

<b>REQUEST FOR QUOTATION</b> (THIS IS NOT AN ORDER)			THIS RFQ <input type="checkbox"/> IS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IS NOT A SMALL BUSINESS SET ASIDE			PAGE 1 OF 13 PAGES	
1. REQUEST NO. 140P5123Q0007		2. DATE ISSUED 01/17/2023		3. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQUEST NO. 0040605793		4. CERT. FOR NAT. DEF. UNDER BDSA REG. 2 AND/OR DMS REG.1	
5a. ISSUED BY NPS SER EAST MABO 100 Alabama St., SW 1924 Building Atlanta GA 30303-8701						6. DELIVERY BY (Date) 08/01/2023	
5b. FOR INFORMATION CALL: (No collect calls)						7. DELIVERY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOB DESTINATION <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (See Schedule)	
						9. DESTINATION	
						a. NAME OF CONSIGNEE NPS, Fort Pulaski NM	
NAME Edward Dingle				TELEPHONE NUMBER AREA CODE 404 NUMBER 507-5747		b. STREET ADDRESS U.S. Highway 80 East P.O. Box 30757	
8. TO:							
a. NAME				b. COMPANY			
c. STREET ADDRESS						c. CITY  Savannah	
d. CITY				e. STATE		f. ZIP CODE	
				GA		31410	
10. PLEASE FURNISH QUOTATIONS TO THE ISSUING OFFICE IN BLOCK 5a ON OR BEFORE CLOSE OF BUSINESS (Date) 01/27/2023 1300 ES		IMPORTANT: This is a request for information, and quotations furnished are not offers. If you are unable to quote, please so indicate on this form and return it to the address in Block 5a. This request does not commit the Government to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of the submission of this quotation or to contract for supplies or services. Supplies are of domestic origin unless otherwise indicated by quote. Any representations and/or certifications attached to this Request for Quotations must be completed by the quoter.					
11. SCHEDULE (Include applicable Federal, State and local taxes)							
ITEM NO. (a)	SUPPLIES/SERVICES (b)			QUANTITY (c)	UNIT (d)	UNIT PRICE (e)	AMOUNT (f)
00010	Period of Performance: 02/01/2023 to 08/01/2023  Purchase of a 21'-24' utility boat to enhance resource protection and visitor safety in difficult to patrol areas of Fort Pulaski National Monument per the attached product specifications. Product/Service Code: 1940 Product/Service Description: SMALL CRAFT  Delivery: 08/01/2023						
12. DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT PAYMENT				a. 10 CALENDAR DAYS (%)	b. 20 CALENDAR DAYS (%)	c. 30 CALENDAR DAYS (%)	d. CALENDAR DAYS NUMBER PERCENTAGE
NOTE: Additional provisions and representations <input type="checkbox"/> are <input type="checkbox"/> are not attached							
13. NAME AND ADDRESS OF QUOTER				14. SIGNATURE OF PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN QUOTATION		15. DATE OF QUOTATION	
a. NAME OF QUOTER				16. SIGNER a. NAME (Type or print)		b. TELEPHONE	
b. STREET ADDRESS						AREA CODE	
c. COUNTY							
d. CITY		e. STATE	f. ZIP CODE	c. TITLE (Type or print)		NUMBER	

**Combined Synopsis/Solicitation for Commercial Services  
FAR 12.603**

Document Type: Combined Solicitation/Synopsis  
Solicitation Number: 140P5123Q0007  
Posted Date: January 17, 2023  
Original Response Date: January 27, 2023  
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Product or Service Code: 1940  
Set Aside: Unrestricted  
NAICS Code: 336612

**Contracting Office Address:**

National Park Service  
East Buying Office  
100 Alabama St. SW, Building 1924, 5th Floor  
Atlanta, GA 30303

**Description:**

This is a combined synopsis/solicitation for a commercial items prepared in accordance with the format outlined in FAR Subpart 12.6. Streamlined Procedures for Evaluation and Solicitation for Commercial Items,” as supplemented with additional information included in this notice. This announcement constitutes the only solicitation; Quotes are being requested, and a written solicitation document will not be issued.

