

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT			1. CONTRACT ID CODE	PAGE OF PAGES	
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2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO. 0004	3. EFFECTIVE DATE 26-May-2007	4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO.		5. PROJECT NO.(If applicable)	
6. ISSUED BY AFGHANISTAN ENGINEER DISTRICT US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS KABUL APO AE 09356	CODE W917PM	7. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than item 6)		CODE	
		See Item 6			
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (No., Street, County, State and Zip Code)			X	9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. W917PM-07-R-0070	
			X	9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11) 28-Apr-2007	
				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 made to answer questions from prospective offerors.					
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)		26-May-2007	

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES

(End of Summary of Changes)

The following items are applicable to this modification:

SECTION 00100 - BIDDING SCHEDULE/INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

SECOND SET

May 26, 2007

Q1: What do you mean from BASE YEAR and OPTION YEAR?

A1: Base year is the first year of the contract. Option years are the next two years and of the contract.

Q2: Should we attach Wire Transfer Authorization to our Proposal?

A2: If you are a new contractor to the Corps of Engineers please attach completed the Wire Transfer Authorization form.

Q3: Can we propose DBST instead of Asphalt for the road?

A3: No, you can not propose DBST. The scope of work requires AC pavement so the cost proposal shall be asphalt concrete pavement.

Q4: Can we propose a road of length more or less then 42Km?

A4: The scope of work is 42km. When we accurate surveying data, we will modify the scope of work for D-B construction. For the purpose of the cost proposal, you shall provide the cost for 42km.

Q5: Can we propose a road which is not a straight one but have different branches or section in a single region?

A5: The sample scope of work provided the approximate distance and coordinates of the starting and end points. This is what you shall base cost proposal upon.

Q6: Can a single company submit proposal for different roads (more then one).

A6: No you can not propose cost proposals for another road that is not related to this project. The scope of work provided the approximate distance and coordinates of the starting and end points. This is what you shall base your cost proposal upon.

Q7: Should we attach details of the proposed road like Maps, GPS Points e.t.c.) with our proposal.

A7: There is no limitation of appendix. Appendix does not count toward the 50 pages limit. The answer is Yes, you can submit attached details of the road as an appendix if you like.

Q8: in some cases the road is narrow to 3 meter, and it is difficult to extend the road way width because of agriculture land and shops on both sides, and according to your RFP the road width should be $7+1.5+1.5=10m$, in this condition what should be done?

A8: Right now we are asking for 10m of road, you need to provide the cost proposal for 10m assuming there is no land issue for this road. Detailed information about locations that did not have sufficient right of way due to the land issue will be provided later in the Design-Build Construction Scope of Work.

Q9: Should we attach the signed solicitation offer form with our proposal?

A9: Yes, an authorized representative of the company must sign and date the Standard Form 1442 BACK and return it with your proposal.

Q10: For the subject RFP, we noticed that the Corps expects that the topographic survey for 42 km can be completed within 30 days from NTP, since they make it part of the 50% submittal. At the 50% submittal, the RFP requires the 100% survey to be completed and included in the submittal. Could this be clarified?

A10: Referenced to Section 00150 "Sample Project Schedule": It is clearly stated that the schedule is only a suggested internal schedule and is subject to modification by the Offerors to suit their particular method of operation. If the offeror decides to provide 42km design plan as one phase then the topographical survey must be completed when 50% design submittals is submitted. If the offeror decides to make 42km for than one phase then the survey of that particular phase must also be completed when 50% design plan for that phase is submitted. As for the duration when to complete the survey, design and construction it is up to the Offeror to plan and resource his staff and equipment based on the given performance period to develop the schedule for government review and acceptance.