

SOURCES SOUGHT NOTICE

This is a SOURCES SOUGHT NOTICE / REQUEST FOR INFORMATION (RFI); not a pre-solicitation notice or solicitation for proposals/quotations. Pursuant to FAR Part 10 (Market Research), the purpose of this notice is to: (1) determine if sources capable of satisfying the agency's requirements exists, (2) determine if commercial items suitable to meet the agency's needs are available or could be modified to meet the agency's requirements, and (3) determine the commercial practices of companies engaged in providing the needed service or supply. Pursuant to FAR Part 6 and FAR Part 19, competition and set-aside decisions may be based on the results of this market research. This notice in no way obligates the Government to any further action. Not responding to this RFI does not preclude participation in any future solicitation, if any is issued.

Requirement: This notice is issued by the U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters Contract Operations (CG-912), Washington, DC, to identify sources capable of providing Training Vessel Support Services for Aviation Training Center (ATC) Mobile, Alabama. The period of performance is anticipated to be for 60 months of service (one base year and four one-year options). A Draft of the Statement of Work (SOW) is attached to this Sources Sought Notice. The Draft SOW is subject to revisions at the sole discretion of the Government. Interested parties are expected to review this Notice and the Draft SOW to familiarize themselves with the requirement.

Requirement: This Notice is issued to identify sources capable of providing the following:

Anticipated NAICS Code/Size Standard: The applicable North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code is 488390, for Other Support Activities for Water Transportation, with a size standard of \$47 million.

Submission of Information: Companies having capabilities necessary to meet or exceed the stated requirements are invited to provide information to contribute to this market survey/sources sought notice including a capability statement, commercial market information, and company information. Companies may respond to this Sources Sought Notice via e-mail to Barbara.A.Reithmaier@uscg.mil no later than **May 02, 2023 at 01:00 PM, Eastern** with the following information/documentation:

1. Name of Company, Address, and Unique Entity ID (UEI) Number.
2. Name of Point of Contact, E-mail Address, and Phone Number.
3. Business size(s) applicable to NAICS Code 488390 / Size Standard \$47M (from the list below, specify all that apply to your company):
 - 8(a) Small Business
 - SBA-Certified HUBZone Small Business (HUBZone)
 - Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB)
 - Economically Disadvantaged Women-Owned Small Business (EDWOSB)
 - Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB)
 - Small Business (SB)
 - Large Business (LB)
4. Capability Statement.
5. Corporate affiliations, potential joint venture partners, teaming partners, and/or major subcontractor information must be provided with your information.

6. Commercial market information and practices applicable to this service.

SAM Registration: Interested parties should register in the **System for Award Management (SAM)**, formerly known as CCR. Information on SAM registration can be obtained at <https://www.sam.gov>. Please contact SAM Customer Service at (866) 606-8220 regarding questions/problems about SAM registration.

Disclaimer and Important Notes: This Sources Sought Notice is for market research purposes only and does not constitute a Request for Proposal/Quotation, and it is not considered to be a commitment by the Government to award a contract nor will the Government pay for any information provided. No basis for claim against the Government shall arise as a result from a response to this Sources Sought Notice or Government use of any information provided. Failure to submit information in sufficient detail may result in considering a company as not a viable source and may influence competition and set-aside decisions. Regardless of the information obtained from this Sources Sought Notice, the Government reserves the right to consider any arrangement as deemed appropriate for this requirement. Respondents are advised that the Government is under no obligation to acknowledge receipt of the information received or provide feedback to respondents with respect to any information submitted.

No proprietary, classified, confidential, or sensitive information should be included in your response to this Sources Sought Notice. The Government reserves the right to use any information provided by respondents for any purpose deemed necessary and legally appropriate, including using technical information provided by respondents in any resultant solicitation.

At this time no solicitation exists; therefore, **DO NOT REQUEST A COPY OF THE SOLICITATION**. It is the responsibility of interested parties to monitor SAM.GOV for any future solicitation. Responses to this Sources Sought Notice will not be considered adequate responses to any resultant solicitation.