s).

(c) Submission, modification, revision, and withdrawal of proposals. (1) Unless other methods (e.g., electronic commerce or facsimile) are permitted in the solicitation, proposals and modifications to proposals shall be submitted in paper media in sealed envelopes or packages (i) addressed to the office specified in the solicitation, and (ii) showing the time and date specified for receipt, the solicitation number, and the name and address of the offeror. Offerors using commercial carriers should ensure that the proposal is marked on the outermost wrapper with the information in paragraphs (c)(1)(i) and (c)(1)(ii) of this provision.

(2) The first page of the proposal must show--

- (i) The solicitation number;
  - (ii) The name, address, and telephone and facsimile numbers of the offeror (and electronic address if available);
  - (iii) A statement specifying the extent of agreement with all terms, conditions, and provisions included in the solicitation and agreement to furnish any or all items upon which prices are offered at the price set opposite each item;
  - (iv) Names, titles, and telephone and facsimile numbers (and electronic addresses if available) of persons authorized to negotiate on the offeror's behalf with the Government in connection with this solicitation; and
  - (v) Name, title, and signature of person authorized to sign the proposal. Proposals signed by an agent shall be accompanied by evidence of that agent's authority, unless that evidence has been previously furnished to the issuing office.
- (3) Submission, modification, or revisions of proposals. (i) Offerors are responsible for submitting proposals, and any modifications, revisions, or withdrawals, so as to reach the Government office designated in the solicitation by the time specified in the solicitation. If no time is specified in the solicitation, the time for receipt is 4:30 p.m., local time, for the designated Government office on the date that proposal or revision is due.
- (ii)(A) Any proposal, modification, or revision received at the Government office designated in the solicitation after the exact time specified for receipt of offers is "late" and will not be considered unless it is received before award is made, the Contracting Officer determines that accepting the late offer would not unduly delay the acquisition; and--
- (1) If it was transmitted through an electronic commerce method authorized by the solicitation, it was received at the initial point of entry to the Government infrastructure not later than 5:00 p.m. one working day prior to the date specified for receipt of proposals; or
  - (2) There is acceptable evidence to establish that it was received at the Government installation designated for receipt of offers and was under the Government's control prior to the time set for receipt of offers; or
  - (3) It is the only proposal received.
- (B) However, a late modification of an otherwise successful proposal that makes its terms more favorable to the Government, will be considered at any time it is received and may be accepted.
- (iii) Acceptable evidence to establish the time of receipt at the Government installation includes the time/date stamp of that installation on the proposal wrapper, other documentary evidence of receipt maintained by the installation, or oral testimony or statements of Government personnel.
- (iv) If an emergency or unanticipated event interrupts normal Government processes so that proposals cannot be received at the office designated for receipt of proposals by the exact time specified in the solicitation, and urgent Government requirements preclude amendment of the solicitation, the time specified for receipt of proposals will be deemed to be extended to the same time of day specified in the solicitation on the first work day on which normal Government processes resume.
- (v) Proposals may be withdrawn by written notice received at any time before award. Oral proposals in response to oral solicitations may be withdrawn orally. If the solicitation authorizes facsimile proposals, proposals may be withdrawn via facsimile received at any time before award, subject to the conditions specified in the provision at 52.215-5, Facsimile Proposals. Proposals may be withdrawn in person by an offeror or an authorized representative, if the identity of the person requesting withdrawal is established and the person signs a receipt for the proposal before award.
- (4) Unless otherwise specified in the solicitation, the offeror may propose to provide any item or combination of items.

