

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT			1. CONTRACT ID CODE	PAGE OF PAGES
2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO. 0003		3. EFFECTIVE DATE 26-Oct-2009	4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO.	
6. ISSUED BY AFGHANISTAN DISTRICT SOUTH (AES) US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS APO AE 09355		CODE W5J9LE	7. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than item 6) See Item 6	
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (No., Street, County, State and Zip Code)			X	9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. W917PM-09-R-0120
			X	9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11) 23-Sep-2009
				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 to answer questions from contractors.				
Electronic submission of proposals by e-mail will now be excepted. See the revision to Section 00110 for further details.				
All other sections of the previous version of the Solicitation remain unchanged.				
Contracting POC: John A Cominotto				
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)		25-Oct-2009

SECTION SF 30 BLOCK 14 CONTINUATION PAGE

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

SECTION 00100 - BIDDING SCHEDULE/INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

The following have been modified:

SECTION 00110**SECTION 00110****Rotary Wing Phase II, Kandahar Air Field (KAF)
(DESIGN-BUILD) – BEST VALUE
PROPOSAL PREPARATION****1. INQUIRIES**

Perspective offerors should submit inquiries related to this solicitation by writing or calling the following (collect calls will not be accepted):

All questions will be submitted in writing by e-mail to:

Mr. Hamilton Batista

E-MAIL ADDRESS: Hamilton.batista@usace.army.mil

Please include the solicitation number, and project title with your questions. Written inquiries must be received by this office not later than 5 calendar days prior to the date set for receipt of offers.

Oral explanations or instructions are not binding. Any information given to an Offeror which impacts the solicitation and/or offer will be given in the form of a written amendment to the solicitation.

As this is a competitive negotiation acquisition, there is no public bid opening and no information will be given out as to the number of offerors or the results of the competition until all awards are made.

2. DIRECTIONS FOR SUBMITTING PROPOSALS:

Due to this Amendment (0003) being released so close to the Due Date, **E-mailed proposals will be accepted.** All Electronic Proposals must be submitted to Mr. Hamilton Batista at hamilton.batista@usace.army.mil by the Due Date. The Size of the Proposals and number of Pages has not changed. All Electronic proposals must meet the same criteria as hard copy deliveries.

Offers must be in sealed envelopes/packages, marked and addressed as follows:

MARK PACKAGES:

Solicitation No. **W917PM-09-R-0120**

Offer Closing Date: **28 October 2009**

Offer Closing Time: Proposals must be received at the gate ECP-3, Kandahar Air Field, Kandahar, Afghanistan between 09:00 to 11:00 A.M. Afghanistan Time or to the U.S. Corps of Engineer Compound (USACE) Contracting Office 720 KAF Road Kandahar Air Field across from the bazaar.

ADDRESS PACKAGES TO:

Hamilton Batista
USACE-AES
APO-AE 09355

Special Instruction Pertaining to Hand Carried Offers: All Contractors submitting proposals must notify USACE Contracting Office personnel Hamilton Batista or Evan Carter by e-mail to request a letter of approval to Hand-Carry proposals through the gate at ECP-3 Kandahar Air Field, by no later than 21 October 2009.

3. PRE-PROPOSAL CONFERENCE / SITE VISIT

The Pre-proposal Conference and Site Visit will be held jointly. Please contract ded in Amendment 01 must be submitted if an Offeror wishes to attend the meeting. Contact Information:ct Mr. Michael Bell no later than 72 Hours before the scheduled site visit. The Site Visit/Pre-Proposal Conference is scheduled for 18 OCTOBER 2009 at 1300 Hrs Local Time (Kandahar). The request form inclu

Mr. Michael F. Bell
Michael.f.bell@usace.army.mil

IMPORTANT NOTES. (1) Remarks and explanations addressed during the conference shall not qualify or alter the terms and conditions of the solicitation. (2) The terms and conditions of the solicitation remain unchanged unless the solicitation is formally amended in writing.

