CITY OF SAN ANTONIO PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT



REQUEST FOR COMPETITIVE SEALED PROPOSALS ("RFCSP")

for

ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR TESTING AND BALANCING OF BUILDING SYSTEMS (RFCSP 20-077; RFx 6100013066)

Release Date: August 24, 2020
Proposals Due: September 25, 2020; 2:00 PM Central Time

RESTRICTIONS ON COMMUNICATIONS

In accordance with and as authorized by Section 2-61 of the City Code, the following restrictions on communications apply to this solicitation: Respondents are prohibited from contacting 1) City officials, as defined by §2-62 of the City Code of the City of San Antonio, regarding the RFCSP or proposal from the time the RFCSP has been released until the contract is posted for consideration as an agenda item during a meeting designated as an A session; and 2) City employees from the time the RFCSP has been released until the contract is approved at a City Council "A" session.

Restrictions extend to "thank you" letters, phone calls, emails and any contact that results in the direct or indirect discussion of the RFCSP and/or proposal submitted by Respondent.

Violation of this provision by Respondent and/or its agent may lead to disqualification of Respondent's proposal from consideration.

For additional information, see the section of this RFCSP entitled "Restrictions on Communication".

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003 - INSTRUCTIONS FOR RESPONDENTS

PART A

Submission of Proposals:

Proposals sent to the City by facsimile or email will not be accepted.

<u>Submission of Electronic Proposals:</u> Submit one (1) **COMPLETE** proposal electronically by the due date provided on the Cover Page. All times stated herein are Central Time. Any proposal or modification received after the time and date stated on the Cover Page shall be rejected. All forms in this solicitation which require a signature must have a signature affixed thereto, either by manually signing the document, prior to scanning it and uploading it with your submission or affixing it electronically.

<u>Proposal Format:</u> Each proposal shall be typewritten, single-spaced and submitted on 8 ½" x 11" page layout. Unnecessarily elaborate brochures, artwork, bindings, visual aids, or other materials beyond that sufficient to present a complete and effective submission are not required. Font size shall be no less than 12-point type. All pages shall be numbered. Margins shall be no less than 1" around the perimeter of each page. Websites or URLs shall not be submitted in lieu of the electronic submission through City's portal. **ELECTRONIC** proposals must include **ALL** the sections and attachments in the sequence listed in the RFCSP Section 003 – Instructions for Respondents - Part B, Submission Requirements, and <u>each section and attachment must be indexed as in the Table of Contents page</u>. For electronic submissions, each separate section should be attached as a separate file.

<u>Modified Proposals</u>: Proposals may be modified provided such modifications are received prior to the time and date set for submission of proposals, and submitted in the same manner as original proposals. Electronic proposals, a modified proposal will automatically replace a prior proposal submission. See below for information on submitting Alternate Proposals.

The City shall not be responsible for lost or misdirected proposals or modifications.

For electronic proposals, Respondent's electronic submission, with accompanying affirmations, constitutes a binding signature for all purposes. Respondents are cautioned that they are responsible for the security of their log on ID and password, since unauthorized use could result in Respondent's being held liable for the submission.

<u>Certified Vendor Registration Form</u>: If Respondent has not completed City's Certified Vendor Registration (CVR) Form, Respondent is required to do so prior to the due date for submission of proposals. The CVR form may be accessed at: http://www.sanantonio.gov/purchasing/. Respondents must identify the correct name of the entity that will be providing the goods and/or services under the contract. No nicknames, abbreviations (unless part of the legal title), shortened or short-hand names will be accepted in place of the full, true and correct legal name of the entity.

Correct Legal Name: Respondents who submit proposals to this RFCSP shall correctly state the true and correct name of the individual, proprietorship, corporation, and /or partnership (clearly identifying the responsible general partner and all other partners who would be associated with the contract, if any). No nicknames, abbreviations (unless part of the legal title), shortened or short-hand, or local "handles" will be accepted in lieu of the full, true and correct legal name of the entity. These names shall comport exactly with the corporate and franchise records of the Texas Secretary of State and Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts. Individuals and proprietorships, if operating under other than an individual name, shall match with exact Assumed Name filings. Corporate Respondents and limited liability company Respondents shall include the 11-digit Comptroller's Taxpayer Number on the General Information form found in this RFCSP as Attachment A, Part One.

If an entity is found to have incorrectly or incompletely stated its name or failed to fully reveal its identity on the General Information form, the Director of the Finance Department shall have the discretion, at any point in the contracting process, to suspend consideration of the proposal.

Alternate Proposals: Alternate proposals may be allowed at the sole discretion of City.

<u>Electronic Alternate Proposals</u>: All alternate proposals submitted electronically are recorded with original proposals when submitted electronically.

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Restrictions extend to "thank you" letters, phone calls, emails and any contact that results in the direct or indirect discussion of the RFCSP and/or proposal submitted by Respondent.

Violation of this provision by Respondent and/or its agent may lead to disqualification of Respondent's proposal from consideration.

Exceptions to the restrictions on communication with City employees include:

Respondents may ask verbal questions concerning this RFCSP at the Pre-Submittal Conference.

Respondents may submit written questions concerning this RFCSP to the Staff Contact Person listed below until 11:00 a.m., Central Time, on September 9, 2020. Questions received after the stated deadline will not be answered. All questions shall be sent by e-mail to:

Lori Blake, Procurement Specialist III
City of San Antonio, Finance Department – Purchasing Division
Lori.Blake@sanantonio.gov

A Respondent that has an ongoing business relationship with the City may communicate with City employees to the extent necessary to perform the Respondent's duties and obligations related to that business relationship.

Questions submitted and the City's responses will be posted with this solicitation.

Respondents and/or their agents are encouraged to contact the Small Business Office of the Economic Development Department for assistance or clarification with issues specifically related to the City's Small Business Economic Development Advocacy (SBEDA) Program policy and/or completion of the required SBEDA forms. The point of contact may be reached by telephone at (210) 207-3922 or by e-mail at SBEDAdocs@sanantonio.gov. This exception to the restriction on communication does not apply, and there is no contact permitted to the Small Business Office regarding this solicitation, after the solicitation closing date.

Respondents may provide responses to questions asked of them by the Staff Contact Person after responses are received and opened. The Staff Contact Person may request clarification to assist in evaluating Respondent's proposal. Such additional information must be provided within two (2) business days from City's request. During interviews, if any, verbal questions and explanations will be permitted. The City reserves the right to exclude any persons from interviews as it deems in its best interests.

Respondents may contact the Vendor Support staff at (210) 207-0118 or by email at wendors@sanantonio.gov for assistance with vendor registration.

Upon completion of the evaluation process, Respondents shall receive a notification letter indicating the recommended firm, anticipated City Council agenda date, and a review of the solicitation process.

Pre-Submittal Conference:

A Pre-Submittal Conference will be held **via Webex at 11:00 a.m. Central Time, on August 31, 2020**. Respondents are encouraged to prepare and submit their questions in writing three (3) calendar days in advance of the Pre-Submittal Conference in order to expedite the proceedings. City's responses to questions received by this due date may be distributed at the Pre-Submittal Conference and posted as an addendum with this solicitation. Attendance at the Pre-Submittal Conference is optional but highly encouraged.

Respondents may call the toll free number listed below and enter access code to participate the day of the conference.

Toll Free Dial-In Number: 1-415-655-0001

Access Code: 133 175 4006 Meeting Password: JmYaNw4kf32

Respondents also have the option to attend the conference via WebEx at www.webex.com and clicking on join. The meeting number is 133 175 4006 and password is JmYaNw4kf32

Any oral response given at the Pre-Submittal Conference that is not confirmed in writing and posted with this solicitation shall not be official or binding on the City. Bidders are encouraged to resubmit questions asked during the meeting in

writing to the City Staff person identified in Restriction on Communications section, after the conclusion of the Conference.

All attendees to the Pre-Submittal Conference will be asked to confirm attendance by emailing the Procurement Specialist (Point of Contact) at the time of the meeting. This information will be compiled into a "sign-in sheet" for the meeting and may be posted to the City's website or otherwise disseminated publicly.

To request an interpreter for the deaf or other assistance, call (210) 207-7245 Voice/TTY. Interpreters for the deaf must be requested at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.

Changes to RFCSP:

Changes to this RFCSP made prior to the due date for proposals shall be made directly to the original RFCSP. Changes are captured by creating a replacement version each time the RFCSP is changed. It is Respondent's responsibility to check for new versions until the proposal due date. City will assume that all proposals received are based on the final version of the RFCSP as it exists on the day proposals are due.

No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise change or affect the terms, conditions or specifications stated in the RFCSP.

Preparation of Proposals:

All information required by the RFCSP must be furnished or the proposal may be deemed non-responsive and rejected. Any ambiguity in the proposal as a result of omission, error, unintelligible or illegible wording shall be construed in the favor of City.

<u>Proposal Format</u>. Each proposal shall be typewritten, single-spaced and submitted on 8 ½" x 11" page layout. Unnecessarily elaborate brochures, artwork, bindings, visual aids, or other materials beyond that sufficient to present a complete and effective submission are not required. Font size shall be no less than 12-point type. All pages shall be numbered. Margins shall be no less than 1" around the perimeter of each page. Websites or URLs shall not be submitted in lieu of the electronic submission through City's portal. **ELECTRONIC** proposals must include **ALL** the sections and attachments in the sequence listed in the RFCSP Section 003, Part B, Submission Requirements, <u>and each section and attachment must be indexed as in the Table of Contents page</u>. For electronic submissions, each separate section should be attached as a separate file.

<u>Failure to meet the above conditions may result in disqualification of the proposal or may negatively affect scoring.</u>

<u>Line Item Proposals</u>: Any proposal that is considered for award by each unit or line item must include a price for each unit or line item for which Respondent wishes to be considered. All proposals are awarded on the basis of low line item, low total line items, or in any other combination that serves the best interest of City, unless City designates this solicitation as an "all or none" proposal in the Supplemental Terms & Conditions.

All or None Bid: Any proposal that is considered for award on an "all or none" basis must include a price for all units or line items. In an "All or None" bid, a unit price left blank shall result in the proposal being deemed nonresponsive and disqualified from consideration. An "All or None" bid is one in which City will award the entire contract to one respondent only.

<u>Delivery Dates</u>: Proposed delivery dates must be shown in the proposal where required and shall include weekends and holidays, unless specified otherwise in this RFCSP. Proposed delivery times must be specific. Phrases such as "as required", "as soon as possible" or "prompt" may result in disqualification of the proposal. Special delivery instructions, if any, may be found in the Specifications / Scope of Services section of this document, or in the Purchase Order.

<u>Tax Exemption</u>: The City of San Antonio is exempt from payment of federal taxes, and State of Texas limited sales excise and use taxes. Respondents must not include such taxes in proposal prices. An exemption certificate will be signed by City where applicable upon request by Respondent after contract award.

Description of Supplies:

Any brand names, catalog or manufacturer's reference used in describing an item is merely descriptive, and not restrictive, unless otherwise noted, and is used only to indicate quality and capability desired.

Proposals submitted for comparable items must clearly identify the proposed product, model, and type, as applicable, and shall include manufacturer specification sheet(s) for each proposed item with proposal response. Product specifications shall be the most current available and be sufficiently detailed and descriptive so as to permit City to

determine the item's suitability and compliance with proposal specifications. City shall be the sole judge of equality and suitability of comparable items.

Pro-rata adjustments to packaging and pricing may be allowed at the sole discretion of City.

