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SOLICITATION AMENDMENT MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise
indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation
remain the same.

Ce document est par la présente révisé; sauf indication contraire,
les modalités de l'invitation demeurent les mêmes.

Comments - Commentaires

This procurement is subject to the following
Comprehensive Land Claims Agreement(s):
Agreement Between the Inuit of the Nunavut
Settlement Area and Her Majesty the Queen in Right
of Canada (Inuit of Nunavut Land Claim Agreement
- July 9, 1993).

Vendor/Firm Name and Address

Raison sociale et adresse du
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Title - Sujet Fabric Structure/Shelter	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation ET025-190175/A	Amendment No. - N° modif. 001
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client PSPC ET025-190175	Date 2018-06-12
GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG PW-\$WPG-119-10555	
File No. - N° de dossier WPG-8-41028 (119)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2018-07-09	Time Zone Fuseau horaire Central Daylight Saving Time CDT
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Plant-Usine: <input type="checkbox"/> Destination: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other-Autre: <input type="checkbox"/>	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Zdan, Tyler	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur wpg119
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (204) 509-5743 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX (204) 983-7796
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction:	

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

Delivery Required - Livraison exigée	Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée
Vendor/Firm Name and Address Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur	
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur	
Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm (type or print) Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)	
Signature	Date

This amendment, No. 001, is raised to respond to questions and amend solicitation ET025-190175/A, as follows:

Note: Some of the specifications have been revised.

Instruction: See the revised Compliance Matrix provided within this amendment.

Questions and Answers

Question 1: The above noted Request for Proposal specifies that the frame must be made of steel, aluminum or other time proven materials. Given that the performance properties must meet or exceed the performance of those identified materials in wind loads or snow loads, the inherent and significant advantages of the product for air cartage, and that the technology has been employed for nearly seventy years, does Canada accept the use of an air beam support structure for this solicitation?

Response 1: See addendum for additional requirements. As long as all the mandatory solicitation requirements are met, Canada would not exclude any product.

Question 2: For our structures, we need a concrete foundation to erect the structure on it. Is a concrete plant available near the job site to pour a concrete foundation?

Response 2: See addendum for additional requirements. The Hamlet of Cambridge Bay has a reasonable level of resources. The vendor is to make all arrangements with sub-contractor(s), if required, for the installation as Canada cannot validate vendor requirements. Jim MacEachern is the Assistant Senior Administrative Officer with the Hamlet of Cambridge Bay and can be contacted for assistance with introductions for local contractors. Direct: 867-983-4565; Mobile: 867-983-5203; Email: jmaceachern@cambridgebay.ca

ANNEX A

REQUIREMENT

Background

Department : The Canadian High Arctic Research Station (CHARS) campus, currently under construction in Cambridge Bay, Nunavut, will provide a year-round presence and complement the existing network of research facilities across Canada's North. Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) is leading the construction of the CHARS campus, which will be Polar Knowledge Canada's (POLAR) headquarters. The CHARS campus consists of the main research building, the field and maintenance building and two triplex accommodation buildings for visiting researchers and scientists. Supply and construction of a commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) fabric structure/shelter is required at the CHARS campus.

Reason for Tender: The COTS fabric structure/shelter is required in order to protect vehicles, boats, off-road vehicles, and other material at the CHARS Campus that does not require climate controlled storage. The shelter is to be capable of being shipped to the community by air and constructed with the resources that can be sourced within the community.

Requirement

Specific Requirement: Supply and construction of a commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) fabric structure/shelter.

Delivery Location

Street Address: Canadian High Arctic Research Station
City: Cambridge Bay
Province: Nunavut
Country: Canada
Postal Code: X0B 0C0
Other Instructions: The shelter must be capable of being shipped to the community by air and must be constructed with resources that can be sourced within the community.

Mandatory Delivery Date

Delivery Date: Construction of the shelter can commence on August 15, 2018 and must be fully completed before October 31, 2018. The gravel pad on which the shelter must be constructed will be prepared by August 15, 2018.

Compliance Matrix - Minimum Mandatory Criteria
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A complete list of the minimum mandatory performance specifications are detailed below in the "Compliance Matrix". Bidders are to clearly demonstrate compliance with each mandatory specification.

1. Bidders must show compliance by addressing each performance specification in the Compliance Matrix, whether the product offered meets ("Yes") or doesn't meet ("No").

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2. Bidders must indicate whether the product or service offered meets each performance specification by stating, "Yes," or, "No."

