

## Sources Sought Template:

(1) Action Code : SOURCES SOUGHT

This is a Sources Sought Notice only. This is not a request for proposal, but a survey to locate potential sources. This Sources Sought does not constitute an Invitation for Bids, Request for Proposals, or a Request for Quotations, and is not to be construed as a commitment by the Government to issue an order or otherwise pay for the information solicited, nor is it a guarantee of a forthcoming solicitation or contract. It is for market research purposes only. Respondents will not be notified of the results of the evaluation.

The purpose of this Sources Sought Notice is to gain knowledge of interest, capabilities, and qualifications of various members of industry, to include the Small Business Community: Small Business, Section 8(a), Historically Underutilized Business Zones (HUB-Zone), Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB), Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB), and Economically Disadvantaged Women-Owned Small Business (EDWOSB). The Government must ensure there is adequate competition among the potential pool of responsible contractors. Small business, Section 8(a), HUBZone, SDVOSB, WOSB, & EDWOSB businesses are highly encouraged to participate.

(2) Date : 8/21/2023

(3) Classification Code : 9640

(4) NAICS Code : 331110

(5) NAICS Size Standard: 1,500 employees.

(6) Contracting Office Address: 2800 Powder Mill Road  
Bldg. 601  
Adelphi, Maryland 20783

(7) Subject: Sources Sought for bulk metal materials

(8) Proposed Solicitation Number: W911QX-23-Q-0211

(9) Sources Sought Closing Response Date: Five (5) business days after posting.

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A. Objective:

To find sources that are qualified to meet the supplies/services as listed in section 11B. Note that the specific requirements in section C are subject to change prior to the release of any solicitation.

B. The Contactor shall provide the following types, quantities, and sizes of the below mentioned bulk metal materials:

Steel Alloy 1018

| Order Qty | Description              | Width | Length | Weight   |
|-----------|--------------------------|-------|--------|----------|
| 10        | 1/4 Cold Rolled Round    |       | 144"   | 20.00    |
| 10        | 1/2 Cold Rolled Round    |       | 144"   | 80.00    |
| 10        | 3/4 Cold Rolled Round    |       | 144"   | 180.00   |
| 10        | 1 Cold Rolled Round      |       | 144"   | 320.00   |
| 10        | 1-1/4 Cold Rolled Round  |       | 144"   | 500.00   |
| 10        | 1-1/2 Cold Rolled Round  |       | 144"   | 721.00   |
| 10        | 1-3/4 Cold Rolled Round  |       | 144"   | 982.00   |
| 5         | 2 Cold Rolled Round      |       | 144"   | 638.00   |
| 5         | 2-1/4 Cold Rolled Round  |       | 144"   | 811.00   |
| 5         | 2-1/2 Cold Rolled Round  |       | 144"   | 1,001.00 |
| 5         | 2-3/4 Cold Rolled Round  |       | 144"   | 1,212.00 |
| 1         | 3 Cold Rolled Round      |       | 144"   | 288.00   |
| 1         | 3-1/4 Cold Rolled Round  |       | 144"   | 339.00   |
| 1         | 3-1/2 Cold Rolled Round  |       | 144"   | 393.00   |
| 1         | 3-3/4 Cold Rolled Round  |       | 144"   | 451.00   |
| 1         | 4 Cold Rolled Round      |       | 144"   | 513.00   |
| 5         | 1/2 X 2 Cold Rolled Flat |       | 144"   | 204.00   |
| 10        | 1/2 X 1 Cold Rolled Flat |       | 144"   | 204.00   |
| 10        | 3/4 X 1 Cold Rolled Flat |       | 144"   | 306.00   |
| 5         | 3/4 X 2 Cold Rolled Flat |       | 144"   | 306.00   |
| 5         | 1/2 Hot Rolled Plate     | 48"   | 96"    | 3,267.00 |
| 3         | 3/4 Hot Rolled Plate     | 48"   | 96"    | 2,940.00 |
| 2         | 1 Hot Rolled Plate       | 48"   | 96"    | 2,614.00 |