<u>Samples</u>, <u>Demonstrations and Pre-award Testing</u>: If requested by City, Respondent shall provide product samples, demonstrations, and/or testing of items proposed to ensure compliance with specifications prior to award of the contract. Samples, demonstrations and/or testing must be provided within 7 calendar days of City's request. Failure to comply with City's request may result in rejection of a proposal. All samples (including return thereof), demonstrations, and/or testing shall be at Respondent's expense. Samples will be returned upon written request. Requests for return of samples must be made in writing at the time the samples are provided. Otherwise, samples will become property of City at no cost to City. Samples that are consumed or destroyed during demonstrations or testing will not be returned.

<u>Estimated Quantities for Annual Contracts</u>: Designation as an "annual" contract is found in the contract's title on the Cover Page of this document. The quantities stated are estimates only and are in no way binding upon City. Estimated quantities are used for the purpose of evaluation. City may increase or decrease quantities as needed. Where a contract is awarded on a unit price basis, payment shall be based on the actual quantities supplied.

Respondents shall thoroughly examine the drawings, specifications, schedule(s), instructions and all other contract documents.

Respondents shall make all investigations necessary to thoroughly inform themselves regarding plant and facilities for delivery of material and equipment, or conditions and sites/locations for providing goods and services as required by this RFCSP. No plea of ignorance by Respondent will be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of City or the compensation to Respondent.

Confidential or Proprietary Information: All proposals become the property of City upon receipt and will not be returned. Any information deemed to be confidential by Respondent should be clearly noted; however, City cannot guarantee that it will not be compelled to disclose all or part of any public record under the Texas Public Information Act, since information deemed to be confidential by Respondent may not be considered confidential under Texas law, or pursuant to a Court order.

Interlocal Participation: City may engage in cooperative purchasing with other governmental entities or governmental cooperatives ("Entity" or "Entities") to enhance City's purchasing power. At City's sole discretion and option, City may inform other Entities that they may acquire items listed in this RFCSP. If this contract will be subject to cooperative purchasing, such fact will be indicated in the Supplemental Terms and Conditions portion of this RFCSP. Such acquisition(s) shall be at the prices stated in the proposal, and shall be subject to Respondent's acceptance. Entities desiring to acquire items listed in this RFCSP shall be listed on a rider attached hereto, if known at the time of issuance of the RFCSP. City may issue subsequent riders after contract award setting forth additional Entities desiring to utilize this proposal.

Respondent must sign and submit the rider, if attached to this RFCSP, with its proposal, indicating whether Respondent wishes to allow other Entities to use its proposal. Respondent shall sign and return any subsequently issued riders within ten calendar days of receipt. Respondent's decision on whether to allow other Entities to use the proposal shall not be a factor in awarding this RFCSP.

<u>Costs of Proposing</u>: Respondent shall bear any and all costs that are associated with the preparation of the Proposal, attendance at the Pre-Submittal conference, if any, or during any phase of the selection process.

Rejection of Proposals: City may reject any and all proposals, in whole or in part, cancel the RFCSP and reissue the solicitation. City may reject a proposal if:

Respondent misstates or conceals any material fact in the proposal; or

The proposal does not strictly conform to law or the requirements of the solicitation;

The proposal is conditional; or

Any other reason that would lead City to believe that the proposal is non-responsive or Respondent is not responsible.

City, in its sole discretion, may also waive any minor informalities or irregularities in any proposal, such as failure to submit sufficient proposal copies, failure to submit literature or similar attachments, or business affiliation information.

<u>Variances and Exceptions to Proposal Terms</u>: In order to comply with State law, respondents must submit proposals on the same material terms and conditions. Proposals that contain material variances or exceptions to the terms and conditions, including additional terms and conditions, will be rejected.

<u>Changes to Proposal Form</u>: Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished, where forms are provided. Proposals that change the format or content of City's RFCSP will be rejected.

<u>Withdrawal of Proposals</u>: Proposals may be withdrawn prior to the due date for submission. Proposals submitted electronically may be withdrawn electronically.

<u>Proposal Opening:</u> Proposals will be opened publicly and the names of the respondents read aloud at 2:30 P.M. on the day the proposals are due. Proposal openings are held via teleconference:

Join by phone: 1-415-655-000 Meeting number (access code): 289 671 748 Meeting password: COSA

However, in accordance with state law, the contents will not be revealed until after the contract is awarded.

Evaluation and Award of Contract:

Per Section §252.043 of the Texas Local Government Code, the contract will be awarded to the responsible offeror whose proposal is determined to be the most advantageous to City, considering the relative importance of price and the other evaluation factors included in this RFCSP.

City reserves the right to make an award on the basis of low line item, low total line items, or in any other combination that serves the best interest of City, unless City designates this solicitation as an "all or none" proposal in the Supplemental Terms & Conditions.

A written award of acceptance (manifested by a City Ordinance) and Purchase Order furnished to Respondent results in a binding contract without further action by either party. Vendor must have the Purchase Order before making any delivery.

City reserves the right to utilize historical usage data as a basis for evaluation of proposals when future usages are unable to be determined.

City reserves the right to delete items prior to the awarding of the contract, and purchase said items by other means.

Inspection of Facilities/Equipment:

Depending on the nature of the RFCSP, Respondent's facilities and equipment may be a determining factor in making the proposal award. All respondents may be subject to inspection of their facilities and equipment.

Prospective respondents must prove beyond any doubt to the City Purchasing Administrator that they are qualified and capable of performing the contract's requirements.

Prompt Payment Discount:

Provided Respondent meets the requirements stated herein, City shall take Respondent's offered prompt payment discount into consideration. The evaluation will not be based on the discount percentage alone, but rather the net price as determined by applying the discount to the proposal price, either per line item or total proposal amount. However, City reserves the right to reject a discount if the percentage is too low to be of value to City, all things considered. City may also reject a discount if the percentage is so high as to create an overly large disparity between the price City would pay if it is able to take advantage of the discount and the price City would pay if it were unable to pay within the discount period. City may always reject the discount and pay within the 30 day period, at City's sole option.

City will not consider discounts that provide fewer than 10 days to pay in order to receive the discount.

For example, payment terms of 2% 5, Net 30 will NOT be considered in proposal evaluations or in the payment of invoices. However, payment terms of 2% 10, Net 30 will result in a two percent reduction in the proposal price during proposal evaluation, and City will take the 2% discount if the invoice is paid within the 10 day time period.

Prohibited Financial Interest:

The Charter of the City of San Antonio and the City of San Antonio Code of Ethics prohibit a City officer or employee, as those terms are defined in Section 2-52 of the Code of Ethics, from having a direct or indirect financial interest in any contract with the City. An officer or employee has a "prohibited financial interest" in a contract with the City or in the sale to the City of land, materials, supplies or service, if any of the following individual(s) or entities is a party to the contract or sale:

- a City officer or employee; his or her spouse, sibling, parent, child or other family member within the first degree of consanguinity or affinity;
- an entity in which the officer or employee, or his or her parent, child or spouse directly or indirectly owns (i) 10 percent or more of the voting stock or shares of the entity, or (ii) 10 percent or more of the fair market value of the entity; or
- an entity in which any individual or entity listed above is (i) a subcontractor on a City contract, (ii) a partner or (iii) a parent or subsidiary entity.

By submitting a proposal, Bidder warrants and certifies, and a contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation is made in reliance thereon, that it, its officers, employees and agents are neither officers nor employees of the City. Bidder further warrants and certifies that it has tendered to the City a Contracts Disclosure Statement in compliance with the City's Ethics Code.

<u>Unfair Advancement of Private Interests</u>: Pricing and discounts contained in this contract are for use by City departments conducting City business. City employees may not use their positions to obtain special treatment or prices that are not available to the general public.

State of Texas Conflict of Interest:

Questionnaire (Form CIQ). Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code requires that persons, or their agents, who seek to contract for the sale or purchase of property, goods, or services with the City, shall file a completed Form CIQ with the Office of the City Clerk if those persons meet the requirements under §176.006(a) of the statute.

By law this questionnaire must be filed with the Office of the City Clerk not later than the 7th business day after the date the vendor becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006(a-1), Texas Local Government Code.

Form CIQ is available from the Texas Ethics Commission by accessing the following web address:

https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/forms/conflict/

In addition, please complete the City's Addendum to Form CIQ (Form CIQ-A) and submit it with Form CIQ to the Office of the City Clerk. The Form CIQ-A can be found at:

http://www.sanantonio.gov/attv/ethics/pdf/OCC-CIQ-Addendum.pdf

When completed, the CIQ Form and the CIQ-A Form should be submitted together, by mail, to the Office of the City Clerk. Please mail to:

Office of the City Clerk, P.O. Box 839966, San Antonio, TX 78283-3966.

Do not include these forms with your proposal. The Purchasing Division will not deliver the forms to the City Clerk for you.

003 - INSTRUCTIONS FOR RESPONDENTS

PART B

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

Respondent's Proposal shall include the following items in the following sequence, noted with the appropriate heading as indicated below. If Respondent is proposing as a team or joint venture, provide the same information for each member of the team or joint venture.

Submit one (1) COMPLETE **ELECTRONIC COPY** of your proposal through the San Antonio e-Procurement System (SAePS). **ONLY ELECTRONIC SUBMISSIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Respondent shall limit information regarding the Small Business Economic Development Advocacy Program (and associated certifications for any joint venturers or sub-contractors) and the Veteran-Owned Small Business Preference Program Tracking Form, and any reference to the Respondent's proposed price or revenue to the respective section designated for this information. PLACING PROGRAM PARTICIPATION OR PRICE/REVENUE INFORMATION IN OTHER SECTIONS OF A RESPONSE TO THIS RFCSP MAY RESULT IN THE RESPONDENT'S PROPOSAL BEING DEEMED NON-RESPONSIVE AND THEREFORE DISQUALIFIED FROM CONSIDERATION.

When submitting electronically through City's portal, scan and upload these documents with your proposal. Each of the items listed below must be uploaded as a separate attachment, labeled with the heading indicated below.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY. The summary shall highlight key points and strengths of the proposal, including unique problems perceived by Respondent and proposed solutions to include measurable performance goals for the scope performed.

GENERAL INFORMATION FORM. Use the Form found in this RFCSP as Attachment A, Part One.

EXPERIENCE, BACKGROUND & QUALIFICATIONS. Use the Form found in this RFCSP as Attachment A, Part Two.

PROPOSED PLAN. Use the Form found in this RFCSP as Attachment A, Part Three.

*PRICE SCHEDULE. Use the Price Schedule that is found in this RFCSP as Attachment B.

<u>CONTRACTS DISCLOSURE FORM.</u> Complete and submit a Contracts Disclosure Form with the proposal as Attachment C. The Contracts Disclosure Form may be downloaded at: https://www.sanantonio.gov/Portals/0/Files/eforms/Atty/ContractsDisclosureForm.pdf

- 1. Download form and complete all fields. All fields must be completed electronically prior to submitting the form.
- 2. All Respondents must include the following information in the required Contracts Disclosure Form at the time the original proposal is submitted:
 - a. names of the agency board members and executive committee members,
 - b. list of positions they hold as an individual or entity seeking action on any matter listed:
 - (1) The identity of any individual who would be a party to the transaction;
 - (2) The identity of any entity that would be a party to the transaction and the name of:
 - a. Any individual or entity that would be a subcontractor to the transaction;
 - b. Any individual or entity that is known to be a partner or a parent entity of any individual or entity who would be a party to the transaction, or any subsidiary entity that is anticipated to be involved in the execution of the transaction; and
 - c. The board members, executive committee members, and officers of entities listed above; and
 - (3) The identity of any lobbyist, attorney or consultant employed for purposes relating to the transaction being sought by any individual or entity who would be a party to the transaction.
- 3. Click on the "Print" button and place the copy in your proposal response as indicated in the Proposal Checklist.