- (5) Offerors shall submit proposals in response to this solicitation in English, unless otherwise permitted by the solicitation, and in U.S. dollars, unless the provision at FAR 52.225-17, Evaluation of Foreign Currency Offers, is included in the solicitation.
- (6) Offerors may submit modifications to their proposals at any time before the solicitation closing date and time, and may submit modifications in response to an amendment, or to correct a mistake at any time before award.
- (7) Offerors may submit revised proposals only if requested or allowed by the Contracting Officer.
- (8) Proposals may be withdrawn at any time before award. Withdrawals are effective upon receipt of notice by the Contracting Officer.
- (d) Offer expiration date. Proposals in response to this solicitation will be valid for the number of days specified on the solicitation cover sheet (unless a different period is proposed by the offeror).
- (e) Restriction on disclosure and use of data. Offerors that include in their proposals data that they do not want disclosed to the public for any purpose, or used by the Government except for evaluation purposes, shall--
- (1) Mark the title page with the following legend: This proposal includes data that shall not be disclosed outside the Government and shall not be duplicated, used, or disclosed--in whole or in part--for any purpose other than to evaluate this proposal. If, however, a contract is awarded to this offeror as a result of--or in connection with-- the submission of this data, the Government shall have the right to duplicate, use, or disclose the data to the extent provided in the resulting contract. This restriction does not limit the Government's right to use information contained in this data if it is obtained from another source without restriction. The data subject to this restriction are contained in sheets [insert numbers or other identification of sheets]; and
- (2) Mark each sheet of data it wishes to restrict with the following legend: Use or disclosure of data contained on this sheet is subject to the restriction on the title page of this proposal.
- (f) Contract award. (1) The Government intends to award a contract or contracts resulting from this solicitation to the responsible offeror(s) whose proposal(s) represents the best value after evaluation in accordance with the factors and subfactors in the solicitation.
- (2) The Government may reject any or all proposals if such action is in the Government's interest.
- (3) The Government may waive informalities and minor irregularities in proposals received.
- (4) The Government intends to evaluate proposals and award a contract after conducting discussions with offerors whose proposals have been determined to be within the competitive range. If the Contracting Officer determines that the number of proposals that would otherwise be in the competitive range exceeds the number at which an efficient competition can be conducted, the Contracting Officer may limit the number of proposals in the competitive range to the greatest number that will permit an efficient competition among the most highly rated proposals. Therefore, the offeror's initial proposal should contain the offeror's best terms from a price and technical standpoint.
- (5) The Government reserves the right to make an award on any item for a quantity less than the quantity offered, at the unit cost or prices offered, unless the offeror specifies otherwise in the proposal.
- (6) The Government reserves the right to make multiple awards if, after considering the additional administrative costs, it is in the Government's best interest to do so.
- (7) Exchanges with offerors after receipt of a proposal do not constitute a rejection or counteroffer by the Government.

(8) The Government may determine that a proposal is unacceptable if the prices proposed are materially unbalanced between line items or subline items. Unbalanced pricing exists when, despite an acceptable total evaluated price, the price of one or more contract line items is significantly overstated or understated as indicated by the application of cost or price analysis techniques. A proposal may be rejected if the Contracting Officer determines that the lack of balance poses an unacceptable risk to the Government.

(9) If a cost realism analysis is performed, cost realism may be considered by the source selection authority in evaluating performance or schedule risk.

(10) A written award or acceptance of proposal mailed or otherwise furnished to the successful offeror within the time specified in the proposal shall result in a binding contract without further action by either party.

(11) If a post-award debriefing is given to requesting offerors, the Government shall disclose the following information, if applicable:

- (i) The agency's evaluation of the significant weak or deficient factors in the debriefed offeror's offer.
- (ii) The overall evaluated cost or price and technical rating of the successful and the debriefed offeror and past performance information on the debriefed offeror.
- (iii) The overall ranking of all offerors, when any ranking was developed by the agency during source selection.
- (iv) A summary of the rationale for award.
- (v) For acquisitions of commercial items, the make and model of the item to be delivered by the successful offeror.
- (vi) Reasonable responses to relevant questions posed by the debriefed offeror as to whether source-selection procedures set forth in the solicitation, applicable regulations, and other applicable authorities were followed by the agency.

(End of provision)

(End of Summary of Changes)