The National Park Service, East Buying Office has a requirement to Purchase of a 21'-24' utility boat to enhance resource protection and visitor safety in difficult to patrol areas of Fort Pulaski National Monument. This solicitation is a Request for Quotes (RFQ). The solicitation document and incorporated provisions and clauses are those in effect through Federal Acquisition Circular (FAC) 2023-01.

The associated North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) code for this procurement is 336612, with a small business size standard of 1,000 employees.

The contractor must have the Representation and Certifications in SAM.gov, completed and updated prior to award.

The Government contemplates the award of a single Firm-Fixed Price Contract using the best value – Lowest Priced Technically Acceptable (LPTA) source selection procedures. All eligible and responsible sources may submit a quote, which if timely received, shall be considered by the Agency. Companies must have valid Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) number and be registered with System for Award Management ([www.sam.gov](http://www.sam.gov)). SAM.gov offers free services. An offeror must ensure that they are self-certified under NAICS Code 336612 in the Representations and Certifications portion of SAM.gov. The basis of award is the responsible offeror whose offer conforming to the solicitation will be most advantageous to the Government, price and other factors considered. Award will be made to the responsible respondent pursuant to FAR subpart 9.1.

All interested companies shall provide quotes for the following:

**Technical/Equipment Specifications:**

**Fort Pulaski National Monument – 21 – 24' Watercraft**

**1. Background.** Fort Pulaski National Monument (FOPU) is located in Savannah, GA. There is an annual visitation of approximately 400,000 people from around the world that come to view the fort, lighthouse, historic bunkers, cisterns, and trails.

**2. Required Services.** The contractor shall provide a 21' – 24' to Fort Pulaski National Monument.

**3. Contractor Responsibilities:**

- Watercraft is to have an overall length of 21' – 24'
- Watercraft is to have a beam of 96"
- Watercraft is to have a gunnel height of 23"
- Watercraft is to weigh a maximum of 2100 pounds and a maximum of 2695 pounds.
- Watercraft is to have a fuel capacity of 30 gallons
- Draft of the watercraft must be approximately 7"
- Watercraft is to hold no more than 10 persons
- Watercraft is to come equipped with automatic anchoring and one power pole
- Watercraft is to be furnished with electronic equipment including GPS with built-in depth finder, trim tabs, Vhf radio, horn, public address system, and navigation lights
- Watercraft is to have a fiberglass hull
- Watercraft is to come with a trailer that is suited to fit the vessel.
- Watercraft is to have a center console with aluminum T-top with storage.
- Watercraft is to have all safety features per OSHA regulations

This is a best value source selection conducted in accordance with the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 15.101-2(a). Award will be made on the basis of the lowest evaluated price of quotes meeting or exceeding the acceptability standards for non-cost factors that represents the Best Value – Lowest Price Technically Acceptable (LPTA) offer. The government will evaluate information based on the following evaluation criteria:

- (1) *Price*
- (2) *Technical and Equipment Specifications*
- (3) *Service Provider*

**Technical and Equipment Specifications, and Service Provider when combined, are approximately equal to cost or price.**

**Technical Capability:** Written confirmation that company specializes in, or has sufficient documented direct experience in, providing all labor, material, tools, supervision and travel necessary to provide the product/equipment outlined, and in accordance with the attached technical specifications. Technical factor shall be evaluated on an acceptable/unacceptable basis (See table below).

**TECHNICAL CAPABILITY RATINGS:**

Technical Acceptable/Unacceptable Ratings	
Rating	Description
Acceptable	Quote clearly meets the minimum requirements of the solicitation.
Unacceptable	Quote does not clearly meet the minimum requirements of the solicitation.

**Price:** A price evaluation will be performed as described in FAR 15-404-1 to determine the reasonableness of the proposed price. Reasonableness will be determined considering other competitive prices received and comparison to the independent Government estimate. If multiple contract line items are included in the price schedule, prices will also be evaluated to determine whether any line items are unbalanced. Offerors are cautioned to distribute costs appropriately. The price submission will be evaluated but not rated.

Options. Reserved

The full text of FAR provisions or clauses may be accessed electronically at <http://acquisition.gov/comp/far/index.html>.