4. TELEGRAPHIC OFFERS - - TELEGRAPHIC OFFERS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE.

However, offers may be withdrawn by written or telegraphic notice. Any telegram to withdraw an offer sent to this office must be received in the office designated in the Request for Proposal (RFP) for receipt of offers not later than the exact date and time set for receipt of proposals. A telegraphic withdrawal of an offer received in such office by telephone from the receiving telegraph office not later than the exact date and time set for receipt of proposals shall be considered. However, the telephone message shall be confirmed by the telegraph company by sending a copy of the written telegram that formed the basis for the telephone call. The written telegram shall be sealed in an envelope by a proper official and sent to the office designated in the RFP for receipt of offers. The official shall write on the envelope (1) the date and time of receipt and by whom, and (2) the number of the RFP, and shall sign the envelope. The Offeror is responsible to inform the telegraph company of these requirements. No one from this office will be dispatched to the local telegraph office to pick up any telegram for any reason.

5. FACSIMILE OFFERS

Facsimile offers, modifications thereto, or cancellations of offers will not be accepted.

6. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND INSTRUCTIONS

a. REQUIREMENT FOR SEPARATE PRICE AND TECHNICAL PROPOSALS.

(1) Each Offeror must submit both a Price Proposal and a Technical Proposal. The Price Proposal and the Technical Proposal must be submitted as separate volumes. Ensure that the outside of each separate volume is clearly marked to indicate its contents; and the identity of the offeror. Additionally, clearly identify the "original" cost/price proposal and the "original" technical proposal on the outside cover.

(2) Both the Price Proposal and the Technical Proposal must be received by the closing date and time set for receipt of proposals.

(3) No dollar amounts from the Price Proposal are to be included in the Technical Proposal.

(4) All information intended to be evaluated as part of the Technical Proposal must be submitted as part of the Technical Proposal. Do not cross-reference similar material in the Price Proposal, or vice versa. Also, do not include links to websites in lieu of incorporating information into your proposal.

(5) Do not include exceptions to the terms and conditions of the solicitation in either the technical or price proposal. Should the offer include any standard company terms and conditions that conflict with the terms and conditions of the solicitation, the offer may be determined "unacceptable" and thus ineligible for award. Should the offeror have any questions related to specific terms and conditions, these should be resolved prior to submission of the offer. The Offeror must clearly describe in the Proposal Cover Sheet submitted with the Price Proposal any exceptions to the contractual and/or technical terms and conditions of the solicitation contained in the Offer.

b. DISCUSSIONS.

The Government intends to evaluate proposals and award a contract without discussions with offerors (except clarifications as described in FAR 15.306(a)). Therefore, the offeror's initial proposal should contain the offeror's best terms from a cost or price and technical standpoint. The Government reserves the right to conduct discussions if the Contracting Officer later determines them to be necessary. 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.

c. COST OR PRICING DATA.

Offerors are not required to submit Cost or Pricing Data with their offers.

d. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS.

(1) Submit only the hard-copy paper documents and the electronic files specifically authorized and/or required elsewhere in this section. Do not submit excess information, to include audio-visual materials, electronic media, etc.

(2) Use only 8 ½ by 11 inch paper for hard copy submissions, unless another paper size is specifically authorized elsewhere in this section for a particular submission. Do not use fold-outs (e.g., 11" x 14" or 11" x 17" sheets) unless specifically authorized in this section for a particular submission. Do not use a font size smaller than 10, an unusual font style such as script, or condensed print for any submission. All page margins must be at least 1 inch wide, but may include headers and footers.

(3) The preferred method for assembling your proposals is to use three-ring binders; however, the use of pressboard or other report covers with compression or other type fasteners is acceptable. Do not use spring clamps or exceed the recommended capacity of the fastener or binder. Do not use plastic multi-hole/spiral binding systems, heat binding systems, or other systems which do not facilitate the ready insertion of additional pages.

(4) “Confidential” projects cannot be submitted to demonstrate capability unless all of the information required for evaluation as specified herein can be provided to the Government as part of the Offeror’s technical proposal. Offerors that include in their proposals information that they do not want disclosed to the public for any purpose, or used by the Government except for evaluation purposes, must be clearly marked in accordance with the instructions at FAR 52.215-1, “Instructions to Offerors— Competitive Acquisition”, paragraph (e), “Restriction on disclosure and use of data”.

(5) In the case of an Offeror that is part of a large, multi-segmented business concern, provide information directly pertaining to the specific segment of the business concern (i.e., the division, group, unit, etc.) that will perform work under the prospective contract.