NOTE: It is recommended <u>not</u> to use Chrome browser to access this form. If you have difficulty accessing, please contact the Staff Contact Person identified on the Title page of this RFCSP.

<u>LITIGATION DISCLOSURE FORM.</u> Complete and submit the Litigation Disclosure Form, found in this RFCSP as Attachment D. If Respondent is proposing as a team or joint venture, then all persons or entities who will be parties to the contract (if awarded) shall complete and return this form.

*SMALL BUSINESS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVOCACY (SBEDA) PROGRAM FORM(S). Complete, sign, and submit any and all SBEDA form(s), found in this RFCSP as Attachment E.

*VETERAN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS (VOSB) PREFERENCE PROGRAM TRACKING FORM. Pursuant to Ordinance No. 2013-12-05-0864, all solicitations issued by the City are subject to tracking of Veteran Owned Small Business (VOSB) participation. For more information on the program, refer to the Veteran-Owned Small Business Program Tracking Form attached to this solicitation. Respondent must complete and return the attached Veteran-Owned Small Business Program Tracking Form with the proposal submitted, as RFCSP Attachment F.

PROOF OF INSURABILITY. Submit a letter from insurance provider stating provider's commitment to ensure the Respondent for the types of coverages and at the levels specified in this RFCSP if awarded a contract in response to this RFCSP. Respondent shall also submit a copy of their current insurance certificate.

<u>FINANCIAL INFORMATION.</u> Submit a recent copy of a Dun and Bradstreet financial report, or another credit report, on Respondent and its partners, affiliates, and subcontractors, if any.

<u>CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES HB Form 1295</u>. Respondent must complete, sign, and submit HB Form 1295 as RFCSP Attachment G. You may download a copy of the form at:

https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/filinginfo/1295

SIGNATURE PAGE. Respondent must complete, sign, and submit the Signature Page found in this RFCSP as Section 007. The Signature Page must be signed by a person, or persons, authorized to bind the entity, or entities, submitting the proposal. Proposals signed by a person other than an officer of a corporate respondent or partner of partnership respondent shall be accompanied by evidence of authority.

PROPOSAL CHECKLIST. Complete and submit the Proposal Checklist found in this RFCSP as Attachment K.

ADDENDA. Sign and submit addenda, if any.

Respondent is expected to examine this RFCSP carefully, understand the terms and conditions for providing the services listed, and respond completely. FAILURE TO COMPLETE AND PROVIDE ANY OF THESE PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS MAY RESULT IN THE RESPONDENT'S PROPOSAL BEING DEEMED NON-RESPONSIVE AND THEREFORE DISQUALIFIED FROM CONSIDERATION.

EVALUATION CRITERIA:

The City will conduct a comprehensive, fair and impartial evaluation of all submissions received in response to this RFCSP. City may appoint a selection committee to perform the evaluation. Each submission will be analyzed to determine overall responsiveness and qualifications under this RFCSP. Criteria to be evaluated will include the items listed below. The selection committee may select respondents who are judged to be reasonably qualified for interviews, depending on whether further information is needed. Interviews are not an opportunity to change a submission. If the City elects to conduct interviews, respondents may be interviewed and re-scored based upon the same criteria. City may also request information from respondents at any time prior to final approval of a selected respondent, or seek best and final offers from respondents deemed reasonably qualified for award. Final approval of a selected respondent is subject to the action of the San Antonio City Council.

Evaluation Criteria Points:

- A. Experience, Background, Qualifications (30 points)
- B. Proposed Plan (25 points)
- C. Price (25 points)
- D. Small Business Economic Development Advocacy Program (SBEDA): 20 points

SBE Prime Contract Program – 10 pts.

Certified SBE firms (see *Small Business Enterprise* definition) headquartered or having a Significant Business Presence within the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area responding to this solicitation as Prime CONTRACTORs proposing at least 51% SBE participation (Prime and/or Subcontractor) will receive ten **10** evaluation criteria points, **and**

M/WBE Prime Contract Program – 10 pts.

Certified M/WBE firms (see *Minority/Women Business Enterprise* definition) headquartered or having a Significant Business Presence within the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area responding to this solicitation as Prime CONTRACTORs proposing at least 51% M/WBE participation (Prime and/or Subcontractor) will receive ten **10** evaluation criteria points.

No evaluation criteria points will be awarded to non-SBE or non-M/WBE Prime CONTRACTORs through subcontracting to certified SBE or M/WBE firms.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Following is a list of **projected dates/times** with respect to this RFCSP:

RFCSP Release Date:	August 24, 2020		
Pre-Submittal Conference:	August 31, 2020 @ 11:00 a.m., Central Time		
Final Questions Accepted (deadline):	September 9, 2020 @ 11:00 a.m., Central Time		
Proposal Due:	September 25, 2020 @ 2:00 p.m., Central Time		

004 - SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICES

4.1 Background: The City of San Antonio (City), Public Works (PW) Department, is seeking proposals from qualified firms to provide Testing, Adjusting and Balancing (hereafter referred to as "TAB") of HVAC systems services on an on-call or as needed basis. Typical work to be performed under this contract will consist of HVAC TAB on new or existing municipal facilities. The on-call services required for HVAC TAB may range in scale from strategic planning of systems, evaluation of design data, examining design data description, evaluation of systems for environmental conditions, evaluation for systems output, examination of contract documents for project requirements, testing, balancing, inspection of new or existing equipment, reporting and system recommendations, documentation and step by step procedural write-up. Firms responding to this RFCSP shall self-perform the majority of the work.

An on-call service agreement contract, pursuant to this solicitation, may be awarded to one firm in response to this RFCSP. The selected firm shall be retained in a standby mode. The enabling Ordinance shall identify the not-to-exceed total amount of money that may be expended under the awarded contract, in connection with this RFCSP. City neither guarantees all sums authorized will be spent under the awarded on-call agreement nor any minimum amount of work will be authorized.

This contract will not include professional services required by a licensed architect or engineer.

- **4.2 Scope of Services:** The selected Respondent shall provide HVAC TAB services as needed for municipal facilities. The selected Respondent shall demonstrate their ability and past experience relative to, but not limited to, the following:
 - 4.2.1 Quality Assurance and Compliance;
 - 4.2.2 TAB and LEED Certification;
 - 4.2.3 Certify TAB data reports and plans;
 - 4.2.4 Submittal of strategies and procedural plans;
 - 4.2.5 Contract documentation examination reporting;
 - 4.2.6 Analysis of existing and new systems;
 - 4.2.7 Instrument calibration reporting:
 - 4.2.8 Meeting coordination and cooperation with multiple user groups regarding the approval of TAB strategies, procedures and development of details;
 - 4.2.9 Site coordination, based on project conditions;
 - 4.2.10 Benchmarking of best existing practices;
 - 4.2.11 Examination of Installed systems and approved submittal data;
 - 4.2.12 Examination of design data, descriptions, statements of design assumptions for environmental conditions and systems' output and statements of philosophies and assumption about HVAC system and equipment controls;
 - 4.2.13 Comprehensive examination of equipment performance data;
 - 4.2.14 Preparation of TAB plans, to include strategies, step-by-step procedures and schematic diagrams of systems for "as-builts";
 - 4.2.15 Observation and recording of systems, to include deficiencies discovered before and during performance of TAB procedures;
 - 4.2.16 Complete system readiness checks and final reporting;
 - 4.2.17 Performance testing and balancing procedures on systems according to procedures contained in ASHRAE 111, NEBB's "Procedural Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and balancing Environmental Systems" and SMACNA's "HVAC Systems-Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing";
 - 4.2.18 Preparation of schematic diagrams of systems "as-built";

- 4.2.19 Initial and final inspections of systems;
- 4.2.20 Yield measurements, tolerances and system failure reporting;
- 4.2.21 Inspection coordination;
- 4.2.22 Corrective action, system adjustment and system maintenance, to include mark-up of equipment and balancing device settings (including damper-control positions, valve position indicators, fan-speed-control levers, and similar controls and devices) with suitable permanent identification material to show final settings.
- 4.2.23 System maintenance;
- 4.2.24 Sustainable building practices, energy conservation and Feasibility of LEED or other environmental policies;
- 4.2.25 Code conformance and required overlays compliance; and
- 4.2.26 Specialty component services, to include the development of detailed space needs analysis, comment regarding site analysis and related comprehensive services, based on industry best practices.

4.3 Building Security & Access:

- 4.3.1 Access: The Contractor shall make prior arrangements with City staff to gain access to facility in preparation of services and shall comply with all security measures required by the City.
- 4.3.2 Identification: Contractor's and subcontractor's personnel shall present a professional appearance and ensure personnel wear clearly visible identification badges and/or Contractor uniforms/apparel with company logo.
- 4.3.3 City facility restrooms shall not be used for washing of tools and/or equipment.
- 4.3.4 Criminal Background Checks:
 - a) Contractor is responsible for ensuring that each person performing services under this contract has successfully undergone a statewide background check for criminal conviction(s), evaluated in accordance with EEOC guidelines.
 - b) Contractor shall remove an employee from service under this contract should Contractor become aware that the employee has been convicted of a crime as described in 4.3.4 e) below.
 - c) Contractor is responsible for any costs incurred in conducting criminal background checks, which shall be performed prior to the individual performing services hereunder.
 - d) In order to conduct periodic contract compliance reviews, and to the extent permitted by law, City may request or review background check results at any time. Contractor shall provide copies of the requested information, or access thereto in San Antonio, Texas, and shall obtain authorization for the disclosure from the employee at time of hire, to the extent required. Contractor shall retain all criminal background checks for the retention period stated in section 006-General Terms and Conditions, and make them available in accordance therewith.
 - e) Contractor will be providing services under this contract for facilities with access to Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS). Persons with any of the criminal histories shown below are not allowed unescorted access to CJIS Facilities. Contractor's employees providing services to CJIS facilities must pass this criminal background check to provide services in these facilities.
 - i. Felony conviction permanent disqualifier
 - ii. Felony deferred adjudication permanent disqualifier
 - iii. Class A misdemeanor conviction permanent disqualifier
 - iv. Class A misdemeanor deferred adjudication permanent disqualifier
 - v. Class B misdemeanor conviction disqualifier for 10 years
 - vi. Class B misdemeanor deferred adjudication disqualifier for 10 years
 - vii. Open arrest for any criminal offense (felony or misdemeanor) disqualifier until disposition
 - viii. Family violence conviction permanent disqualifier
 - f) Security Addendum for Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS). Contractor will be required to provide services to City departments that perform criminal justice services. Criminal Justice Agencies, such as the

San Antonio Police Department, are required to comply with the security requirements managed by the Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI) and state agencies, such as the Texas Department of Public Safety. The federal Criminal Justice Information Services Security Policy (Policy) applies to every individual, contractor, private entity, noncriminal justice agency representative, or member of a criminal justice entity with access to, or who operate in support of, criminal justice services and information. Contractor shall comply with the Policy and shall execute the CJIS Security Addendum attached to this agreement. Contractor's employees or agents who are subject to the Policy will be required to sign a Contractor Employee Certification and be finger printed. All costs associated with compliance with the CJIS Policy shall be borne by Contractor. Contractor shall comply with any changes made to the security requirements by law.

005 - SUPPLEMENTAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

Original Contract Term:

This contract shall begin upon the effective date of the ordinance awarding the contract and terminate on November 30, 2021.

Renewals:

At City's option, this Contract may be renewed under the same terms and conditions for three (3) additional, one (1) year period(s). Renewals shall be in writing and signed by Director, without further action by the San Antonio City Council, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore.

