## **Basis of Award**

## Project: APX 8000 ALL BAND PORTABLE MODEL 3.5 AND APX 4000 PORTABLE MODEL 3

# A. BASIS FOR AWARD.

Award will be made to the <u>lowest priced, technically acceptable</u> responsible offeror, whose offer conforms to all stated terms, conditions, representations, certifications, and any other information required by this solicitation. Offers will be ranked by price first then evaluated for technically acceptable. If, the low priced offer is found to be technically acceptable the evaluation process stops no other offer will be evaluated. If necessary this process will be performed until there is a low priced technically acceptable offer. If no offer is technically acceptable the government will make a determination to re-solicit. Technical tradeoff <u>will not</u> be made and no additional credit will be given for exceeding the minimum requirements. In the event an offeror's proposal is determined to be unacceptable in any of these factors, the entire proposal will be considered unacceptable and the offeror will be ineligible for award.<sup>1</sup>

#### \*\*ALL factors must be rated ACCEPTABLE to be considered for award.

## **B. EVALUATION METHODOLOGY.** The award decision will be based on the following:

- 1. Registered in www.sam.gov to receive Government contracts.
- **2.** Registered in <a href="www.vip.vetbiz.gov">www.vip.vetbiz.gov</a> as a Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business (SDVOSB)
- **3.** <u>Price.</u> All line items in the Price Schedule <u>must</u> include a price. The total evaluated price will consist of the offeror's total proposed price. The Government may determine that an offer is unacceptable if the prices are significantly unbalanced. Price realism may be performed by the Contracting Officer.
- **4.** <u>Technical</u>. Name brand or equal as per salient features and characteristics outlined in section D of this solicitation. If offering "or equal" the specifications must be supplied with offer. All offers must provide a minimum of one (1) year warranty against all defects, workmanship, parts, and service.
- **Past Performance**. Must provide a minimum of two past performance experiences related to purchasing and installing units similar to the APX 8000 ALL BAND PORTABLE MODEL 3.5 and APX 4000 Portable Model 3 in this requirement. The past performance experience must include the client's POC with email and phone number. The past performance must be within the last three years.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> If the contracting officer determines that a small business' past performance is not acceptable, the matter shall be referred to the Small Business Administration for a Certificate of Competency determination, in accordance with the procedures contained in Subpart 19.6 and 15 U.S.C. 637(b)(7)).

Each factor will be scored as Acceptable or Unacceptable as defined below. Offers will be evaluated against the SOW and the stated evaluation criteria. All offers are evaluated using the same standards.

"Lowest Price, Technically Acceptable" Evaluation Standards

# **Acceptable**

ALL of the minimum acceptable criteria are clearly met by the offer. The offer meets the minimum performance and technical capability requirements defined in the solicitation.

## <u>Unacceptable</u>

Not all of the minimum acceptable criteria were met by the offer. An unacceptable offer contains one or more deficiencies that does not meet the performance and technical capability requirements defined in the solicitation.

The following table will be used for each proposal received to score each LPTA factor as to whether it is Acceptable or Unacceptable.

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| Non- Cost/Price Factors | <u>Technically</u>      |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
|                         | Acceptable/Unacceptable |
| REGISTERED IN SAM       |                         |
| REGISTERED IN VIP AS    |                         |
| SDVOSB                  |                         |
| TECHNICAL               |                         |
| PAST PERFORMANCE        |                         |
| PRICE (Not Rated)       |                         |