(6) For submissions with page limitations, the pages will be counted as follows: One side of the paper is one page; information on both the back and front of one sheet of paper will be counted as two pages. Where authorized, fold-out pages (11" x 14" or 11" x 17") will count as one page. Pages furnished for organizational purposes only, such as a “Table of Contents” or divider tabs, are not included in the page limitation.

e. SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PRICE PROPOSAL

(1) Number of Sets of the Price Proposal. Submit the ORIGINAL and ONE additional hard copy set of the Price Proposal.

(2) Size Restrictions and Page Limits. Use only 8 ½” x 11” pages. There are no page limits set for the price proposal. However, limit your response to information required by this solicitation. Excess information will not be considered in the Government’s evaluation.

(3) Format and Contents of the Price Proposal and List of Tabs. The Price Proposal shall be appropriately labeled as such and shall be organized as indicated in the following chart. Note: If the Offeror is not required to submit any information under a listed Tab in accordance with the instructions below, that tab can be omitted. However, do not renumber the subsequent tabs.

TAB	CONTENTS OF THE PRICE PROPOSAL
#1	The Proposal Cover Sheet
#2	The SF1442 and Acknowledgement of Amendments
#3	Section 00010, Pricing Schedule
#4	Representations, Certifications, and Other Statements of Offerors
#5	JV Agreement, if applicable.

(4) Detailed Submission Instructions for the Price Proposal

TAB 1: The proposal cover sheet is required by FAR 52.215-1(2) (c) (i)-(v) and must be submitted by all offerors. This provision, titled “Instructions to Offerors Competitive Acquisition,” and the format for the proposal cover sheet are furnished elsewhere in this section.

TAB 2: The SF 1442, Solicitation, Offer, and Award is to be completed by all Offerors and duly executed with an original signature by an official authorized to bind the company in accordance with FAR 4.102. Any and all amendments must be acknowledged by all Offerors in accordance with the instructions on the Standard Form 30, Amendment of Solicitation.

TAB 3: Section 00010, Pricing Schedule is to be completed in its entirety by all Offerors. See Section 00010 with attached notes, for further instructions.

TAB 4: All Offerors must have electronically completed the annual representations and certifications on the “Online Representations and Certifications Application” (ORCA) website or respond with the completed representations / certifications found in the solicitation.. The offerors are responsible for ensuring that these on-line Representations and Certifications are updated as necessary to reflect changes, but at least annually to ensure that they are kept current, accurate and complete. Additionally, the offeror must also complete and return the “Representations, Certifications, and Other Statements of Offerors” included in the solicitation. If the offeror is a Joint Venture, all participants must separately complete both the ORCA Representations and Certifications.

TAB 5: If the Offeror is a Joint Venture (JV), include a copy of the JV Agreement. If a JV Agreement has not yet been finalized/approved, indicate its status. JV Agreements must clearly indicate the percentages of the JV participants, in particular the percent of the controlling party, and a clear delineation of responsibilities and authorities between the JV parties.

f. SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE TECHNICAL PROPOSAL

(1) Number of Sets of the Technical Proposal. Submit the (1) ORIGINAL and (3) additional sets of the written Technical Proposal, with each set separately packaged.

(2) Format and Contents of the Technical Proposal and List of Tabs. The original and all copies of the technical proposal will be appropriately labeled as such. Each set shall be organized using the tabs specified in the following chart. Note: The main tabs directly correlate to the evaluation factors identified in Section 00120.

TAB	CONTENTS OF THE TECHNICAL PROPOSAL
Factor #1	EXPERIENCE
Factor #2	PROJECT MANAGEMENT and SECURITY PLAN
Factor #3	RESOURCES (Key Personnel and Capacity)
Factor #4	PAST EVALUATIONS/PERFORMANCE

(3) Page Limitations. See paragraphs 6.d.(2) and 6.d.(6) above for format and page count instructions. The following page limitations are established for each factor described above:

- Factor #1, Experience – Limited to One (1) Experience Form and Five (5) pages of representative design information per project. Maximum 5 projects.
- Factor #2, Project Management and Security Plan – Limited to Six (6) pages total, not including organizational charts
- Factor #3, Resources (Key Personnel and Capacity) – Limited to One (1) page for each resume/Individual provided and three pages for capacity.
- Factor #4, Past Evaluations/Performance – Limited to One (1) page per project.