**The following solicitation provisions apply to this acquisition:**

1. FAR 52.212-1, "Instructions to Offerors–Commercial Items" (Nov 2021)
2. FAR 52.212-2, "Evaluation – Commercial Items" (Nov 2021)
3. FAR 52.212-3, "Offerors Representations and Certifications–Commercial Items" (Dec 2022)
4. FAR 52.217-5, "Evaluation of Options: (Jul 1990)

Offerors must complete annual representations and certifications on-line at <http://orca.bpn.gov> in accordance with FAR 52.212-3, "Offerors Representations and Certifications–Commercial Items." If paragraph (j) of the provision is applicable, a written submission is required.

**52.252-1 Solicitation Provisions Incorporated by Reference. (FEB 1998)**

This solicitation incorporates one or more solicitation provisions by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. The offeror is cautioned that the listed provisions may include blocks that must be completed by the offeror and submitted with its quotation or offer. In lieu of submitting the full text of those provisions, the offeror may identify the provision by paragraph identifier and provide the appropriate information with its quotation or offer. Also, the full text of a solicitation provision may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es): <http://farsite.hill.af.mil>  
(End of provision)

**52.212-2 -- Evaluation -- Commercial Items.**

As prescribed in 12.301(c), the Contracting Officer may insert a provision substantially as follows:

Evaluation -- Commercial Items (Nov 2021)

(a) The Government will award a contract resulting from this solicitation to the responsible offeror whose offer conforming to the solicitation will be most advantageous to the Government, price and other factors considered. The following factors shall be used to evaluate offers:

- *Price*
- *Technical and Equipment Specifications*
- *Service Provider*

Technical and past performance, when combined, are approximately equal to cost or price.

(b) Options. Reserved

(c) A written notice of award or acceptance of an offer, mailed or otherwise furnished to the successful offeror within the time for acceptance specified in the offer, shall result in a binding contract without further action by either party. Before the offer's specified expiration time, the Government may accept an offer (or part of an offer), whether or not there are negotiations after its receipt, unless a written notice of withdrawal is received before award.

(End of Provision)

## **52.217-5 -- Evaluation of Options.**

As prescribed in 17.208(c), insert a provision substantially the same as the following:

Evaluation of Options (Jul 1990)

Except when it is determined in accordance with FAR 17.206(b) not to be in the Government's best interests, the Government will evaluate offers for award purposes by adding the total price for all options to the total price for the basic requirement. Evaluation of options will not obligate the Government to exercise the option(s).

(End of Provision)

### **The following contract clauses apply to this acquisition:**

- FAR 52.212-4, "Contract Terms and Conditions—Commercial Items" (Nov 2021)
- FAR 52.212-5, "Contract Terms and Conditions Required to Implement Statutes or Executive Orders" (Nov 2021)

### **The following subparagraphs of FAR 52.212-5 are applicable:**

   (6) 52.204-14, Service Contract Reporting Requirements (Oct 2016) (Pub. L. 111-117, section 743 of Div. C).

   (14)(i) 52.219-6, Notice of Total Small Business Set-Aside (Nov 2011) (15 U.S.C. 644).

   (16) 52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns (Oct 2018) (15 U.S.C. 637(d)(2) and (3)).

X (25) 52.222-3, Convict Labor (June 2003) (E.O. 11755).

X (26) 52.222-19, Child Labor—Cooperation with Authorities and Remedies (Jan 2018) (E.O. 13126).

X (27) 52.222-21, Prohibition of Segregated Facilities (Apr 2015).

(28)(i) 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (Sept 2016) (E.O. 11246).

(ii) Alternate I (Feb 1999) of 52.222-26.

(29)(i) 52.222-35, Equal Opportunity for Veterans (Oct 2015) (38 U.S.C. 4212).

(ii) Alternate I (July 2014) of 52.222-35.

(30)(i) 52.222-36, Equal Opportunity for Workers with Disabilities (July 2014) (29 U.S.C. 793).

(ii) Alternate I (July 2014) of 52.222-36.

X (31) 52.222-37, Employment Reports on Veterans (Feb 2016) (38 U.S.C. 4212).

X (33)(i) 52.222-50, Combating Trafficking in Persons (Mar 2015) (22 U.S.C. chapter 78 and E.O. 13627).

