

<b>AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT</b>			BPA NO.		1. CONTRACT ID CODE		PAGE 1		OF PAGES 3	
2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NUMBER A00001			3. EFFECTIVE DATE 01-19-2017		4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NUMBER			5. PROJECT NUMBER (if applicable)		
6. ISSUED BY CODE 612MCP  Department of Veterans Affairs VA Sierra Pacific Network (VISN 21) VA Northern California HealthCare System 5342 Dudley Blvd, Bldg 209 McClellan CA 95652-2609			7. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than Item 6) CODE 612MCP  Department of Veterans Affairs Department of Veterans Affairs VA Northern California HealthCare System 3230 Peacekeeper Way, Bldg. 209 McClellan CA 95652-1012							
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (Number, street, county, State and ZIP Code)  To all Offerors/Bidders					(X)	9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NUMBER VA261-17-Q-0185				
						9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11) X 01-19-2017				
						10A. MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT/ORDER NUMBER				
						10B. DATED (SEE ITEM 13)				
CODE			FACILITY CODE							
<b>11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS</b>										
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offers <input type="checkbox"/> is extended, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is not extended. Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods: (a) By completing Items 8 and 15, and returning <u>  1  </u> copies of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or electronic communication which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by letter or electronic communication, provided each letter or electronic communication makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.										
12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA (If required)										
<b>13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS, IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.</b>										
CHECK ONE	A. THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO: (Specify authority) THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.									
	B. THE ABOVE NUMBERED CONTRACT/ORDER IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) SET FORTH IN ITEM 14, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF FAR 43.103(b).									
	C. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF:									
	D. OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)									
<b>E. IMPORTANT:</b> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> is not, <input type="checkbox"/> is required to sign this document and return _____ copies to the issuing office.										
14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION (Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.)  The purpose of this amendment to address questions that have been asked from interested vendors. Please see the attached document for the responses.  The RFQ due date remains unchanged.										
Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.										
15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print)					16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print) Michael P. Hodahkwen Contracting Officer					
15B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR  _____ (Signature of person authorized to sign)			15C. DATE SIGNED		16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BY _____ (Signature of Contracting Officer)			16C. DATE SIGNED 01/19/2017		

Please clarify section 1.4 of the SOW in order provide an accurate quote. Is this 365 days in a year or does the facility lock down entirely during federal holidays rendering it 252 work days in a year?

Response: The contract is for 365 days a year including holidays.

Please provide the seniority list with the tenure (years, months) of current employees under contract so that bids can account for vacation/PTO hours that will be required under the new contract.

Response: We have the seniority list on hand and it will be provided to the successful vendor after contract award.

Please provide the current contract number in place for this requirement.

Response: VA261-13-F-0242

Is the VA Mountain View satisfied with the current contractors?

Response: Yes we very satisfied with the current contractor, however, they are a large business. We are looking to increase opportunities for veteran owned companies (SDVOSB).

Who is the current incumbent contractor?

Response: Cypress Security

What is the current price per hour/unit price?

Response: The total contract price is \$896,873.67. This contract is a firm fixed price contract with a flat monthly rate. We do not have pricing information based on hourly rate.

Was the current contract extended or is this a new solicitation?

Response: Yes the current contract is on extension and this solicitation is for the follow on contract.

Any issues with the incumbent security provider scheduling security for special events?

Response: None

Was the incumbent provider ever short staffed during the time of the contract?

Response: No

How short of a notice will you give a contractor to furnish additional security?

Response: The statement of work requires one (single) guard on duty at all times. There are no additional security requirements at this time.

If additional coverage is not provided, will there be a penalty?

Response: This is not applicable at this time.

Does the security staff 'roam' and in between roaming, is there a base to sit during patrols?

Response: Yes, during day shift hours Monday through Friday 0600 to 1800. The base to sit during patrols is located inside the front lobbies. The parking lot is also monitored.

How are daily activity reports submitted to the client?

Response: Fax

Would the city be open to a guard tracking system to keep track of activity and attendance? (at no additional cost)

Response: The VA does not currently have a guard tracking system requirement in the statement of work. However, vendors may include this in their quote if they like but it is not a requirement.

How many verbal or written reprimands were reported by staff regarding security?

Response: One

Given the current climate, are there any complaints, concerns or things that can be done to better security?

Response: None

Do you want the past performance surveys sent directly to you and do you want us to include it in our quote package?

Response: In the RFQ description on FedBizOpps under item (ix) it is stated "please provide three to five completed surveys with your quote."

Does the Combined Synopsis/Solicitation under solicitation number VA26117Q0185 contain requirements similar to a current contract?

Response: Yes we have several security contracts throughout all of the VA.

Is this a new requirement for the government?

Response: No, this is a follow on to an existing contract.