Temporary Short-Term Extensions:

City shall have the right to extend this contract under the same terms and conditions beyond the original term or any renewal thereof, on a month to month basis, not to exceed three months. Said month to month extensions shall be in writing, signed by Director, and shall not require City Council approval, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore.

Temporary Contract Pending Award of Contract by City Council:

Occasionally, the City has a need for goods or services prior to the date set for the San Antonio City Council to consider a contract for award. If such a situation arises with regard to this solicitation, and if City intends to recommend Vendor's bid to the City Council for award of a contract, City may require Vendor to provide goods or services prior to the date set for City Council to consider the bid for award of a contract. City shall provide Vendor advance written notice if such occasion arises.

In such event, City's written notice shall constitute acceptance of Vendor's bid and shall result in a temporary contract to provide goods and/or services until City Council considers and awards the contract contemplated in this solicitation. The total expenditure under the temporary contract shall not exceed \$50,000. The temporary contract shall begin on the date set forth in City's written notice and shall terminate when the total expenditure reaches \$50,000, or upon subsequent written notice from City, whichever shall occur sooner. Should City Council authorize award of a contract to Vendor pursuant to this solicitation, said award shall automatically terminate the temporary contract upon the effective date of the newly awarded contract.

During the term of the temporary contract, all goods or services shall be provided in accordance with the terms and conditions contained in this solicitation, with the exception of the Original Contract Term, which is modified as indicated above for the temporary contract.

Acceptance of Vendor's bid for the purposes of award of a temporary contract does not constitute award of the full contract with the Original Contract Term. Such a contract may only be awarded by the San Antonio City Council by passage of an ordinance. Neither does award of a temporary contract obligate City to recommend Vendor's bid for award to the City Council, or quarantee that the City Council will award the contract to Vendor.

Change Orders:

Notwithstanding anything stated to the contrary in Section 006 – General Terms & Conditions, in order to comply with Texas law governing purchases made by municipalities, the following rules shall govern all change orders made under this contract.

Any change orders that become necessary during the term of this contract as a result of changes in plans, specifications, and quantity of work to be performed, materials, equipment or supplies to be furnished must be in writing and conform to the requirements of City Ordinance 2011-12-08-1014, as hereafter amended.

Any other change will require approval of the City Council, City of San Antonio.

Changes that do not involve an increase in contract price may be made by the Director.

No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise change, or affect the terms, conditions or specifications stated herein.

Insurance:

A) Prior to the commencement of any work under this Agreement, Contractor shall furnish copies of all required endorsements and completed Certificate(s) of Insurance to the Finance Department, which shall be clearly labeled "<u>Annual Contract for Testing and Balancing of Building Systems</u>" in the Description of Operations block of the Certificate. The

Certificate(s) shall be completed by an agent and signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. The City will not accept a Memorandum of Insurance or Binder as proof of insurance. The certificate(s) must be signed by the Authorized Representative of the carrier and list the agent's signature and phone number. The certificate shall be mailed, with copies of all applicable endorsements, directly from the insurer's authorized representative to the City. The City shall have no duty to pay or perform under this Agreement until such certificate and endorsements have been received and approved by the Public Works Department. No officer or employee, other than the City's Risk Manager, shall have authority to waive this requirement.

- B) The City reserves the right to review the insurance requirements of this Article during the effective period of this Agreement and any extension or renewal hereof and to modify insurance coverages and their limits when deemed necessary and prudent by City's Risk Manager based upon changes in statutory law, court decisions, or circumstances surrounding this Agreement. In no instance will City allow modification whereby City may incur increased risk.
- C) A Contractor's financial integrity is of interest to the City; therefore, subject to Contractor's right to maintain reasonable deductibles in such amounts as are approved by the City, Contractor shall obtain and maintain in full force and effect for the duration of this Agreement, and any extension hereof, at Contractor's sole expense, insurance coverage written on an occurrence basis, unless otherwise indicated, by companies authorized to do business in the State of Texas and with an A.M Best's rating of no less than A- (VII), in the following types and for an amount not less than the amount listed below:

TYPE	<u>AMOUNTS</u>
1. Workers' Compensation	Statutory
2. Employers' Liability	\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000
3. Commercial General Liability Insurance to include coverage for the following: a. Premises/Operations b. Products/Completed Operations c. Personal/Advertising Injury d. Contractual Liability e. Independent Contractors f. Damage to property rented to you	For <u>B</u> odily <u>I</u> njury and <u>P</u> roperty <u>D</u> amage of \$1,000,000 per occurrence; \$2,000,000 General Aggregate, or its equivalent in Umbrella or Excess Liability Coverage must be on a per project aggregate.
4. Business Automobile Liability a. Owned/leased vehicles b. Non-owned vehicles c. Hired Vehicles	Combined Single Limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage of \$1,000,000 per occurrence
5. Umbrella or Excess Liability Coverage	\$2,000,000 per occurrence combined Bodily Injury (including death) and Property Damage.

- D) Contractor agrees to require, by written contract, that all subcontractors providing goods or services hereunder obtain the same categories of insurance coverage required of Contractor herein, and provide a certificate of insurance and endorsement that names the Contractor and the CITY as additional insureds. Policy limits of the coverages carried by subcontractors will be determined as a business decision of Contractor. Contractor shall provide the CITY with said certificate and endorsement prior to the commencement of any work by the subcontractor. This provision may be modified by City's Risk Manager, without subsequent City Council approval, when deemed necessary and prudent, based upon changes in statutory law, court decisions, or circumstances surrounding this agreement. Such modification may be enacted by letter signed by City's Risk Manager, which shall become a part of the contract for all purposes.
- E) As they apply to the limits required by the City, the City shall be entitled, upon request and without expense, to receive copies of the policies, declaration page, and all required endorsements. Contractor shall be required to comply with any such requests and shall submit requested documents to City at the address provided below within 10 days. Contractor shall pay any costs incurred resulting from provision of said documents.

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F) Contractor agrees that with respect to the above required insurance, all insurance policies are to contain or be endorsed to contain the following provisions:

- Name the City, its officers, officials, employees, volunteers, and elected representatives as <u>additional</u> <u>insureds</u> by endorsement, as respects operations and activities of, or on behalf of, the named insured performed under contract with the City, with the exception of the workers' compensation and professional liability policies;
- Provide for an endorsement that the "other insurance" clause shall not apply to the City of San Antonio where
 the City is an additional insured shown on the policy;
- Workers' compensation, employers' liability, general liability and automobile liability policies will provide a
 waiver of subrogation in favor of the City.
- Provide advance written notice directly to City of any suspension or non-renewal in coverage, and not less than ten (10) calendar days advance notice for nonpayment of premium.
- G) Within five (5) calendar days of a suspension, cancellation or non-renewal of coverage, Contractor shall provide a replacement Certificate of Insurance and applicable endorsements to City. City shall have the option to suspend Contractor's performance should there be a lapse in coverage at any time during this contract. Failure to provide and to maintain the required insurance shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement.
- H) In addition to any other remedies the City may have upon Contractor's failure to provide and maintain any insurance or policy endorsements to the extent and within the time herein required, the City shall have the right to order Contractor to stop work hereunder, and/or withhold any payment(s) which become due to Contractor hereunder until Contractor demonstrates compliance with the requirements hereof.
- I) Nothing herein contained shall be construed as limiting in any way the extent to which Contractor may be held responsible for payments of damages to persons or property resulting from Contractor's or its subcontractors' performance of the work covered under this Agreement.
- J) It is agreed that Contractor's insurance shall be deemed primary and non-contributory with respect to any insurance or self-insurance carried by the City of San Antonio for liability arising out of operations under this Agreement.
- K) It is understood and agreed that the insurance required is in addition to and separate from any other obligation contained in this Agreement and that no claim or action by or on behalf of the City shall be limited to insurance coverage provided.
- L) Contractor and any Subcontractors are responsible for all damage to their own equipment and/or property.

Incorporation of Attachments:

Each of the attachments listed below is an essential part of this contract, which governs the rights and duties of the parties, incorporated herein by reference, and shall be interpreted in the order of priority as appears below, with this document taking priority over all attachments:

Attachment A - Part One - General Information

Attachment A – Part Two – Experience, Background, Qualifications

Attachment A - Part Three - Proposed Plan

Attachment B - Price Schedule

Attachment C - Contracts Disclosure Form

Attachment D – Litigation Disclosure Form

Attachment E - SBEDA Forms

Attachment F - Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB) Preference Program Tracking Form

Attachment G – Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)

Attachment H - Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Addendum

Attachment I - Pre-Submittal Agenda

Attachment J - SBEDA Pre-Submittal Presentation

Attachment K - Proposal Checklist

006 - GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

<u>Electronic Proposal Equals Original</u>: If Vendor is submitting an electronic proposal, City and Vendor each agree that this transaction may be conducted by electronic means, as authorized by Chapter 322, Texas Business & Commerce Code, known as the Electronic Transactions Act.

Delivery of Goods/Services:

<u>Destination Contract:</u> Vendor shall deliver all goods and materials F.O.B., City of San Antonio's designated facility, inside delivery, freight prepaid, to the address provided in this RFCSP or, if different, in the Purchase Order. Vendor shall bear the risk of loss until delivery. Freight charges will be paid only when expedited delivery is requested and approved in writing by the City. Vendor shall be responsible for furnishing necessary personnel or equipment and/or making necessary arrangements to off load at City of San Antonio facility, unless otherwise noted herein.

<u>Failure to Deliver</u>: When delivery is not met as provided for in the contract, the City may make the purchase on the open market, with any cost in excess of the contract price paid by Vendor, in addition to any other direct, indirect, consequential or incidental damages incurred by the City as a result thereof. In addition, Vendor may be removed from the City's list of eligible bidders.

<u>Purchase Order:</u> Each time a City department wishes to place an order against this contract, it will issue Vendor a purchase order. Vendor must have the purchase order before making any delivery.

Acceptance by City: City shall have a reasonable time (but not less than 30 days) after receipt to inspect the goods and services tendered by Vendor. City at its option may reject all or any portion of such goods or services which do not, in City's sole discretion, comply in every respect with all terms and conditions of the contract. City may elect to reject the entire goods and services tendered even if only a portion thereof is nonconforming. If the City elects to accept nonconforming goods and services, the City, in addition to its other remedies, shall be entitled to deduct a reasonable amount from the price thereof to compensate the City for the nonconformity. Any acceptance by the City, even if non-conditional, shall not be deemed a waiver or settlement of any defect in such goods and services.

<u>Testing</u>: After award of contract, City may, at its sole option, test the product delivered to ensure it meets specifications. Initial testing shall be at City's expense. However, if the product does not to meet specifications, Vendor shall reimburse City for the costs of testing. City may withhold the cost of testing from any amounts owed to Vendor under this or any other contract, or invoice Vendor for same. If invoiced, Vendor shall pay City within 30 calendar days' of the invoice.

<u>Warranty</u>: A minimum of 90-days product guarantee or the manufacturer's standard commercial warranty, whichever is greater, shall apply to all products and/or services purchased under this RFCSP, unless otherwise specified in the Specifications/Scope of Services section of this RFCSP. This warranty shall provide for replacement of defective merchandise, parts, and labor, and shall include pick-up of the defective merchandise from City and delivery of the replacement(s) to the same location. The warranty shall be effective from the date of acceptance of the merchandise, or completion of the service, as applicable.

REJECTION OF DISCLAIMERS OF WARRANTIES & LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY. ANY TERM OR CONDITION IN ANY DOCUMENT FURNISHED BY VENDOR, DISCLAIMING THE IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, OR ATTEMPTING TO LIMIT VENDOR'S LIABILITY SHALL BE OF NO FORCE OR EFFECT, AND SHALL BE STRICKEN FROM THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AS IF NEVER CONTAINED THEREIN.