X (42) 52.223-18, Encouraging Contractor Policies to Ban Text Messaging While Driving (Aug 2011) (E.O. 13513).

X (43) 52.223-20, Aerosols (Jun 2016) (E.O. 13693).

X (46) 52.225-1, Buy American—Supplies (May 2014) (41 U.S.C. chapter 83).

X (57) 52.232-36, Payment by Third Party (May 2014) (31 U.S.C. 3332).

   (2) 52.222-41, Service Contract Labor Standards (Aug 2018) (41 U.S.C. chapter 67).

X (3) 52.222-42, Statement of Equivalent Rates for Federal Hires (May 2014) (29 U.S.C. 206 and 41 U.S.C. chapter 67).

### **52.219-1 -- Small Business Program Representations.**

As prescribed in 19.309(a)(1), insert the following provision:

Small Business Program Representations (Sep 2021)

(a) Definitions. As used in this provision--

“Economically disadvantaged women-owned small business (EDWOSB) concern” means a small business concern that is at least 51 percent directly and unconditionally owned by, and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by, one or more women who are citizens of the United States and who are economically disadvantaged in accordance with 13 CFR part 127. It automatically qualifies as a women-owned small business concern eligible under the WOSB Program.

“Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern”--

(1) Means a small business concern--

(i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and

(ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of a service-disabled veteran with permanent and severe disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.

(2) “Service-disabled veteran” means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).

“Small business concern” means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and the size standard in paragraph (b) of this provision.

“Small disadvantaged business concern, consistent with 13 CFR 124.1002,” means a small business concern under the size standard applicable to the acquisition, that--

(1) Is at least 51 percent unconditionally and directly owned (as defined at 13 CFR 124.105) by--

(i) One or more socially disadvantaged (as defined at 13 CFR 124.103) and economically disadvantaged (as defined at 13 CFR 124.104) individuals who are citizens of the United States, and

(ii) Each individual claiming economic disadvantage has a net worth not exceeding \$750,000 after taking into account the applicable exclusions set forth at 13 CFR 124.104(c)(2); and

(2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled (as defined at 13 CFR 124.106) by individuals who meet the criteria in paragraphs (1)(i) and (ii) of this definition.

“Veteran-owned small business concern” means a small business concern--

(1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veterans (as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and

(2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.

“Women-owned small business concern” means a small business concern--

(1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and

(2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

“Women-owned small business (WOSB) concern eligible under the WOSB Program (in accordance with 13 CFR part 127),” means a small business concern that is at least 51 percent directly and unconditionally owned by, and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by, one or more women who are citizens of the United States.

(b)

(1) The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code for this acquisition is \_\_\_\_\_ [insert NAICS code].

(2) The small business size standard is \_\_\_\_\_ [insert size standard].

(3) The small business size standard for a concern which submits an offer in its own name, other than on a construction or service contract, but which proposes to furnish a product which it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.

(c) Representations.

(1) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it ☐ is, ☐ is not a small business concern.

(2) [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents that it ☐ is, ☐ is not, a small disadvantaged business concern as defined in 13 CFR 124.1002.



(3) [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents as part of its offer that it ☐ is, ☐ is not a women-owned small business concern.

(4) Women-owned small business (WOSB) concern eligible under the WOSB Program. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a women-owned small business concern in paragraph (c)(3) of this provision.] The offeror represents as part of its offer that—

(i) It ☐ is, ☐ is not a WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program, has provided all the required documents to the WOSB Repository, and no change in circumstances or adverse decisions have been issued that affects its eligibility; and

(ii) It ☐ is, ☐ is not a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 127, and the representation in paragraph (c)(4)(i) of this provision is accurate for each WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program participating in the joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the name or names of the WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program and other small businesses that are participating in the joint venture: \_\_\_\_\_.] Each WOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the WOSB representation.

