

Questions and Answers Nov 22nd

1. Q: "what is the anticipated term of the contract to include any possible extensions"
A: The purpose of this RFI is to find an optimal period of time for the contract through collaboration with industry. The expectation is that any contract will be between 8 and 15 years (including option periods) in order to maximize efficiencies. The period of the current contract is 10 years inclusive of option periods.
2. Q: "what is the anticipated value of the contract?"
A: The current contract is for \$80,019,729.30 over a period of 8 years.
3. Q: "Is a copy of the last RFP available?"
A: While a copy of the previous RFP can be provided it is recommended that this be considered carefully. The current solicitation for which this RFI has been sent out will see a change in the scope of services, the terms and conditions and the overall RFP. There will be ample time provided to all potential bidders to review the Draft RFP that will be provided in the next phase of the solicitation process.
4. Q: "Will there be an industry day as well as a site visit?"
A: Yes there will be an industry day but only after the release of the draft RFP. The schedule for these activities is identified in Section 9 of the RFI. With regards to a site visit the government is considering all options however a site visit will be limited to potential bidders that are able to qualify in the initial phase of the final RFP.