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Federal Highway Administration

COMBINED SYNOPSIS/SOLICITATION

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ)

<u>Issuing Office:</u> United States Department of Transportation

Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Western Federal Lands Highway Division

610 East Fifth Street

Vancouver, WA 98661-3801

Agency Contact: Evan Rowe, Contract Specialist, (360) 619-7679,

WFL.Purchasing@dot.gov

Solicitation Number: 69056725Q000044

Title: Laundry Service for Material Lab

Solicitation Release Date: 08/18/2025

Technical Questions Due Date: Thursday, 08/289/04/2025 at 04:00 pm

Quotation Due Date: Tuesday, 09/0209/2025, at 2:00 pm

3X9 Wet Area Mats	1
Denim Aprons	20
Shop Towels Red	120
Terry Towels Blue	300

NOTE: Sizes indicated for mats are the desired size. Deviations may be acceptable, within reason, and vendor shall specifically identify in their quote the sizes they are quoting.

- i. Bi-weekly services shall be scheduled to occur on any weekday, Monday Friday, between the hours of 8:00am 3:30pm PT.
- ii. Quarterly services shall occur on any normally scheduled bi-weekly service visit.
- **B.** Floor mats, aprons, and towels will be provided in a quantity sufficient to allow the Contractor to replace items taken to be cleaned and maintain the full stock as indicated in paragraph 4.A above.

5. NON-PERSONAL SERVICES

This order is a non-personal service as defined in the FAR at subpart 37.101. It is understood and agreed that the Contractor and/or Contractor's employees and subcontractors:

- Shall perform the services specified herein as independent contractors, not as employees of the government,
- Shall be responsible for their own management and administration of the work required and bear sole responsibility for complying with all technical, schedule, or financial requirements or constraints attendant to the performance of this contract,
- Shall be free from supervision or control by any government employee with respect to the manner or method of performance of the services specified, but
- Shall, pursuant to the government's right and obligation to inspect, accept or reject the work, comply with such general direction of the Contracting Officer, or the duly authorized representative of the Contracting Officer, as is necessary to ensure accomplishment of the contract objectives.

6. IDENTIFICATION OF CONTRACTOR EMPLOYEES

All contractor personnel working in situations where their contractor status is not obvious to third parties are required to identify themselves as such to avoid creating an impression in the minds of members of the public that they are Government officials. They must also ensure that all documents or reports produced by Contractors are suitably marked as Contractor products or that Contractor participation is appropriately disclosed. Contractors shall also wear badges identifying them as Contractor personnel when meeting with FHWA personnel during the performance of this Order.

7. RESTRICTIONS AND STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

The Contractor and its employees shall conduct business covered only by this order during periods paid for by the Government and shall not conduct any other business on Government premises. During all operations on Government premises, the Contractor shall comply with the rules, regulations, and procedures governing the conduct of personnel and the safe, secure, and effective operation of the facility, as expressed in written, oral, and logical procedures.

8. INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE

All supplies and/or work hereunder shall be subject to review by the Government. The Technical Point of Contact (TPOC) is responsible for the inspection and acceptance of all incoming shipments, documents, and services. Acceptance of the final deliverables shall be made in writing by the TPOC.

9. GOVERNMENT FURNISHED INFORMATION

The FHWA will provide to the Contractor access to any information under its purview necessary to complete any requirements under this Order that is not publicly available.

10. AUTHORITY TO OBLIGATE THE GOVERNMENT

The Contracting Officer is the only individual who can legally commit or obligate the Government to the expenditure of public funds. No cost chargeable to the proposed task order can be incurred before receipt of a fully executed task order or specific authorization from the Contracting Officer.

11. PAYMENT FOR UNAUTHORIZED WORK

No payments will be made for any unauthorized supplies and/or services or for any unauthorized changes to the work specified herein. This includes any services performed by the Contractor of their own volition or at the request of an individual other than a duly appointed Contracting Officer. Only a duly appointed Contracting Officer is authorized to change the specifications, terms, and conditions under this effort.