(5) Economically disadvantaged women-owned small business (EDWOSB) concern. [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a women-owned small business concern eligible under the WOSB Program in (c)(4) of this provision.] The offeror represents as part of its offer that--

(i) It ☐ is, ☐ is not an EDWOSB concern eligible under the WOSB Program, has provided all the required documents to the WOSB Repository, and no change in circumstances or adverse decisions have been issued that affects its eligibility; and

(ii) It ☐ is, ☐ is not a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 127, and the representation in paragraph (c)(5)(i) of this provision is accurate for each EDWOSB concern participating in the joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the name or names of the EDWOSB concern and other small businesses that are participating in the joint venture: \_\_\_\_\_.] Each EDWOSB concern participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the EDWOSB representation.

(6) [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents as part of its offer that it ☐ is, ☐ is not a veteran-owned small business concern.

(7) [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a veteran-owned small business concern in paragraph (c)(6) of this provision.] The offeror represents as part of its offer that is ☐ is, ☐ is not a service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern.

(8) [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that –

(i) It ☐ is, ☐ is not a HUBZone small business concern listed, on the date of this representation, on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business Concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration, and no material changes in ownership and control, principal office, or HUBZone employee percentage have occurred since it was certified in accordance with 13 CFR part 126; and

(ii) It ☐ is, ☐ is not a HUBZone joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 126, and the representation in paragraph (c)(8)(i) of this provision is accurate for each HUBZone small

business concern participating in the HUBZone joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the names of each of the HUBZone small business concerns participating in the HUBZone joint venture: \_\_\_\_\_.] Each HUBZone small business concern participating in the HUBZone joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the HUBZone representation.

(d) Notice.

(1) If this solicitation is for supplies and has been set aside, in whole or in part, for small business concerns, then the clause in this solicitation providing notice of the set-aside contains restrictions on the source of the end items to be furnished.

(2) Under 15 U.S.C. 645(d), any person who misrepresents a firm's status as a business concern that is small, HUBZone small, small disadvantaged, service-disabled veteran-owned small, economically disadvantaged women-owned small, or women-owned small eligible under the WOSB Program in order to obtain a contract to be awarded under the preference programs established pursuant to section 8, 9, 15, 31, and 36 of the Small Business Act or any other provision of Federal law that specifically references section 8(d) for a definition of program eligibility, shall --

(i) Be punished by imposition of fine, imprisonment, or both;

(ii) Be subject to administrative remedies, including suspension and debarment; and

(iii) Be ineligible for participation in programs conducted under the authority of the Act.  
(End of Provision)

#### **52.232-19 Availability of Funds for the Next Fiscal Year (APR 1984)**

Funds are not presently available for performance under this contract beyond 30 August 2023. The Government's obligation for performance of this contract beyond that date is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payment for contract purposes can be made. No legal liability on the part of the Government for any payment may arise for performance under this contract beyond 30 August 2023, until funds are made available to the Contracting Officer for performance and until the Contractor receives notice of availability, to be confirmed in writing by the Contracting Officer.  
(End of clause)

#### **52.237-2 Protection of Government Buildings, Equipment, and Vegetation (APR 1984)**

The Contractor shall use reasonable care to avoid damaging existing buildings, equipment, and vegetation on the Government installation. If the Contractor's failure to use reasonable care causes damage to any of this property, the Contractor shall replace or repair the damage at no expense to the Government as the Contracting Officer directs. If the Contractor fails or refuses to make such repair or replacement, the Contractor shall be liable for the cost, which may be deducted from the contract price.  
(End of clause)

#### **52.252-2 Clauses Incorporated by Reference (FEB 1998)**

This contract incorporates one or more clauses by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es): <http://farsite.hill.af.mil>  
(End of clause)

## 52.252-6 -- Authorized Deviations in Clauses (Nov 2020)

As prescribed in [52.107\(f\)](#), insert the following clause in solicitations and contracts that include any FAR or supplemental clause with an authorized deviation. Whenever any FAR or supplemental clause is used with an authorized deviation, the contracting officer shall identify it by the same number, title, and date assigned to the clause when it is used without deviation, include regulation name for any supplemental clause, except that the contracting officer shall insert “(Deviation)” after the date of the clause.

(a) The use in this solicitation or contract of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of “(DEVIATION)” after the date of the clause.

(b) The use in this solicitation or contract of any National Park Service. (48 CFR \_\_\_\_\_) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of “(DEVIATION)” after the name of the regulation.