Tables of content, proposal cover letters, and tabs between proposal information do not count toward any page limitations in the proposal.

(4) Detailed Submission Requirements for the Technical Proposal. The following is a detailed description of the information to be submitted under each TAB.

(i) **TAB 1: FACTOR 1, EXPERIENCE:** Demonstrate the experience of the offeror and/or team, including sub-contractors, on projects same/similar to that described in the solicitation. The projects submitted must have been performed by the offeror and/or same team member(s) who will be providing similar services under the prospective contract.

The Government will evaluate the relevant work experience of the offeror and their proposed team, including subcontractors, on projects same/similar to that described in this solicitation. The Contractor shall complete a minimum of three (3), but no more than five (5), "Experience Information" forms, attached at the end of this section, in response to this factor. All blocks must be filled in and all data should be accurate, current, and complete. All projects submitted must have been underway or completed with the last five (5) years within US DOD's CENTCOM area of authority including: Afghanistan, Tajikistan, Iraq, Pakistan etc. At least one (1) of the projects provided must be valued at over \$20 million US, and all other projects must be at least \$5 million US. All of the submitted projects must be design-build projects underway or completed in the last five (5) years. For each project that included design, the offer may also submit up to 5 pages of information representative of the design efforts of the project.

(ii) **TAB 2: FACTOR 2, PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND SECURITY PLAN:** Provide a narrative that addresses the offeror's project management and security plan. The plan must address the following elements, as a minimum:

- Procedures used to manage the project, to include project management, quality control, and safety.
- How the contractor plans to meet major design and construction project milestones in the specifications that reflects completion of all work within the period of contract performance.
- Provide a narrative response that addresses timely delivery and receipt of equipment and materials at the job site which coincides with the major construction project milestones and provides for protection of equipment and materials to and from an isolated project site in a hostile environment.
- Management of concurrent work on multiple job sites if it is applicable to this project.
- Security plan including construction materials procurement/transferring to the site, transiting through base security, and site security including both constructed facilities and construction materials storage.

The offeror shall include an organizational chart depicting lines of authority and responsibility for all personnel/entities on the project, including subcontractors, from the lowest level to the corporate level. The organizational chart shall clearly indicate which entity has overall authority for the contract and identify by name and title the single Point of Contact to the Government for all project-related matters.

(iii) **TAB 3: FACTOR 3, RESOURCES (Key Personnel and Capacity):**

Sub-factor 3.1 - Key Personnel:

The Offeror must provide resume data for the following key personnel: Project Manager – Design, Project Manager - Construction, Safety Officer, Quality Control Manager, Senior Architect, Senior Civil Engineer, Senior Electrical Engineer, Senior Mechanical Engineer, Fire Protection Engineer, Construction Superintendent/Foreman, and Project Security Manager. All key personnel shall have a degree (engineers and project managers) in the field of work governed by the position they are assigned to and a minimum of five (5) years of professional experience in their field (all key personnel). For example, a Civil Engineer must have a degree in Civil Engineering and five (5) years of professional civil engineering experience.

Key Personnel	Requirement
Project Manager – Design	A degree & minimum 5 years professional experience.
Project Manager - Construction	A degree & minimum 5 years professional experience.
Quality Control Manager	A degree & minimum 5 years professional experience.
Senior Civil Engineer	A degree & minimum 5 years professional experience.
Senior Electrical Engineer	A degree & minimum 5 years professional experience.
Senior Mechanical Engineer	A degree & minimum 5 years professional experience.
Fire Protection Engineer	A degree & minimum 5 years professional experience.
Construction Superintendent/Foreman	Minimum 5 years professional experience.
Project Security Manager	Minimum 5 years professional experience.
Safety Officer	Minimum 5 years professional experience.

Resume information to be provided for personnel identified above shall be limited to no more than one (1) page per person and shall include the following information as a minimum:

- Name and title
- Project assignment
- Name of firm with which associated
- Years experience with this firm and with other firms
- Education degree(s), year, specialization, if applicable
- Active professional registration, year first registered, if applicable
- Other experience and qualifications relevant to same/similar work required under this Contract
- Whether the individual will be dedicated exclusively to the project described in this RFP, and if not, the percentage of the individual's time that will be exclusively dedicated to this project.

The Government will evaluate the adequacy of the Offeror's key personnel to successfully complete the project in accordance with the requirements outlined in Section 00110.