Invoicing and Payment:

Address for Invoices. All original invoices must be sent to: City of San Antonio, Attn: Accounts Payable, P.O. Box 839976, San Antonio, Texas 78283-3976.

Information Required On Invoice:

All invoices must be in a form and content approved by the City. City may require modification of invoices if necessary in order to satisfy City that all billing is proper and pursuant to the terms of the contract. Invoices are required to show each City Purchase Order Number. Invoices must be legible. Items billed on invoices must be specific as to applicable stock, manufacturer, catalog or part number (if any). All invoices must show unit prices for each item being billed, the quantity of items being billed and the total for each item, as well as the total for all items on the invoice. If prices are based on list prices basis, then the list prices, the percentage discount or percentage surcharge, net unit prices, extensions and net total prices must be shown. Prompt payment discounts offered shall be shown separately on the invoice.

Payment by City:

In accordance with the Texas Prompt Payment Act, City shall have not less than 30 days to pay for goods or services. Time for payment, including payment under discount terms, will be computed from the later of: (1) the date the City receives conforming goods under the contract; (2) the date performance of the service under the contract is completed; or (3) the date the City receives a correct and valid invoice for the goods or services. Payment is deemed to be made on the date of mailing of the check. Payment is made in US dollars only.

This provision shall not apply where there is a bona fide dispute between the City and Vendor about the goods delivered or the service performed that causes the payment to be late, or where the invoice is not mailed to the address provided herein.

The payment amount due on invoices may not be manually altered by City personnel. Once disputed items are reconciled, Vendor must submit a corrected invoice or a credit memorandum for the disputed amount. City will not make partial payments on an invoice where there is a dispute.

NECESSITY OF TIMELY INVOICE / WAIVER OF PAYMENT. NOTWITHSTANDING THE FORGOING, THE CITY CANNOT PAY FOR ANY GOODS OR SERVICES WITHOUT AN INVOICE. VENDOR MUST INVOICE CITY NO LATER THAN 90 CALENDAR DAYS FROM THE DATE GOODS ARE DELIVERED OR SERVICES RENDERED. FAILURE TO SUBMIT AN INVOICE WITHIN SAID 90 DAY SHALL NEGATE ANY LIABILITY ON THE PART OF CITY AND CONSTITUTE A WAIVER BY VENDOR OF ANY AND ALL RIGHT OR CLAIMS TO COLLECT MONEYS THAT VENDOR MAY RIGHTFULLY BE OTHERWISE ENTITLED TO FOR GOODS OR SERVICES PERFORMED.

The total price for all goods and/or services is shown on the Price Schedule. No additional fees or expenses of Vendor shall be charged by Vendor nor be payable by City. The parties hereby agree that all compensable expenses of Vendor are shown on the Price Schedule. If there is a discrepancy on the Price Schedule between the unit price for an item, and the extended price, the unit price shall govern.

<u>Change Orders</u>: In order to comply with Texas law governing purchases made by municipalities, the following rules shall govern all change orders made under this contract.

Any change orders that become necessary during the term of this contract as a result of changes in plans, specifications, quantity of work to be performed, materials, equipment or supplies to be furnished may be approved by the Director, provided that such change orders:

- are made in writing, signed by the Director;
- do not involve an increase or decrease in contract price of more than \$25,000; and
- sufficient funds have already been allocated by City or are available to the Director to cover any increase in contract price.

Any other change will require approval of the City Council, City of San Antonio.

Changes that do not involve an increase in contract price may, however, be made by the Director.

No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise change, or affect the terms, conditions or specifications stated herein.

Termination:

<u>Termination-Breach</u>: Should Vendor fail to fulfill in a timely and proper manner, as determined solely by the Director, its material obligations under this contract, or violate any of the material terms of this contract, the City shall have the right to immediately terminate the contract in whole or in part. Notice of termination shall be provided in writing to Vendor, effective upon the date set forth in the notice. City may, in City's sole discretion, provide an opportunity for Vendor to cure the default. If City elects to offer an opportunity to cure, City shall provide notice to Vendor specifying the matters in default and the cure period. If Vendor fails to cure the default within the cure period, City shall have the right, without further notice, to terminate the contract in whole or in part. Such termination shall not relieve Vendor of any liability to the City for damages sustained by virtue of any breach by Vendor.

<u>Termination-Notice</u>: City may terminate this contract, in whole or in part, without cause. City shall be required to give Vendor notice ten days prior to the date of termination of the contract without cause.

<u>Termination-Funding:</u> City retains the right to terminate this contract at the expiration of each of City's budget periods. This contract is conditioned on a best efforts attempt by City to obtain and appropriate funds for payment of any debt due by City herein.

Termination by City may be effected by Director, without further action by the San Antonio City Council.

<u>Independent Contractor</u>: Vendor covenants and agrees that it is an independent contractor and not an officer, agent, servant or employee of City. City shall not be liable for any claims which may be asserted by any third party occurring in connection

with the services to be performed by Vendor under this contract and that Vendor has no authority to bind City. The doctrine of respondeat superior shall not apply as between City and Vendor.

INDEMNIFICATION:

VENDOR covenants and agrees to FULLY INDEMNIFY, DEFEND and HOLD HARMLESS, CITY and the elected officials, employees, officers, directors, volunteers and representatives of CITY, individually and collectively, from and against any and all costs, claims, liens, damages, losses, expenses, fees, fines, penalties, proceedings, actions, demands, causes of action, liability and suits of any kind and nature, including but not limited to, personal or bodily injury, death and property damage, made upon the CITY directly or indirectly arising out of, resulting from or related to VENDOR'S activities under this Agreement, including any acts or omissions of VENDOR, any agent, officer, director, representative, employee, consultant or subcontractor of VENDOR, and their respective officers, agents employees, directors and representatives while in the exercise of the rights or performance of the duties under this Agreement. The indemnity provided for in this paragraph shall not apply to any liability resulting from the negligence of CITY, its officers or employees, in instances where such negligence causes personal injury, death, or property damage. IN THE EVENT VENDOR AND CITY ARE FOUND JOINTLY LIABLE BY A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION, LIABILITY SHALL BE APPORTIONED COMPARATIVELY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS, WITHOUT, HOWEVER, WAIVING ANY GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY AVAILABLE TO THE CITY UNDER TEXAS LAW AND WITHOUT WAIVING ANY DEFENSES OF THE PARTIES UNDER TEXAS LAW. In addition, Vendor agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold the City harmless from any claim involving patent infringement, trademarks, trade secrets, and copyrights on goods supplied.

The provisions of this INDEMNITY are solely for the benefit of the parties hereto and not intended to create or grant any rights, contractual or otherwise, to any other person or entity. VENDOR shall advise CITY in writing within 24 hours of any claim or demand against CITY or VENDOR known to VENDOR related to or arising out of VENDOR's activities under this AGREEMENT and shall see to the investigation and defense of such claim or demand at VENDOR's cost. CITY shall have the right, at its option and at its own expense, to participate in such defense without relieving VENDOR of any of its obligations under this paragraph.

<u>Assignment</u>: Except as otherwise stated herein, Vendor may not sell, assign, pledge, transfer or convey any interest in this contract, nor delegate the performance of any duties hereunder, by transfer, by subcontracting or any other means, without the consent of Director. As a condition of such consent, if such consent is granted, Vendor shall remain liable for completion of the services and provision of goods outlined in this contract in the event of default by the successor vendor, assignee, transferee or subcontractor. Any attempt to transfer, pledge or otherwise assign this Contract without said written approval, shall be void ab initio and shall confer no rights upon any third person.

Ownership of Documents: Pursuant to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 201, any and all Records produced by Vendor pursuant to the provisions of this contract are the exclusive property of City; and no such Record shall be the subject of any copyright or proprietary claim by Vendor. The term "Record" as used herein shall mean any document, paper, letter, book, map, photograph, sound or video recording, microfilm, magnetic tape, electronic medium, or other information recording medium, regardless of physical form or characteristic.

Vendor understands and acknowledges that as the exclusive owner of any and all such Records, City has the right to use all such Records as City desires, without restriction.

Records Retention:

Vendor and its subcontractors, if any, shall properly, accurately and completely maintain all documents, papers, and records, and other evidence pertaining to the services rendered hereunder ("Documents"), and shall make such Documents available to the City at their respective offices, at all reasonable times and as often as City may deem necessary during the contract period, including any extension or renewal hereof, and the record retention period established herein, for purposes of audit, inspection, examination, and making excerpts or copies of same by City and any of its authorized representatives.

Vendor shall retain any and all Documents produced as a result of services provided hereunder for a period of four years ("Retention Period") from the date of termination of the contract. If, at the end of the Retention Period, there is litigation or other questions arising from, involving or concerning these Documents or the services provided hereunder, Vendor shall retain the records until the resolution of such litigation or other such questions. Vendor acknowledges and agrees that City shall have access to any and all such Documents at any and all times, as deemed necessary by City, during said Retention Period. City may, at its election, require Vendor to return the documents to City at Vendor's expense prior to or at the conclusion of the Retention Period. In such event, Vendor may retain a copy of the documents.

Vendor shall notify City, immediately, in the event Vendor receives any requests for information from a third party, which pertain to the Documents referenced herein. Vendor understands and agrees that City will process and handle all such requests.

S.B. 943 – Disclosure Requirements for Certain Government Contracts: For contracts (1) with a stated expenditure of at least \$1 million in public funds for the purchase of goods or services by the City, or (2) that result in the expenditure of at least \$1 million in public funds for the purchase of goods or services by the City in a given fiscal year, Vendor acknowledges that the requirements of the Texas Public Information Act, Government Code, Chapter 552, Subchapter J, pertaining to the preservation and disclosure of Contracting Information maintained by the City or sent between the City and a vendor, contractor, potential vendor, or potential contractor, may apply to this bid and any resulting contract. Vendor agrees that the contract can be terminated if Vendor knowingly or intentionally fails to comply with a requirement of that subchapter.

By submitting a bid, Bidder warrants and certifies, and a contract awarded pursuant to this RFCSP is made in reliance thereon, that it, has not knowingly or intentionally failed to comply with this subchapter in a previous bid or contract. City hereby relies on Vendor's certification, and if found to be false, City may reject the bid or terminate the Contract for material breach

<u>Severability</u>: If any clause or provision of this contract is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under present or future federal, state or local laws, including but not limited to the City Charter, City Code, or ordinances of the City of San Antonio, Texas, then and in that event it is the intention of the parties hereto that such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other clause or provision hereof and that the remainder of this contract shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable clause or provision was never contained herein. It is also the intention of the parties hereto that in lieu of each clause or provision of this contract that is invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, there be added as a part of the contract a clause or provision as similar in terms to such invalid, illegal or unenforceable clause or provision as may be possible, legal, valid and enforceable.

<u>Compliance with Law</u>: Vendor shall provide and perform all services required under this Agreement in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations.

<u>Certifications</u>: Vendor warrants and certifies that Vendor and any other person designated to provide services hereunder has the requisite training, license and/or certification to provide said services, and meets all competence standards promulgated by all other authoritative bodies, as applicable to the services provided herein.

Non-waiver of Performance: Unless otherwise specifically provided for in this Agreement, a waiver by either Party of a breach of any of the terms, conditions, covenants or guarantees of this Agreement shall not be construed or held to be a waiver of any succeeding or preceding breach of the same or any other term, condition, covenant or guarantee herein contained. Further, any failure of either Party to insist in any one or more cases upon the strict performance of any of the covenants of this Agreement, or to exercise any option herein contained, shall in no event be construed as a waiver or relinquishment for the future of such covenant or option. In fact, no waiver, change, modification or discharge by either party hereto of any provision of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been made or shall be effective unless expressed in writing and signed by the party to be charged. No act or omission by a Party shall in any manner impair or prejudice any right, power, privilege, or remedy available to that Party hereunder or by law or in equity, such rights, powers, privileges, or remedies to be always specifically preserved hereby.