12. CONTRACTOR'S FAILURE TO PERFORM REQUIRED SERVICES

The rights of the Government and remedies described in this section are in addition to all other rights and remedies set forth in the contract. Specifically, the Government reserves its rights under the appropriate Inspection of Services and Termination Clauses. Any reductions in the Contractor's invoice shall reflect the contract's reduced value resulting from the Contractor's failure to perform required services. The Contractor shall not be relieved of the full performance of the services hereunder and may be terminated for default based upon the inadequate performance of services, even if a reduction was previously taken for any inadequate performance.

13. CLOSEOUT OF CONTRACT FILES

The Government will initiate the administrative closeout of the Delivery Order after receiving evidence that all technical requirements have been completed. The Contractor shall furnish all required documents in support of the closeout of this contract.

The Government anticipates the timeframe to complete the administrative close out of this contract will not exceed 30 days. The costs incurred in the administrative closeout of task orders and contract files are unallowable direct costs under the contract and, therefore, cannot be charged as direct costs to the Government. Contractors are to handle such costs in accordance with their disclosure statements/cost accounting systems.

14. LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 0001 – Offeror Work Experience (1 page)

Attachment 0002 – Past Perf Questionnaire (5 pages)

Attachment 0003 – Materials Lab Locator (1 page)

Attachment 0004 – Service Contract Act Wage Determination (8 pages)

1252.232-70 -- Electronic Submission of Payment Requests (Nov 2022) [(DEVIATION Aug 2025)]

- (a) Definitions. As used in this clause—
 - (1) Contract financing payment has the meaning given in FAR 32.001.
- (2) Payment request means a bill, voucher, invoice, or request for contract financing payment or invoice payment with associated supporting documentation. The payment request must comply with the requirements identified in FAR 32.905(b), "Content of Invoices," this clause, and the applicable Payment clause included in this contract.
- (3) Electronic form means an automated system transmitting information electronically according to the accepted electronic data transmission methods and formats identified in paragraph (c) of this clause. Facsimile, email, and scanned documents are not acceptable electronic forms for submission of payment requests.
 - (4) Invoice payment has the meaning given in FAR 32.001.
- (b) Electronic payment requests. Except as provided in paragraph (e) of this clause, the contractor shall submit payment requests in electronic form. Purchases paid with a Governmentwide commercial purchase card are considered to be an electronic transaction for purposes of this rule, and therefore no additional electronic invoice submission is required.
- (c) Processing system. The Department of Transportation utilizes the DELPHI system for processing invoices. The DELPHI module for submitting invoices is called iSupplier. Access to DELPHI is granted with electronic authentication of credentials (name & valid email address) utilizing the GSA credentialing platform login.gov. Vendors submitting invoices are required to submit invoices via iSupplier (DELPHI) and authenticated via www.login.gov.
- (d) Invoice requirements. To receive payment and in accordance with the Prompt Payment Act, all invoices submitted as attachments in iSupplier (DELPHI) shall contain the following:
 - (1) Invoice number and invoice date.
 - (2) Period of performance covered by invoice.
 - (3) Contract number and title.
 - (4) Task/Delivery Order number and title (if applicable).
 - (5) Amount billed (by CLIN), current and cumulative.
 - (6) Total (\$) of billing.
 - (7) Cumulative total billed for all contract work to date.
- (8) Name, title, phone number, and mailing address of person to be contacted in the event of a defective invoice.
- (9) Travel. If the contract includes allowances for travel, all invoices which include charges pertaining to travel expenses will catalog a breakdown of reimbursable expenses with the appropriate receipts to substantiate the travel expenses.
- [(10) The following statement "The Contractor also affirms that it does not operate any diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) initiatives that are inconsistent with the Equal Protection principles of the Constitution and the non-discrimination requirements of Federal law, as interpreted by the Supreme Court in Students for Fair Admissions v. Harvard, 600 U.S. 181 (2023)."