The contractor shall address how it will have adequate personnel for the project described in this RFP in light of any other ongoing projects and contractual commitments it may have within Afghanistan.

Sub-factor 3.2 - Capacity:

- The contractor shall submit a list of ALL current ongoing contracts, projects and commitments within Afghanistan as a prime or subcontractor. The list shall include the contract number, contract amount, original contract completion date, current official contract completion date and the current progress or status (including estimated % completion and remaining principal tasks).
- The contractor shall identify the key personnel, plant, and equipment assigned to each of those contracts or projects.
- The contractor shall identify key plant and equipment to be dedicated to the project described in this RFP.
- The contractor shall provide a narrative that explains how award of this contract will affect current contracts or projects and how the current contracts or projects will affect this contract if it is awarded to the contractor.
- The contractor shall provide a narrative that explains their capability, plan, and available resources to implement the project described in this RFP without adversely affecting current contracts or projects.
- The contractor shall provide a narrative that outlines its capacity and plan to produce, transport, and place a sufficient volume of concrete to ensure completion within the contract performance period, including daily concrete production (including plant to produce concrete), transport (including equipment used to transport), and placement capability, within the constraints of the project site.

(iv) **TAB 4: FACTOR 4, PAST EVALUATIONS/PERFORMANCE:** For the projects listed under Factor 1 – Experience, provide letters of recommendations, past performance evaluations, letters of appreciation, commendations, and awards or certificates of appreciation. Following is the format you should follow for your past performance submittal.

(The following projects are to be the same projects submitted under Factor 1 Experience)

1. Project Name & Location:
2. Customer Point of Contact (Note: the Government may contact this customer to verify the information provided on this form):

Name:
 Address:
 Phone number:
 Email Address:

3. Problems encountered and corrective actions taken:
4. List Change Orders and their circumstances:
5. Project scheduled completion date and actual completion date:

IF the above dates are different, explain reason for the change.

6. Initial Project Budget (US Dollars) and Final Actual Project Cost (US Dollars):

7. Safety record and accident reports:

8. References (submit the following): Customer Satisfaction letters, Letters of Appreciation, Performance Evaluations, Certification of Achievements, Letters of Recommendations.

The Contractor Performance Assessment Reporting System (to include ACASS, CCASS, and CPARS) will be utilized to validate past performance ratings on Department of Defense contracts and any other past performance information the Government deems necessary to evaluate a contractor's past performance. Firms without a history of past performance will be given a neutral rating.

The Government may contact any other sources for information regarding the offerors past performance and on any projects. The government may contact references provided as part of Factor 1 – Experience for information regarding the offeror's past performance on the project and for the purposes of assessing and verifying the scope of the work performed. Offerors should provide accurate, current, and complete contact information for references provided in the project descriptions.

7. PROPOSAL COVER SHEET

PROPOSAL COVER SHEET

1. Solicitation Number:
2. The name, address, DUNS number, and telephone/facsimile numbers of the Offeror (and electronic address if available).
3. 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. Statement to include any exceptions in technical or cost/price proposal or exceptions inherent in Offeror's standard terms and conditions.
4. 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.
5. 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.

8. SOURCE SELECTION USING THE BEST VALUE PROCESS.

The Government will select the offer that represents the best value to the Government by using the trade-off process described in FAR Part 15. This process permits tradeoffs between cost/price and technical ("non-cost") factors and allows the Government to accept other than the lowest priced offer or other than the highest rated offer. The award decision will be based on a comparative assessment of proposals against all source selection criteria in the solicitation. See Section 00120.

For the award decision, all evaluation factors other than cost or price, when combined, are more important than price. All non price factors will be treated equally and all non price sub-factors will be treated equally. The Government is concerned with striking the most advantageous balance between technical merit ("quality") and price to the Government (i.e., the price). The degree of importance of price could

become greater depending upon the equality of the technical proposals. If competing technical proposals are determined to be essentially equal, price could become the controlling factor.