## LOC-DOI ELECTRONIC INVOICING - Electronic Invoicing and Payment Requirements - Invoice Processing Platform (IPP) (April 2013)

Payment requests must be submitted electronically through the U. S. Department of the Treasury's Invoice Processing Platform System (IPP).

"Payment request" means any request for contract financing payment or invoice payment by the Contractor. To constitute a proper invoice, the payment request must comply with the requirements identified in the applicable Prompt Payment clause included in the contract, or the clause 52.212-4 Contract Terms and Conditions - Commercial Items included in commercial item contracts. The IPP website address is: <https://www.ipp.gov>.

Under this contract, the following documents are required to be submitted as an attachment to the IPP invoice [CO to edit and include the documentation required under this contract]: **Contractor's invoice**

The Contractor must use the IPP website to register access and use IPP for submitting requests for payment. The Contractor Government Business Point of Contact (as listed in SAM will receive enrollment instructions via email from the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston (FRBB) within 3 - 5 business days of the contract award date. Contractor assistance with enrollment can be obtained by contacting the IPP Production Helpdesk via email [ippgroup@bos.frb.org](mailto:ippgroup@bos.frb.org) or phone (866) 973-3131.

If the Contractor is unable to comply with the requirement to use IPP for submitting invoices for payment, the Contractor must submit a waiver request in writing to the Contracting Officer with its quote or quotation.

(End of Local Clause)

## LOC-DOI AGENCY PROTESTS - Agency Protests

Insert the provision in all solicitations

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Agency Protests

(a) Interested parties may request an independent review at a level above the Contracting Officer of protests filed directly with the agency. This review is available as an alternative to consideration of the protest by the Contracting Officer or as an appeal of the Contracting Officer's response to the protest. An interested party may:

- (1) Protest to the Contracting Officer;
- (2) Protest directly to the Bureau Procurement Chief without first protesting to the Contracting Officer; or
- (3) Appeal a contracting officer's decision to the Bureau Procurement Chief.
- (4) Requests for Bureau Procurement Chief review should be addressed to:

Edward Dingle, Jr.  
National Park Service  
Interior Region 2  
100 SW Alabama St.  
Atlanta, GA 30303  
Email: [edward\\_dingle@nps.gov](mailto:edward_dingle@nps.gov)

(c) Requesting independent agency review will not extend the Government Accountability Office's (GAO's) timeliness requirements. Any subsequent protest.

**All offerors shall submit the following:**

- 1. One (1) completed and signed copy of Standard Form 18 (SF 18)***
- 2. One (1) copy of company's capability statement with Technical and Equipment Specifications of equipment being offered***
- 3. One (1) copy of company's Service Provider information and plan for equipment service and maintenance***

**All offerors shall be sent electronically via e-mail to:**

[edward\\_dingle@nps.gov](mailto:edward_dingle@nps.gov)

This is an open-market combined synopsis/solicitation for *services* as defined herein. The government intends to award a *contract* as a result of this combined synopsis/solicitation that will include the terms and conditions set forth herein. To facilitate the award process, all *quotes* must include a statement regarding the terms and conditions herein as follows:

"The terms and conditions in the solicitation are acceptable to be included in the award document without modification, deletion, or addition."

OR

"The terms and conditions in the solicitation are acceptable to be included in the award document with the exception, deletion, or addition of the following: *offeror*, shall list exception(s) and rationale for the exception(s).

Submission of offerors shall be received not later than **1:00pm Eastern Standard Time (EST) 27 January 2027** at [edward\\_dingle@nps.gov](mailto:edward_dingle@nps.gov). Faxed or hand delivered submissions will not be accepted as part of this solicitation. Late submissions shall be treated in accordance with the solicitation provision at FAR 52.212-1(f). Electronic (e-mailed) offers will be the only form of quote submission accepted for this solicitation. **Offerors must acknowledge all amendments to the solicitation in accordance with block 11 of standard form 30 (SF30). Failure to acknowledge amendment shall render an offerors quote non-responsive.**

Any questions or concerns regarding this solicitation should be forwarded in writing no later than 10:00am EST 23 January 2023 via e-mail to:

**Point of Contact:**

Edward Dingle

[edward\\_dingle@nps.gov](mailto:edward_dingle@nps.gov)