Steel 12L14

| Order Qty | Description           | Width | Length | Weight |
|-----------|-----------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| 10        | 1/4 Cold Rolled Round |       | 144"   | 20.00  |
| 10        | 1/2 Cold Rolled Round |       | 144"   | 80.00  |

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|----|-------------------------|--|------|----------|
| 10 | 3/4 Cold Rolled Round   |  | 144" | 180.00   |
| 10 | 1 Cold Rolled Round     |  | 144" | 320.00   |
| 10 | 1-1/4 Cold Rolled Round |  | 144" | 500.00   |
| 10 | 1-1/2 Cold Rolled Round |  | 144" | 721.00   |
| 10 | 1-3/4 Cold Rolled Round |  | 144" | 982.00   |
| 5  | 2 Cold Rolled Round     |  | 144" | 638.00   |
| 5  | 2-1/4 Cold Rolled Round |  | 144" | 811.00   |
| 5  | 2-1/2 Cold Rolled Round |  | 144" | 1,001.00 |
| 5  | 2-3/4 Cold Rolled Round |  | 144" | 1,212.00 |
| 1  | 3 Cold Rolled Round     |  | 144" | 288.00   |
| 1  | 3-1/4 Cold Rolled Round |  | 144" | 339.00   |
| 1  | 3-1/2 Cold Rolled Round |  | 144" | 393.00   |
| 1  | 3-3/4 Cold Rolled Round |  | 144" | 451.00   |
| 1  | 4 Cold Rolled Round     |  | 144" | 513.00   |

#### Aluminum 7075

| Order Qty | Description                    | Width | Length | Weight |
|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| 10        | 1/4 Aluminum Round             |       | 144"   | 7.00   |
| 10        | 1/2 Aluminum Round             |       | 144"   | 29.00  |
| 10        | 3/4 Aluminum Round             |       | 144"   | 62.00  |
| 10        | 1 Aluminum Round               |       | 144"   | 113.00 |
| 10        | 1-1/4 Aluminum Round           |       | 144"   | 180.00 |
| 10        | 1-1/2 Aluminum Round           |       | 144"   | 249.00 |
| 10        | 1-3/4 Aluminum Round           |       | 144"   | 350.00 |
| 5         | 2 Aluminum Round               |       | 144"   | 228.00 |
| 5         | 2-1/4 Aluminum Round           |       | 144"   | 286.00 |
| 5         | 2-1/2 Aluminum Round           |       | 144"   | 353.00 |
| 5         | 2-3/4 Aluminum Round           |       | 144"   | 419.00 |
| 1         | 3 Aluminum Round Cold Finished |       | 144"   | 103.00 |
| 1         | 3-1/4 Aluminum Round           |       | 144"   | 121.00 |
| 1         | 3-1/2 Aluminum Round           |       | 144"   | 136.00 |
| 1         | 3.75 Dia. x                    |       | 144"   | 1.00   |
| 1         | 4 Aluminum Round               |       | 144"   | 177.00 |
| 5         | Flat Bars - 1/2" X 2.00" X     |       | 144"   | 5.00   |
| 5         | Flat Bars - 1/2" X 1.00" X     |       | 144"   | 5.00   |
| 5         | Flat Bars - 3/4" X 1.00" X     |       | 144"   | 5.00   |
| 5         | Flat Bars - 3/4" X 2.00" X     |       | 144"   | 5.00   |
| 1         | 1/2 Aluminum Plate             | 48.5" | 48"    | 115.00 |
| 1         | 3/4 Aluminum Plate             | 48.5" | 48"    | 177.00 |
| 1         | 1 Aluminum Plate               | 48.5" | 48"    | 245.00 |