<u>Venue</u>: Venue of any court action brought directly or indirectly by reason of this contract shall be in Bexar County, Texas. This contract is made and is to be performed in Bexar County, Texas, and is governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

Non-discrimination: As a condition of entering into this agreement, Vendor represents and warrants that it will comply with the City's Commercial Nondiscrimination Policy, as described under Section III.C.1 of the SBEDA Ordinance. As part of such compliance, Vendor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, ancestry or national origin, sex, age, marital status, sexual orientation, or on the basis of disability or other unlawful forms of discrimination in the solicitation, selection, hiring or commercial treatment of subcontractors, vendors, suppliers, or commercial customers, nor shall Vendor retaliate against any person for reporting instances of such discrimination. Vendor shall provide equal opportunity for subcontractors, vendors and suppliers to participate in all of its public sector and private sector subcontracting and supply opportunities, provided that nothing contained in this clause shall prohibit or limit otherwise lawful efforts to remedy the effects of marketplace discrimination that have occurred or are occurring in the City's Relevant Marketplace. Vendor understands and agrees that a material violation of this clause shall be considered a material breach of this agreement and may result in termination of this agreement, disqualification of Vendor from participating in City contracts, or other sanctions. This clause is not enforceable by or for the benefit of, and creates no obligation to, any third party. Vendor shall include this nondiscrimination clause in all subcontracts for the performance of this contract.

As a party to this contract, Vendor understands and agrees to comply with the *Non-Discrimination Policy* of the City of San Antonio contained in Chapter 2, Article X of the City Code and further, shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color,

religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, veteran status, age or disability, unless exempted by state or federal law, or as otherwise established herein.

<u>Delinquent Taxes</u>: In the event that Vendor is or subsequently becomes delinquent in the payment of taxes owed to the City of San Antonio, the City reserves the right to deduct any delinquent taxes from payments that the City may owe to the delinquent Vendor as a result of this contract.

Prohibition on Contracts with Companies Boycotting Israel:

Texas Government Code §2271.002 provides that a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services, unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it:

- (1) does not boycott Israel; and
- (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract.

This section only applies to a contract that:

- (1) is between a governmental entity and a company with 10 or more full-time employees; and
- (2) has a value of \$1000,000 or more that is to be paid wholly or partly from public funds of the governmental entity.

"Boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

"Company" means a for-profit organization, association, corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited partnership, limited liability partnership, or limited liability company, including a wholly owned subsidiary, majority-owned subsidiary, parent company, or affiliate of those entities or business associations that exists to make a profit. This term does not include a sole proprietorship.

By submitting an offer to or executing contract documents with the City of San Antonio, Company hereby verifies that it does not boycott Israel, and will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract. City hereby relies on Company's verification. If found to be false, City may terminate the contract for material breach.

Contracts with Companies Engaged in Business with Iran, Sudan, or Foreign Terrorist Organization Prohibited: Texas Government Code §2252.152 provides that a governmental entity may not enter into a governmental contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained under Texas Government Code §§2270.0201 or 2252.153. Vendor hereby certifies that it is not identified on such a list and that it will notify City should it be placed on such a list while under contract with City. City hereby relies on Vendor's certification. If found to be false, or if Vendor is identified on such list during the course of its contract with City, City may terminate the Contract for material breach.

Attorney's Fees: The Parties hereto expressly agree that, in the event of litigation, each party hereby waives its right to payment of attorneys' fees

<u>Binding Contract</u>: This contract shall be binding on and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, and successors and assigns, except as otherwise expressly provided for herein.

Entire Agreement: This contract, including City's final electronically posted online version together with its authorizing ordinance and its price schedule(s), attachments, addendums, purchase orders, and exhibits, if any, and Respondent's proposal, constitutes the final and entire agreement between the parties hereto and contains all of the terms and conditions agreed upon. City's solicitation documents shall control over Respondent's proposal in the event of a conflict. No other agreements, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this contract shall be deemed to exist or to bind the parties hereto, unless same be in writing, dated subsequent to the date hereof, and be duly executed by the parties, in accordance with the Change Order provision herein. Parties agree that City's final electronically posted online version of this solicitation contains the agreed upon specifications, scope of services, and terms and conditions of this contract, and shall control in the event of a conflict with any printed version signed and submitted by Vendor.

007 - SIGNATURE PAGE

By submitting a proposal, Respondent represents that:

- (s) he is authorized to bind Respondent to fully comply with the terms and conditions of City's Request for Competitive Sealed Proposals for the prices stated therein;
- (s) he has read the entire document, including the final version issued by City, and agreed to the terms therein;

Respondent is in good standing with the Texas State Comptroller's Office; and

to the best of his/her knowledge, all information is true and correct.

Complete the following and sign on the signature line below. Failure to sign and submit this Signature Page will result in rejection of your proposal.

Respondent Information		
Please Print or Type Vendor ID No.		
Signer's Name		
Name of Business		
Street Address		
City, State, Zip Code		
Email Address		
Telephone No.		
Fax No.		
City's Solicitation No.		
Signature of Person Authorize	d to Sign Proposal	

008 - STANDARD DEFINITIONS

Whenever a term defined by the Uniform Commercial Code ("UCC"), as enacted by the State of Texas, is used in the Contract, the UCC definition shall control, unless otherwise defined in the Contract.

<u>All-or-None Bid</u> – a request for competitive sealed proposal in which the City will award the entire contract to one respondent only.

<u>Alternate Proposal</u> - two or more proposals with substantive variations in the item or service offered from the same respondent in response to a solicitation.

Assignment - a transfer of claims, rights or interests in goods, services or property.

<u>Change Order</u> - a change to the plans or specifications of the contract, or an increase or decrease in the quantity of work to be performed or of materials, equipment, or supplies to be furnished, issued by the Director after the proposal has been accepted by the City.

<u>City</u> - the City of San Antonio, a Texas home-rule municipal corporation.

Contract - the binding legal agreement between the City and Vendor.

<u>Contractor</u> - the respondent whose proposal is accepted by the City and is, therefore, the person, firm or entity providing goods or services to the City under a contract.

<u>Director</u> – the Director of City's Purchasing & General Services Department, or Director's designee.

<u>Equal or Equivalent</u> - terms to indicate that similar products or other brands may be acceptable for purchase if specifications and functional requirements are met.

<u>Line Item</u> - a listing of items in a proposal for which a respondent is expected to provide separate pricing.

Non-Responsive Proposal - a proposal or offer that does not comply with the terms and conditions, or specifications and/or requirements of the RFCSP.

Offer - a complete, signed response to an RFCSP that, if accepted, would bind Respondent to perform the resultant contract. The term "offer" is synonymous with the terms "bid" and "proposal".

<u>Payment Bond</u> - a particular form of security provided by the contractor to protect the City against loss due to the contractor's failure to pay suppliers and subcontractors.

<u>Performance Bond</u> - a particular form of security provided by the contractor to protect the City against loss due to the contractor's inability or unwillingness to complete the contract as agreed.

<u>Performance Deposit</u> - security provided by the contractor to protect City against loss due to the contractor's inability or unwillingness to complete the contract as agreed.

<u>Pre-Submittal Conference</u> - a meeting conducted by the City, held in order to allow respondents to ask questions about the proposed contract and particularly, the contract specifications.

<u>Proposal</u> - a complete, signed response to a solicitation. The term "proposal" is synonymous with the terms "offer" and "bid".

<u>Proposal Bond or Proposal Guarantee</u> - security to ensure that Respondent (a) will not withdraw the proposal within the period specified for acceptance, and (b) will furnish any required bonds or performance guarantees, and any necessary insurance within the time specified in the solicitation.

<u>Proposal Opening</u> - a public meeting during which proposal responses are opened and the names of respondents are read aloud.

<u>Purchase Order</u> - a validly issued order placed by an authorized City department for the purchase of goods or services, written on the City's standard purchase order form, and which is Vendor's authority to deliver to and invoice the City for the goods or services specified in a RFCSP for the price stated in Vendor's proposal.

<u>Request for Competitive sealed Proposal (RFCSP)</u> – a solicitation for a specified good or a service, evaluated on the basis of price and other factors.

<u>Respondent</u> - a person, firm or entity that submits a proposal in response to a solicitation. The respondent whose proposal is accepted by City may also be referred to herein as Contractor, Vendor or Supplier. The term "respondent" is synonymous with the term "bidder".

<u>Responsible Offeror</u> - a respondent who is known to have the necessary competence and qualifications to perform and provide all requirements of an intended contract.

<u>Responsive Offeror</u> - a respondent who tenders a proposal which meets all requirements of the RFCSP and is a responsible offeror.

<u>Sealed Proposal</u> - a proposal submitted as a sealed document, whether hard copy or electronic, by a prescribed time to the location indicated in the RFCSP. The contents of the proposal will not be made public prior to the award of the contract.

<u>Specifications</u> - a description of what the City requires and what the respondent must offer; a description of the physical or functional characteristics of a product or material, or the nature of a service or construction item.

<u>Subcontractor</u> - a person, firm or entity providing goods or services to a vendor to be used in the performance of the Vendor's obligations under the contract with City.

<u>Supplier</u> - the respondent whose proposal is accepted by the City and is, therefore, the person, firm or entity providing goods or services to the City under a contract.

<u>Vendor</u> - the respondent whose proposal is accepted by the City and is, therefore, the person, firm or entity providing goods or services to the City under a contract.

Waiver of Irregularity - noting, but disregarding an immaterial variance within a proposal.

009 - ATTACHMENTS

RFCSP ATTACHMENT A, PART ONE General Information

1. Respondent Information: Provide the following information regarding the Respondent

(NOTE: Co-Respondents are two or more entities proposing as a team or joint venture with each signing the contract, if awarded. Subcontractors are not Co-Respondents and should not be identified here. If this proposal includes Co-Respondents, provide the required information in this Item #1 for each Co-Respondent by copying and inserting an additional block(s) before Item #2.)

Respondent Name:	f awarded	i.)			
Principal Address:					
City:		State:		Zip Code:	
Telephone No.	Fax No:_				
Website address:					
Year established: Provide the number of	years in b	ousiness ur	nder present	name:	
Social Security Number or Federal Employer Identification Numb	er:				
Texas Comptroller's Taxpayer Number, if applicable: (NOTE: This 11-digit number is sometimes referred to as the Comptroller)	er's TIN or	TID.)			
DUNS Number:					
Business Structure: Check the box that indicates the business st Individual or Sole Proprietorship If checked, list Assume		•			
Partnership	ou manno,				
Corporation If Corporation, check one of the fo	ollowina:		For-Profit		Nonprofit
Also, if Corporation, check one of the fo	_		 Domestic		Foreign
Other If Other is checked, list business structure:					
Printed Name of Contract Signatory:					
Job Title:					
Provide any other names under which Respondent has operated	within the	e last 10 ye	ars and leng	th of time und	der for each:
Provide address of office from which this project would be managed	jed:				
City:		State:		Zip Code:	
Telephone No.	Fax No:_				_
Annual Revenue: \$					
Total Number of Employees:					
Total Number of Current Clients/Customers:					
Briefly describe other lines of business that the company is direct	-	-			

	List Related Companies:
2.	Contact Information: List the one person who the City may contact concerning your proposal or setting dates for meetings.
	Name: Title:
	Address:
	City:Zip Code:
	Telephone No Fax No:
	Email:
3.	Does Respondent anticipate any mergers, transfer of organization ownership, management reorganization, or departure of key personnel within the next twelve (12) months?
	Yes No
4.	Is Respondent authorized to do business with the State of Texas Secretary of State?
	Yes No If "Yes", provide registration number.
5.	Where is the Respondent's corporate headquarters located?
6.	Local/County Operation: Does the Respondent have an office located in San Antonio, Texas?
	Yes No If "Yes", respond to a and b below:
	a. How long has the Respondent conducted business from its San Antonio office?
	Years Months
	b. State the number of full-time employees at the San Antonio office.
	If "No", indicate if Respondent has an office located within Bexar County, Texas:
	Yes No If "Yes", respond to c and d below:
	c. How long has the Respondent conducted business from its Bexar County office?
	Years Months
	d. State the number of full-time employees at the Bexar County office
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7.	Debarment/Suspension Information : Has the Respondent or any of its principals been debarred or suspended from contracting with any public entity?
	Yes No If "Yes", identify the public entity and the name and current phone number of a representative of the public entity familiar with the debarment or suspension, and state the reason for or circumstances surrounding the debarment or suspension, including but not limited to the period of time for such debarment or suspension.