Furthermore, pursuant to Executive Order 14173, Ending Illegal Discrimination and Restoring Merit-Based Opportunity, the Contractor certifies that it Is In compliance with the Equal Protection principles of the Constitution and all applicable Federal anti-discrimination laws, and acknowledges that such compliance is material to the

Government's payment decision under the False Claims Act (31 U.S.C. § 3729(b)(4)). The Contractor also affirms that it does not operate any diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) initiatives that are inconsistent with the Equal Protection principles of the Constitution and the non-discrimination requirements of Federal laws as interpreted by the Supreme Court In Students for Fair Admissions v. Harvard, 600 U.S. 181 (2023)."]

- (e) Payment system registration. All persons accessing the iSupplier (DELPHI) will be required to have their own unique user ID and password and be credentialed through login.gov.
 - (1) Electronic authentication. See www.login.gov for instructions.
- (2) To create a www.login.gov account, the user will need a valid email address and a working phone number. The user will create a password and then www.login.gov will reply with an email confirming the email address.
- (3) iSupplier (DELPHI) registration instructions: New users should navigate to: http://einvoice.esc.gov to establish an account. Users are required to log in to iSupplier (DELPHI) every 45 days to keep it active.
- (4) Training on DELPHI. To facilitate use of DELPHI, comprehensive user information is available at http://einvoice.esc.gov.
- (5) Account Management. Vendors are responsible to contact their assigned COR when their firm's points of contacts will no longer be submitting invoices, so they can be removed from the system.
- (f) Waivers. For contractors/vendors who are unable to utilize DOT's DELPHI system, waivers may be considered by DOT on a case-by-case basis. Vendors should contact their Contracting Officer's Representative (COR) for procedures.
- (g) Exceptions and alternate payment procedures. If, based on one of the circumstances set forth in 1232.7002(a) or (b), and the contracting officer directs that payment requests be made by mail, the contractor shall submit payment requests by mail through the United States Postal Service to the designated agency office. If alternate payment procedures are authorized, the Contractor shall include a copy of the Contracting Officer's written authorization with each payment request. If DELPHI is succeeded by later technology, the Contracting Officer will supply the Contractor with the latest applicable electronic invoicing instructions.

(End of clause)

FHWA Local Clauses

FHWA-001 -- Payment and Final Invoice

- (a) Payment for the order shall be provided under the lump sum quote amount. Compensation is full payment for providing all supplies and/or performing all work in a complete and acceptable manner. All risk, loss, damage, or expense arising out of the nature or prosecution of the work is included in the compensation provided by the lump sum quote amount.
- (b) For firm-fixed-price (FFP) contracts where supplies are delivered or services are performed, the final invoice is not subject to further contract settlement actions between the Government and the Contractor.

(c) For non-FFP contracts, further contract settlement actions may exist where final invoices are not to be submitted yet until these contract settlement actions are resolved. For these contracts, the Contracting Officer will process final invoices as a routine part of the closeout process. When requested, the Contractor shall submit the final invoice directly to the Contracting Officer/ Contract Specialist along with the final closeout documents. When the final invoice is ready for payment, the Contracting Officer will inform the Contractor that the final invoice can be submitted through the iSupplier system.

(End of clause)