### Stainless Steel 17-4

| Order Qty | Description                 | Width | Length | Weight  |
|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|--------|---------|
| 10        | 1/4 Stainless Steel Round   |       | 144"   | 20.00   |
| 10        | 1/2 Stainless Steel Round   |       | 144"   | 80.00   |
| 10        | 3/4 Stainless Steel Round   |       | 144"   | 180.00  |
| 10        | 1 Stainless Steel Round     |       | 144"   | 321.00  |
| 10        | 1-1/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 501.00  |
| 10        | 1-1/2 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 722.00  |
| 10        | 1-3/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 982.00  |
| 5         | 2 Stainless Steel Round     |       | 144"   | 641.00  |
| 5         | 2-1/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 812.00  |
| 5         | 2-1/2 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 1003.00 |
| 5         | 2-3/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 1213.00 |
| 1         | 3 Stainless Steel Round     |       | 144"   | 289.00  |
| 1         | 3-1/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 339.00  |
| 1         | 3-1/2 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 393.00  |
| 1         | 3-3/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 451.00  |
| 1         | 4 Stainless Steel Round     |       | 144"   | 529.00  |
| 209       | Flat Bars - 1/2" X 2.00" X  |       | 144"   | 209.00  |
| 155       | Flat Bars - 1/2" X 2.00" X  |       | 144"   | 155.00  |
| 157       | Flat Bars - 3/4" X 1.00" X  |       | 144"   | 157.00  |
| 314       | Flat Bars - 3/4" X 1.00" X  |       | 144"   | 314.00  |

### Stainless Steel 316

| Order Qty | Description                 | Width | Length | Weight    |
|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|--------|-----------|
| 10        | 1/4 Stainless Steel Round   |       | 144"   | 20.00     |
| 10        | 1/2 Stainless Steel Round   |       | 144"   | 80.00     |
| 10        | 3/4 Stainless Steel Round   |       | 144"   | 180.00    |
| 10        | 1 Stainless Steel Round     |       | 144"   | 321.00    |
| 10        | 1-1/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 501.00    |
| 10        | 1-1/2 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 722.00    |
| 10        | 1-3/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 982.00    |
| 5         | 2 Stainless Steel Round     |       | 144"   | 641.00    |
| 5         | 2-1/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 812.00    |
| 80        | 2-1/2 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 16,042.00 |
| 5         | 2-3/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 1,213.00  |
| 1         | 3 Stainless Steel Round     |       | 144"   | 289.00    |
| 1         | 3-1/4 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 339.00    |
| 1         | 3-1/2 Stainless Steel Round |       | 144"   | 393.00    |

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|---|-----------------------------|--|------|--------|
| 1 | 3-3/4 Stainless Steel Round |  | 144" | 451.00 |
| 1 | 4 Stainless Steel Round     |  | 144" | 529.00 |

The Contractor shall deliver the product to the following location no later than (NLT) 28 weeks After Receipt of Order (ARO), and delivery is to US ARMY RESEARCH LABORATORY Bldg 321 Shipping/Receiving Area 6375 Johnson Road Aberdeen Proving Ground, Aberdeen, MD 21005.

### C. Responses:

All interested parties should notify this office via e-mail within the posted date. Responses shall include:

- (I) To what extent each of the specifications can be met.
  - (II) Include your type of business (i.e. commercial, academia), whether your organization is classified as a large or small business based on the 1,500 employees standard that accompanies NAICS code 331110. If a small business, you must also list any small, disadvantaged status you hold [HUBZone, 8(a), Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business (SDVOSB), Women Owned Small Business (WOSB), Economically Disadvantaged Women-Owned Small Business (EDWOSB), etc.].
  - (III) Past experience/ performance through the description of completed projects.
  - (IV) Please state if the contractor is authorized reseller, manufacturer, or third party reseller.
- (12) Responses to this source sought are due no later than 11:59AM eastern standard time five (5) business days after posting. Submissions should be emailed to Zachary Dowling at Zachary.a.dowling2.civ@army.mil.

Questions concerning this source sought may be directed to Zachary Dowling at Zachary.a.dowling2.civ@army.mil. Please be advised that .zip and .exe files **cannot** be accepted.

- (13) Place of Contract Performance: US ARMY RESEARCH LABORATORY Bldg 321 Shipping/Receiving Area 6375 Johnson Road Aberdeen Proving Ground, Aberdeen, MD 21005.

(14) Estimated Delivery Timeframe or Period of Performance: The Contractor shall deliver the product to the following location no later than (NLT) 28 weeks After Receipt of Order (ARO).

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