Sur	rety Information: Has the Respondent ever had a bond or surety canceled or forfeited?
Yes	s No If "Yes", state the name of the bonding company, date, amount of bond and reason for such ncellation or forfeiture.
	nkruptcy Information: Has the Respondent ever been declared bankrupt or filed for protection from creditors under te or federal proceedings?
	s No If "Yes", state the date, court, jurisdiction, cause number, amount of liabilities and amount of sets.
	sciplinary Action: Has the Respondent ever received any disciplinary action, or any pending disciplinary action, from regulatory bodies or professional organizations?
	s No If "Yes", state the name of the regulatory body or professional organization, date and reason for ciplinary or impending disciplinary action.
Pre	evious Contracts:
a.	Has the Respondent ever failed to complete any contract awarded?
	Yes No If "Yes", state the name of the organization contracted with, services contracted, date, contract amount and reason for failing to complete the contract.
b.	Has any officer or partner proposed for this assignment ever been an officer or partner of some other organization that failed to complete a contract?
	Yes No If "Yes", state the name of the individual, organization contracted with, services contracted, date, contract amount and reason for failing to complete the contract.
C.	Has any officer or partner proposed for this assignment ever failed to complete a contract handled in his or her own name?
	Yes No If "Yes", state the name of the individual, organization contracted with, services contracted, date, contract amount and reason for failing to complete the contract.

REFERENCES

<u>Provide three (3) reference letters</u> from three (3) separate organizations/companies/firms, that the Respondent has provided services to within the past three (3) years. The contact person named on the reference letter should be familiar with the day-to-day management of the contract and would be able to provide type, level, and quality of services performed. In addition, please provide the contact information below of the references you have submitted.

Firm/Company Name		
Contact Name:	Tit	:le:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Email:		
Telephone No	Fax No:	
Date and Type of Service(s) Provided:		
Reference No. 2:		
Firm/Company Name		
Contact Name:	Tit	ile:
Address:		
City:		
Email:		
Telephone No		
Date and Type of Service(s) Provided:		
Reference No. 3:		
Firm/Company Name		
Contact Name:	Tit	ile:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Email:		
Telephone No		

RFCSP ATTACHMENT A, PART TWO

EXPERIENCE, BACKGROUND, QUALIFICATIONS

Prepare and submit narrative responses to address the following items, as they relate to Scope of Work. If Respondent is proposing as a team or joint venture, provide the same information for each member of the team or joint venture.

A. Firm, Key Personnel, and Key Sub-Consultant

- 1. Experience City shall consider the relevance of past experience for all parties proposed as part of the Respondent's Team. Respondent shall provide a narrative, in two (2) pages or less, describing the Respondent's proposed team's qualifications, as they relate to the referenced scope of services in this solicitation. Respondent shall include how its proposed team has worked together on past-similar projects and include the number of years working together as a team. If a Sub-Consultant is part of the Respondent's team, Respondent shall include information on how the Sub-Consultant shall function within the team's organization.
- 2. Project Sheets Respondent's proposal shall include a maximum of ten (10) project sheets, limited to one (1) page for each project included, which shall describe similar projects Respondent has completed within the last five (5) years. Each project sheet shall include the following:
 - 1. Name and Description of the completed project, including any similarity to projects defined in this solicitation;
 - 2. Time of work on the cited project;
 - 3. Respondent's role in the cited project;
 - 4. Superintendent;
 - 5. Project Coordinator;
 - 6. Cited project's original and final contract amounts (explain inconsistencies);
 - 7. Cited project's proposed completion date and the actual completion date achieved (explain inconsistencies);
 - 8. Cited project's owner's name and the name of the representative (if different) who served as the day-to-day liaison for the cited project, in the following format:

a.	. Name of Owner:	
b.	. Name of Owner's representative:	
c.	. Representative's Phone Number:	
d.	. Representative's E-mail:	

3. Proposed Key Personnel/Organizational Chart –Provide a detailed organizational chart of Respondent's proposed team, identifying key personnel who will be committed to work on the various tasks for this Contract.

Label assignments as:

- a. Project Manager
- b. Superintendent
- c. Safety Coordinator
- d. Chief Estimator
- e. Communications Officer (Public Outreach)
- **4. Resumes** Respondent shall submit one (1) page resumes for all its key team members. Resumes should link to project sheets and also may include additional previously-completed relevant projects not highlighted in the project sheets.

Resumes also shall include:

- a. the license or certification type (if applicable) and number of years obtained,
- b. Number of years employed with the firm
- c. Number of years' experience in proposed role corresponding to the assignments included in the organizational chart
- d. City of residence
- B. Experience with issues in the San Antonio Region & past experience with the City of San Antonio Contracts

City is interested in evaluating Respondent's and Respondent's key Sub-Consultants' experience with San Antonio issues, as may be evidenced by work in San Antonio and the surrounding area, during the past five (5) years. In narrative form, using a maximum of two (2) pages, to briefly describe Respondent's and its team's experience in the following areas, referencing projects relating to that experience. (Note: you may reference projects included in the project sheets under **Criteria A** above or include other projects, but no additional project sheets shall be provided for this criterion.)

- 1. Local area construction costs and practices;
- 2. Local environmental community, conditions and constraints;
- 3. Involvement in project development as it relates to public awareness in the local area;
- 4. Firm's experience with private and public utilities within the San Antonio or surrounding area;
- 5. Local site development;
- 6. Building code requirements; and
- 7. City of San Antonio Design Guidelines

C. Response as a Team, Joint Venture, or includes Sub-contractors

If Respondent is proposing as a team or joint venture or has included sub-contractors, describe the rationale for selecting the team and the extent to which the team, joint ventures and/or sub-contractors have worked together in the past. Respondent shall limit information regarding the Small Business Economic Development Advocacy Program (and associated certifications for any joint venturers or sub-contractors).

RFCSP ATTACHMENT A, PART THREE

PROPOSED PLAN

Prepare and submit the following items:

Understanding of the Contract and Proposed Management Plan - In a narrative format, provide a narrative description as well as specific examples of how Respondent's techniques or procedures were used in previous contracts. Response to this section is limited to a maximum of five (5) pages.

- 1. Project Understanding Describe Respondent's approach to overall team formation and coordination of team members referenced in organizational chart.
- 2. Detail the current capacity of key team individuals, the percent of time each will spend on this project and Respondent's capabilities to complete the services outlined herein;
- 3. Provide a listing of available equipment to complete the services outlined herein;
- **4.** Briefly describe Respondent's understanding of this Project, including all of the requirements to successfully complete the Project(s). Provide the approach of Respondent and/or team partner(s) in meeting these requirements, and comprehensively address all the issues, standards and requirements needed to produce a finished project. Include the following:
 - a. Describe Respondent's approach to planning
 - b. Describe Respondent's project management approach
 - c. Describe Respondent's approach to quality control and quality assurance measures
 - d. Describe Respondent's approach to remediation/construction management
 - e. Describe Respondent's approach to schedule management;
- **5.** Describe Respondent's approach to stakeholder involvement and to providing seamless, successful delivery of the services outlined in this RFCSP.
- **6.** Provide an example of a time when your firm was asked to respond to an emergency or extremely short duration project. Describe how you managed your staff in order to accommodate the requirement. Provide a timeline.
- 7. Respondent shall describe its understanding of the Contract and specific issues and challenges Respondent likely sees shall be involved, as well as the availability of labor resources (Respondent's capacity to perform) in executing the scope of work required. Respondent shall submit information in a brief narrative plan clearly and concisely describing the challenges it foresees and its approach to managing the Project.

Respondent shall limit its response to the following items to one (1) page.

- a. Describe Respondent's understanding of the primary objectives of the Contract; and
- b. Describe the constraints and technical challenges related to Respondent's performance and Respondent's approach to addressing each.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT B

PRICE SCHEDULE

Respondent's proposal must be based on the proposed contract term, including renewal periods, stated in this RFCSP. Proposing a different term of contract, or renewal terms may lead to disqualification of Respondent's proposal from consideration. As such, Respondent must provide pricing in the manner set forth in the RFCSP's Price Schedule. Failure to do so may lead to disqualification of Respondent's proposal from consideration.

Respondent agrees to provide services described in this RFCSP's Scope of Services for the prices indicated below subject to the following provisions:

- 1. Proposed Hourly Rates shall be all-inclusive and include all direct and indirect expenses
- 2. Respondent shall only invoice for actual, documented hours worked, rounded to the nearest ¼ hour
- 3. All services will be paid at the Proposed Hourly Rate. The City will not reimburse for overtime
- 4. The City will reimburse at 1.5 times the Proposed Hourly Rate for time worked on the following authorized holidays: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day.

Item #	Job Title / Position	Proposed Hourly Rate
1	Principal / Partner	\$
2	Project Manager / Senior TAB	\$
3	TAB Technician	\$
4	Administration / Clerical	\$

Prompt Payment Discount:	% within	days (If no discount offered. Net 30 will apply	١
Promot Payment Discount:	% WITHII	days (ii no discount offered, net 30 will abbly	1

RFCSP ATTACHMENT C

CONTRACTS DISCLOSURE FORM

Complete and submit a Contracts Disclosure Form with the proposal. The Contracts Disclosure Form may be downloaded at:

https://www.sanantonio.gov/Portals/0/Files/eforms/Atty/ContractsDisclosureForm.pdf

- 1. Download form and complete all fields. All fields must be completed electronically prior to submitting the form.
- 2. All Respondents must include the following information in the required Contracts Disclosure Form at the time the original proposal is submitted:
 - a. names of the agency board members and executive committee members,
 - b. list of positions they hold as an individual or entity seeking action on any matter listed:
 - (1) The identity of any individual who would be a party to the transaction;
 - (2) The identity of any entity that would be a party to the transaction and the name of:
 - a. Any individual or entity that would be a subcontractor to the transaction;
 - b. Any individual or entity that is known to be a partner or a parent entity of any individual or entity who would be a party to the transaction, or any subsidiary entity that is anticipated to be involved in the execution of the transaction; and
 - c. The board members, executive committee members, and officers of entities listed above; and
 - (3) The identity of any lobbyist, attorney or consultant employed for purposes relating to the transaction being sought by any individual or entity who would be a party to the transaction.
 - c. names and titles of officers of the organization.
- 3. Click on the "Print" button and place the copy in your proposal response as indicated in the Proposal Checklist.