Template Experience Information Form:

<i>EXPERIENCE INFORMATION</i> (To be completed by Contractor)	
1. Contractor: Name:	2. Contract /Task Order(TO) /Purchase Order (PO) Number:
Address:	3. Contract/TO/PO Dollar Value:
	4. Contract/TO /PO Status: Active Complete
Completion Date (w/ extensions):	
5. Project Title:	
Location:	
6. Project Description:	
7. Project Owner or Project Manager for the Client – provide:	
Name:	
Address:	
Telephone Number and E-mail:	

-END OF SECTION-

The following have been added by full text:
QUESTION/ANSWER - AMEND 0003

Q & A #2:

- 1- Could you please send us existing concrete and asphalt pavement thickness for Phase 1?
ANS: See sheet C-5 for minimum thickness deminsions . Also, Phase I minimal thickness is 210mm and the file is attached .
- 2- Please advise the thickness of the existing pavements to be demolished.
ANS: Shown in the attached drawing.
- 3- Could you please provide us elevations of the existing concrete and asphalt pavements for Phase 1?
ANS: No design has been received and the contractor is reminded that this is a full Design – Build Contract requiring compatibility and operability of the adjacent areas.
- 4- Could you please provide us elevations for Phase 2 construction site ?
ANS: It is the responsibility of the contractor to survey the site.
- 5- On the drawings Sheet C-3 , there are some hesco barriers shown to remove approximately 122 m length. Could you please inform us, how long hesco barriers will be remove definitive?
ANS: All barriers are to be removed (approx. 122 M in length).
- 6- On the drawings Sheet C-4 ,There is some existing fence line shown in the construction area. There is no detailed information regarding the demolition plan . Some of line has to be relocate and remove. Could you please provide us be relocated & removed fence line length and direction ?
ANS: Remove all fences shown on C-4. None are to be relocated.
- 7- Could you please give us detailed explanation for material and personel Access points to the base ?
ANS: It is the contractor's responsibility to determine base access which is accomplished at one of three current control points, administered uniformly and all of which required photo documentation (IE passports, CAC cards/ PKI), Recent security background checks, etc. Local Afghan workers are required to work under a full supervision at a rate of 1 US or NATO Country supervisor. All Afghan workers are required to receive a day badge and are to be off theKAF facilities by 17:30 local time. Badging requirements include full biometric scanning and the individuals are required to be interviewed at least once in the first 8 weeks and a second time in about 6 months. Failure of the individual to be present for the interview process can result in revoked access to the Base.
- 8- Can excavated material from the work site be used for fill?

ANS: It is the general contractors responsibility to complete the geotechnical investiagation and survey work as required and as they deem necessary to assure that the design engineers have sufficent and adaquate informaiton to complete the pavement design as required and specified for this project.

9- Where can the contractor locate their batch plant at the Kandahar Airfield ?

ANS: A location for a batch plant at Kandahar Air Field is not designated by the US Government , the US Army corp of Enineers or the US Army. It is the sole responsibility of the contractor to obtain property thru the COMKAF J-4 Shop (Base Engineer) and all associated requirements. The US Government will not be supplying Sewer, Water, Communications, Food or Electricity and does not guarentee base access. This process can be difficult and the US Army will not intervein on behalf of the contractor. The contractor shall note that this is a lengthy (up to 3 months) and very time consuming element if they are contimplating installaing thier own batch plant.

10- Please supply the information below in order to estimate the Fuel System Capacity and flow rate.

ANS: Flow rates shall be 10 liters per minute at the farthest distribution point. The minimal fuel storage capacity shall be 25,000 US gallons (100,000 Liters)

11- What will be the number of aircrafts to be filled at the same time.

ANS: The contractor shall assume that four aircraft can be refueled at one time.

12- Where are the certain (several) places of the ALE-2, ALE-1 and the existing tower which are referring (referred to) in the RFP. Ongoing phase-1, integration and needing upgrade operations have to be presented in a layout as scaling.

ANS: The current system is being designed and as not been approved for installation as of 22 Oct 2009. The contractor is encourage to read section 26 56 20.00 01 for additional requirements.