3. If applicable, supporting technical documentation, including but not limited to, specification sheets, technical brochures, photographs or illustrations, should be provided with the bid at solicitation close. If supporting documentation is supplied, the Bidder should include a note in the Compliance Matrix that directs the evaluator(s) to the precise location of the supporting information for the relevant criterion (e.g. "specification sheet, item 2.1." Supporting documentation should be provided directly. Bidders should refrain from referencing information not included with the bid (e.g. "See company website," or, "See p. 12 of our online brochure").

4. If Canada requests additional supporting documentation for any of the mandatory specifications, the Contracting Authority will notify the Bidder, and the Bidder will have a deadline of two (2) business days to provide the requested information. Failure to fulfil such a request could result in the bid being deemed non-compliant.

5. Bidders with questions or concerns in regards to the performance specifications can raise these with the Contracting Authority prior to the deadline outlined in the solicitation document. Such submissions should be provided in writing by emailing the Contracting Authority directly. When required, bidder questions or concerns can result in revisions or corrections to the performance specifications.

6. If the bid fails to meet any mandatory performance specification herein, the evaluator(s) will deem the bid non-compliant.

Evaluator Comments:				
Bidder Information				
Bidder Name:				
Address:				
Representative:				
Phone/Email:				
Completed by Bidder				
EXAMPLE 1	N/A	Tractor must have a minimum output of 75 HP.	Yes	Product brochure, p. 2, paragraph 3.
1	Basic Requirement	Commercial-off-the-shelf fabric structure.		
2	Physical Specifications	Must meet or exceed all applicable laws and construction standards, including but not limited to the National Building Code of Canada; National Fire Code; ASTM E84-01; CAN/ULC-S102-07; CSA S157 (Al); CSA A660 (Steel); CSA S367--12.		
3	Physical Specifications	Support structure must be made of steel, aluminum or other time-proven materials as described by CSA A660, as applicable.		
4	Physical Specifications	Must have a clear span design, no internal supports and a minimum footprint of 1300 m2 (14,000 ft2). Note: The minimum footprint will be measured where the footprint area has a minimum internal vertical clearance of 4.8 m (16 ft).		
5	Physical Specifications	Maximum outside width (including all components of the structure and foundation) must not exceed 34 m (112 ft).		

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6	Physical Specifications	Minimum inside width must be at least 21.9 m (72 ft). Note: The inside width is to be measured where there is a clear height (clear of all structure or shelter components) of a minimum of 4.8 m (16 ft).		
7	Physical Specifications	Must include two (2) insulated manual roll-up service doors, one at each end, at least 3.5m (12 ft) wide and 4.5m (15 ft) high. The manual roll-up service doors shall provide wind load protection and be constructed primarily of steel or aluminium.		
8	Physical Specifications	Must include a minimum of two (2) insulated steel heavy-industrial-use-rated personnel doors (or more if required by building codes). These doors shall include all hardware to ensure safe operation in high winds and harsh climate.		
9	Physical Specifications	Must have passive venting to reduce the likelihood of condensation.		
10	Physical Specifications	Fabric must be UV protected, and allow for natural light penetration.		
11	Physical Specifications	Exterior colour must be white or another light, neutral colour.		
12	Additional Requirements	Contractor must provide a field repair kit and a minimum four (4) hours of training on repairs to staff in Cambridge Bay, Nunavut within six (6) weeks of installation.		
13	Warranty	Must provide a five-year warranty on both the structure AND the fabric.		
14	Submissions	Within fifteen (15) days of contract award, the Contractor must provide stamped engineered drawings by a Professional Engineer(s) who is licenced with Northwest Territories and Nunavut Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists for review prior to shipping any materials to site. Drawings are to demonstrate that the shelter complete with foundation is designed to meet all codes and is suitable for the location as well as meeting size requirements. Foundation is to be designed for a minimum of five (5) year life expectancy. Temporary standard foundation design is acceptable.		
15	Additional Requirements	Minimal ongoing operations and maintenance requirements.		

Notes

1. The structure must be constructed on a gravel pad that will be prepared by the general contractor at CHARS. The gravel pad will be constructed of approximately 1,000 mm (3.3 ft) of granular material placed above permafrost.

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2. The shelter must be erected with limited local equipment at supplier's cost and coordination.
3. The community of Cambridge Bay is serviced by daily passenger flights with cargo options from Yellowknife, NWT. Cargo aircraft charters are also available.
4. A site map is attached on the final page of the RFP.
5. The intent is to relocate the shelter in approximately five (5) years.

**** ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED. ****