Sources Sought Notice

SSCVS Exhaust Shaft Elbow Removal

Nuclear Waste Partnership LLC (NWP) is publishing this SOURCES SOUGHT NOTICE for all business classifications, e.g. large business, 8(a) small businesses, and small disadvantaged businesses. The purpose of this sources sought notice is to determine the interest of available contractors for the Safety Significant Confinement Ventilation System (SSCVS) Exhaust Shaft Elbow Removal, which is located at the Department of Energy Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP), approximately 32-miles east of Carlsbad, New Mexico. This synopsis is for information and planning purposes and is not to be construed as a commitment. All Interested parties should send a capabilities statement to jonathan.roddy@wipp.ws prior to February 1, 2021.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS IS NOT A REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL; NO SOLICITATION EXISTS AT THIS TIME.

NWP intends to release a Request for Proposal (RFP), release date pending, whereby the proposed award (an anticipated Firm-Fixed-Price subcontract) will be made to the lowest priced technically acceptable and responsible Offeror that complies with all the technical requirements, delivery date(s), and the general terms and conditions of the RFP, providing the proposal is reasonable and in the opinion of NWP, is in the best interest of NWP and the Government.

Synopsis of the work to be performed includes:

Removal & disposal of the existing SSCVS Monitoring Station A. Shed and the Exhaust Shaft Elbow.

Note: The Successful Offeror shall have an implemented NQA-1 Quality Assurance Program (QAP), a QAP equivalent to NQA-1 and that QAP can be cross walked to specific NQA-1 requirements, **OR** the ability to implement an NQA-1 QAP or equivalent.

Estimated Solicitation Issuance Date: February 5, 2021

Estimated Proposal Due Date: February 25, 2021

A Pre-proposal Conference may be conducted to discuss aspects of the proposed Scope of Work and to tour the proposed work area. If held, the conference will be at the WIPP and is tentatively scheduled to for **February 11, 2021**; the actual meeting date will be noted in the RFP. Alternatively, if an in person meeting cannot be held, a telephonic or video conference may be scheduled.

The subcontract duration will be from actual date of award through NWP's acceptance of the SSCVS Exhaust Shaft Elbow Removal as set forth in the selected <u>subcontractor's accepted</u> <u>proposed schedule</u>.

Estimated price is between \$1,000,000.00 and \$5,000,000.00.

All responding firms are requested to identify their firm's size and type of business according to their anticipated North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) code. This acquisition is under NAICS Code: **562211** – Hazardous Waste Treatment and Disposal. Teaming arrangements and joint ventures will be considered for any subsequent procurement based on NWP's market research.

Interested parties should contact Jon Roddy at <u>ionathan.roddy@wipp.ws</u> or (907) 903-3674 for initial preview of the SOW and specifications (if any/available). Your review and feedback of those documents is appreciated.