FHWA-002 -- Post-Award Evaluation of Contractor Performance

- (a) Interim and final evaluations of contractor performance may be prepared on this contract in accordance with FAR 42.1502 and TAM 1242.1502. The final performance evaluations will be prepared at the time of completion of work.
- (b) The Contractor can elect to review the evaluation and submit additional information or provide a rebuttal statement. The contractor will be permitted 60 calendar days to respond from the date of receipt of the evaluation. The contractor's response is voluntary. If the contractor does not respond within 60 days, the Government will presume that the Contractor has no comment. Any disagreement between the parties regarding an evaluation will be referred to an individual at a level above the Contracting Officer, whose decision is final.
- (c) Copies of the evaluations, Contractor responses, and review comments, if any, will be retained as part of the contract file, and may be used to support future award decisions.
- (d) The Federal Highway Administration utilizes the Contractor Performance Assessment Reporting System (CPARS) to record and maintain past performance information. CPARS hosts a suite of web-enabled applications that are used to document contractor performance information that is required by Federal Regulations. The CPARS module assesses performance on contracts for Systems, Services, Information Technology, and Operations Support; Architect-Engineer contracts; and Construction contracts. Reference material can be accessed in CPARS.
- (e) The registration process requires the Contractor to identify an individual that will serve as a primary contact. This individual will be authorized access to the evaluation for review and comment. In addition, the Contractor is encouraged to identify a secondary contact in the event the primary contact is unavailable to process the evaluation within the required 60-day time period. After the FHWA Focal Point registers the contract in CPARS, the contractor representative will receive a system-generated email notifying him/her that the contract is registered. A system-generated email will also provide the Contractor with a User ID if the person does not already have a CPARS User ID.
- (f) After a performance evaluation has been prepared and is ready for comment, the Contractor representative will receive a system-generated email notification that the performance evaluation is electronically available for review and comment. The Contractor representative will receive an automated email whenever an assessment is completed and can subsequently retrieve the completed assessment from CPARS for review and comment.

(End of clause)

FHWA-003 -- Government Technical Point of Contact (TPOC)

- (a) The Contracting Officer is the only individual authorized to enter into or terminate this contract, modify any term or condition of this contract, waive any requirement of this contract, or accept nonconforming work delivered under this contract.
- (b) The Contracting Officer will designate a Government Technical Point of Contact (TPOC) at the time of contract award. The TPOC's responsibilities will include technical monitoring of the Contractor's performance and inspecting and accepting deliveries under the contract. The TPOC will be appointed in writing, at which time ALL the responsibilities of the TPOC will be detailed, and a copy of the appointment memorandum will be furnished to the Contractor. Any changes to the TPOC delegation will be made in writing, either by changes to the existing memorandum or by the issuance of a new appointment memorandum. Copies of any changes will be provided to the Contractor.
- (c) The TPOC is not authorized to perform, formally or informally, any of the following actions:
- (1) Promise, award, agree to award, or execute any contract, contract modification, or notice of intent that changes or may change this contract;
 - (2) Waive or agree to any modification of the delivery schedule;
 - (3) Make any final decision on any contract matter subject to the Disputes Clause;
- (4) Terminate, for any reason, the Contractor's right to proceed, or issue any order causing the Contractor to stop work;
 - (5) Obligate in any way, the payment of money by the Government.
- (d) The Contractor shall comply with the written or oral direction of the Contracting Officer or authorized representative(s) acting within the scope and authority of the appointment memorandum. The Contractor need not proceed with directions that it considers to have been issued without proper authority. The Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer in writing, with as much detail as possible, when the TPOC has taken an action or has issued direction (written or oral) that the Contractor considers exceeding the TPOC's appointment, within 3 days of the occurrence. Unless otherwise provided in this contract, the Contractor assumes all costs, risks, liabilities, and consequences of performing any work it is directed to perform that falls within any of the categories defined in paragraph (c) prior to receipt of the Contracting Officer's response issued under paragraph (e) of this clause.
- (e) The Contracting Officer shall respond in writing within 30 days to any notice made under paragraph (d) of this clause. A failure of the parties to agree upon the nature of a direction, or upon the contract action to be taken with respect thereto, shall be subject to the provisions of the Disputes clause of this contract.
- (f) The Contractor shall provide copies of all correspondence to the Contracting Officer and the TPOC.
- (g) Any action(s) taken by the Contractor, in response to any direction given by any person acting on behalf of the Government or any Government official other than the Contracting Officer or the TPOC acting within his or her appointment, shall be at the Contractor's risk.