13- Following informations must be supplied to can be integrated the area lighting system of existing phase-1 and intended phase-2:

a. ALE-2 single line diagram

ALE-2 single line diagram- This has been developed as part of the 65% submittal for the Rotary Wing Ph 1 and might be available as an information only copy through the PM or Site Contracting Officer. I have a copy on my desk right now I am reviewing. W Wright-MED. ALE-1 (main ALE) single line diagram- this information is available as information only from the Rehabilitation of the Kandahar AF project of 7/2005. This set shows the one line and physical details for the main ALE. If necessary, a copy can be forwarded for information only via the PM to the Contractor. They were supplied as information only to the Ph I contractor. W Wright-MED.

b. ALE-1 single line diagram

Remote control panel single line diagram and mimic diagram

Existing whole remote control system with integrated single line diagram

ALE -1 should be the existing ALE built along with the main ATCT (Air Traffic Control Tower) and is referred to in the Contract as the existing ALE. ALE-2 was to be built with

the PH I Rotary Wing Contract (in the 65% submittal phase right now) and be the ALE to be used for the new Rotary Wing Runway Ph I and II and possibly for the CAS Ramp and ISR Ramp. W.Wright-MED. 10/23/09 ph 540-665-3730.This information will be presented as the first phase of the Project (design Approval Phase) is completed and will be distributed to the successful bidder on the phase two award.

14- Which brand equipments are used for lighting system of phase-1 (edge light, taxiway light, signage, CCR, primary cable etc....)

ANS: All electrical components must be compatible with the existing system. The current system used on the air field is based on a 60 hertz electrical current. The manufacture for the current airfield components is Siemens; the contractor is encouraged to read the technical requirements found in section 26 56 20. 00 10 at the following web site: http://www.wbdg.org/ccb/browse_org.php?o=70 for additional information air field lighting must also be frangible. Although not determined as of this date (Siemens models L-861, L-861E, and L-861T) are currently used lights here at KAF that comply with along with FAA and ICAD standards.

15- What are the lighting fixture brands using at phase-1 for Apron Floodlight system?

ANS: Not determined as of this time.

16- Which brand high mast will be used?

ANS: Not determined as of this review date

17- Schematic diagram of the physical features of existing system is needed.

ANS: A schematic is not available as of this time

18- It is indicated that phase-1 power system will be used for phase-2 secondary power system. Installed power of the existing system and certain place in the layout must be indicated as scaled. Existing single line diagram of the power system must be supplied within these informations. If existing installed power will be not enough for phase-2, will MTS/ generator/high voltage transformer/RMU be installed and get high voltage line from where?

ANS: A 4,160 volt transformer will be installed during the construction of the first phase that the second stage of work shall be able to use. The size (amperage) of the circuit requirements will be determined during the design phase. If the tie-in points for the voltage/current requirements are not sufficient, it will be the responsibility of the US government to upgrade the system.

19- There is no runway manufacturing information in RFP. Appendix file presented centerline lighting and taxiway light manufacturing in C-9 section for Runway. Will this manufacturing be supposed for work?

ANS: YES

20- Certain places and power information of the regarding mechanical system (existing and future fire and domestic water pumps, oil pumps etc) must be presented in a layout.

ANS: Again, the contractor's actions and part of the design build project delivery process is to accept all risk on the project, and deliver a project that meets the needs of the government based upon the know information. The first phase of the project contains an 8" O.D. ductile iron pipe.

21- Is Phase I part of the ISR or CIS contract? If not, then what Task Order?

ANS: The ISR and CAS ramp projects are not part of this project and are not associated in any way. Both the ISR and CAS ramps were awarded in 2009.

22- Who is the Contracting Agency for Phase I?

ANS: The US Army Corp of Engineers is the Owners Construction Agent (Contracting Mechanism) for this project. The Corp is responsible for Contract Compliance, quality assurance monitoring, in addition to Engineering and fiduciary responsibilities.

23- When will Phase I be complete?

ANS: The anticipated completion date for Phase I of this project is 10 March 2009.

24- For design purposes in regards to tie in information between Phases I and Phase II, can we have the Phase I design showing elevations and concrete thickness?

ANS: The proposed design elevations are not relative at this point, however the thickness of the concrete is based on a design flexural strength with a required thickness of 210mm as found in the technical specifications.

25- Can we assume that the Fuel Facility scope covers only the Civil Work and Berms and no vertical work? (ie. Fuel bladders and pumps provided by others and not in scope)

ANS: After reviewing the information available, the contractor shall construct earthen berms as shown but no piping, pumping, or bladders.

26- When will the existing temporary Helicopter Forward Refueling Point (FRP) that is on the footprint be relocated?

ANS: The FARP will be relocated before the completion of the first phase

(End of Summary of Changes)