PLEASE NOTE: It is recommended not to use Chrome browser to access this form. If you have difficulty accessing, please contact the Staff Contact Person identified on the Title page of this RFCSP.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT D

LITIGATION DISCLOSURE FORM

Respond to each of the questions below by checking the appropriate box. Failure to fully and truthfully disclose the information required by this Litigation Disclosure form may result in the disqualification of your proposal from consideration or termination of the contract, once awarded.

Have you or any member of your Firm or Team t felony or misdemeanor greater than a Class C in		o this engagement ever been indicted or convicted of a years?
	Yes	No
•	•	o this engagement been terminated (for cause or tonio or any other Federal, State or Local Government, o
	Yes	No
		o this engagement been involved in any claim or litigation Government, or Private Entity during the last ten (10)
	Yes	No

If you have answered "Yes" to any of the above questions, please indicate the name(s) of the person(s), the nature, and the status and/or outcome of the information, indictment, conviction, termination, claim, or litigation, as applicable. Any such information should be provided on a separate page, attached to this form, and submitted with your proposal.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT E

EXHIBIT 1 - SMALL BUSINESS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVOCACY PREFERENCE PROGRAM

SBEDA PROGRAM TRACKING FORM

Posted as a separate document.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT F

VETERAN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS PREFERENCE PROGRAM TRACKING FORM

Pursuant to Ordinance No. 2013-12-05-0864, effective for solicitations issued after January 15, 2014, all solicitations issued by the City are subject to tracking of Veteran Owned Small Business (VOSB) participation.

For more information on the program, refer to the Veteran-Owned Small Business Preference Program Tracking Form attached separately from this solicitation.

Respondent must complete and return the attached Veteran-Owned Small Business Preference Program Tracking Form.

Posted as a separate document.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT G

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES (Form 1295)

Texas Government Code §2252.908, and the rules issued by the Texas Ethics Commission found in Title 1, Sections 46.1, 46.3 and 46.5 of the Texas Administrative Code, require a business entity to submit a completed Form 1295 to the City before the City may enter into a contract with that business entity.

Form 1295 must be completed online. It is available from the Texas Ethics Commission by accessing the following web address: https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/filinginfo/1295

Print and sign your completed Form 1295. Submit your signed Form 1295 with your response to this solicitation. Where requested to provide the name of the public entity with whom you are contracting, insert "City of San Antonio". Where requested to provide the contract number, provide the RFCSP number shown on the cover page of this solicitation (e.g. IFB 6100001234, RFO 6100001234, or RFCSP 6100001234).

The following definitions found in the statute and Texas Ethics Commission rules may be helpful in completing Form 1295.

"Business entity" includes an entity through which business is conducted with a governmental entity or state agency, regardless of whether the entity is a for-profit or nonprofit entity. The term does not include a governmental entity or state agency. (NOTE: The City of San Antonio should never be listed as the "Business entity".)

"Controlling interest" means: (1) an ownership interest or participating interest in a business entity by virtue of units, percentage, shares, stock, or otherwise that exceeds 10 percent; (2) membership on the board of directors or other governing body of a business entity of which the board or other governing body is composed of not more than 10 members; or (3) service as an officer of a business entity that has four or fewer officers, or service as one of the four officers most highly compensated by a business entity that has more than four officers. Subsection (3) of this section does not apply to an officer of a publicly held business entity or its wholly owned subsidiaries.

"Interested party" means: (1) a person who has a controlling interest in a business entity with whom a governmental entity or state agency contracts; or (2) an intermediary.

"Intermediary," for purposes of this rule, means, a person who actively participates in the facilitation of the contract or negotiating the contract, including a broker, adviser, attorney, or representative of or agent for the business entity who:

- (1) receives compensation from the business entity for the person's participation;
- (2) communicates directly with the governmental entity or state agency on behalf of the business entity regarding the contract; and
- (3) is not an employee of the business entity or of an entity with a controlling interest in the business entity.

Publicly traded business entities, including their wholly owned subsidiaries, are exempt from this requirement and are not required to submit Form 1295.

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CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SERVICES (CJIS) ADDENDUM

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SERVICES SECURITY ADDENDUM

The goal of this document is to augment the CJIS Security Policy to ensure adequate security is provided for criminal justice systems while (1) under the control or management of a private entity or (2) connectivity to FBI CJIS Systems has been provided to a private entity (contractor). Adequate security is defined in Office of Management and Budget Circular A- 130 as "security commensurate with the risk and magnitude of harm resulting from the loss, misuse, or unauthorized access to or modification of information."

The intent of this Security Addendum is to require that the Contractor maintain a security program consistent with federal and state laws, regulations, and standards (including the CJIS Security Policy in effect when the contract is executed), as well as with policies and standards established by the Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Advisory Policy Board (APB).

This Security Addendum identifies the duties and responsibilities with respect to the installation and maintenance of adequate internal controls within the contractual relationship so that the security and integrity of the FBI's information resources are not compromised. The security program shall include consideration of personnel security, site security, system security, and data security, and technical security.

The provisions of this Security Addendum apply to all personnel, systems, networks and support facilities supporting and/or acting on behalf of the government agency.

1.1 Definitions

- 1.2 Contracting Government Agency (CGA) the government agency, whether a Criminal Justice Agency or a Noncriminal Justice Agency, which enters into an agreement with a private contractor subject to this Security Addendum.
- 1.3 Contractor a private business, organization or individual which has entered into an agreement for the administration of criminal justice with a Criminal Justice Agency or a Noncriminal Justice Agency.
- 2.1 Responsibilities of the Contracting Government Agency.
- 2.2 The CGA will ensure that each Contractor employee receives a copy of the Security Addendum and the CJIS Security Policy and executes an acknowledgment of such receipt and the contents of the Security Addendum. The signed acknowledgments shall remain in the possession of the CGA and available for audit purposes.
- 3.1 Responsibilities of the Contractor.
- 3.2 The Contractor will maintain a security program consistent with federal and state laws, regulations, and standards (including the CJIS Security Policy in effect when the contract is executed), as well as with policies and standards established by the Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Advisory Policy Board (APB).
- 4.1 Security Violations.
- 4.2 The CGA must report security violations to the CJIS Systems Officer (CSO) and the Director, FBI, along with indications of actions taken by the CGA and Contractor.
- 4.3 Security violations can justify termination of the appended agreement.
- 4.4 Upon notification, the FBI reserves the right to:
 - a. Investigate or decline to investigate any report of unauthorized use;

- b. Suspend or terminate access and services, including telecommunications links. The FBI will provide the CSO with timely written notice of the suspension. Access and services will be reinstated only after satisfactory assurances have been provided to the FBI by the CGA and Contractor. Upon termination, the Contractor's records containing CHRI must be deleted or returned to the CGA.
- 5.1 Audit
- 5.2 The FBI is authorized to perform a final audit of the Contractor's systems after termination of the Security Addendum.
- 6.1 Scope and Authority
- 6.2 This Security Addendum does not confer, grant, or authorize any rights, privileges, or obligations on any persons other than the Contractor, CGA, CJA (where applicable), CSA, and FBI.
- 6.3 The following documents are incorporated by reference and made part of this agreement: (1) the Security Addendum; (2) the NCIC 2000 Operating Manual; (3) the CJIS Security Policy; and (4) Title 28, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 20. The parties are also subject to applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
- 6.4 The terms set fo1th in this document do not constitute the sole understanding by and between the parties hereto; rather they augment the provisions of the CJIS Security Policy to provide a minimum basis for the security of the system and contained information and it is understood that there may be terms and conditions of the appended Agreement which impose more stringent requirements upon the Contractor.
- 6.5 This Security Addendum may only be modified by the FBI, and may not be modified by the parties to the appended Agreement without the consent of the FBI.
- 6.6 All notices and correspondence shall be forwarded by First Class mail to:

Assistant Director Criminal Justice Information Services Division, FBI 1000 Custer Hollow Road Clarksburg, West Virginia 26306

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SERVICES SECURITY ADDENDUM CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I am familiar with the contents of (1) the Security Addendum, including its legal authority and purpose; (2) the NCIC 2000 Operating Manual; (3) the CJIS Security Policy; and (4) Title 28, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 20, and agree to be bound by their provisions.

I recognize that criminal history record information and related data, by its very nature, is sensitive and has potential for great harm if misused. I acknowledge that access to criminal history record information and related data is therefore limited to the purpose(s) for which a government agency has entered into the contract incorporating this Security Addendum. I understand that misuse of the system by, among other things: accessing it without authorization; accessing it by exceeding authorization; accessing it for an improper purpose; using, disseminating or re-disseminating information received as a result of this contract for a purpose other than that envisioned by the contract, may subject me to administrative and criminal penalties. I understand that accessing the system for an appropriate purpose and then using, disseminating or re-disseminating the information received for another purpose other than execution of the contract also constitutes misuse. I further understand that the occurrence of misuse does not depend upon whether or not I receive additional compensation for such authorized activity. Such exposure for misuse includes, but is not limited to, suspension or loss of employment and prosecution for state and federal crimes.

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Texas Signatory Page

The undersigned parties agree that the *Security Addendum* is now a part of the contract between the entities. The parties agree to abide by all requirements of the *Security Addendum* and the *CJIS Security Policy*, and it shall remain in force for the term of the contract. Any violation of this addendum constitutes a breach of the contract.

To the extent there is a conflict between a confidentiality clause in the underlying contract and the Security Addendum and/or the CJIS Security Policy, the Security Addendum and the CJIS Security Policy shall govern any information covered by the Security Addendum and/or the CJJS Security Policy.

(To be signed and dated by the vendor and law enforcement agency representative(s) who signed the original contract, or at least who have authority to bind each entity.)

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Printed Name of Vendor (Contractor) Representative	-	
Signature of Vendor (Contractor) Representative	Title	
Vendor Organization Name	- Date	

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RFCSP ATTACHMENT J SBEDA PRE-SUBMITTAL PRESENTATION

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RFCSP ATTACHMENT K

PROPOSAL CHECKLIST

Use this checklist to ensure that all required documents have been included in the proposal and appear in the correct order. Respondent shall limit information regarding the Small Business Economic Development Advocacy Program (and associated certifications for any joint venturers or sub-contractors) and the Veteran-Owned Small Business Preference Program Tracking Form, and any reference to the Respondent's proposed price or revenue to the respective section designated for this information. PLACING PROGRAM PARTICIPATION OR PRICE/REVENUE INFORMATION IN OTHER SECTIONS OF A RESPONSE TO THIS RFCSP MAY RESULT IN THE RESPONDENT'S PROPOSAL BEING DEEMED NON-RESPONSIVE AND THEREFORE DISQUALIFIED FROM CONSIDERATION.

Document	Initial to Indicate Document is attached to Proposal
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Experience, Background and Qualifications RFCSP Attachment A, Part Two	
Proposed Plan RFCSP Attachment A, Part Three	
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Litigation Disclosure Form RFCSP Attachment D	
+SBEDA Form RFCSP Attachment E; and Associated Certificates, if applicable	
+Veteran-Owned Small Business Preference Program Tracking Form RFCSP Attachment F	
Proof of Insurability (See RFCSP Section 003, Part B) Insurance Provider's Letter and Copy of Current Certificate of Insurance	
Financial Information. Recent copy of a Dun and Bradstreet financial report, or another credit report	
+Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295) RFCSP Attachment G	
CJIS Security Addendum Certification and Texas Signatory Page RFCSP Attachment H	
Proposal Checklist RFCSP Attachment K	
+Signed Addenda, if applicable.	
One <u>COMPLETE</u> <u>ELECTRONIC COPY</u> pursuant to Section 003 - Instructions for Bidders, Part B	

Be sure all forms that require a signature are done so prior to submittal of the proposal.

⁺Documents marked with a (+) on this checklist require a signature.