

**REQUEST FOR INFORMATION (RFI)
VA-251-12-B-0025**

PROJECT NUMBER:	506-11-116	Please ensure that before submitting questions or requests for clarification that you thoroughly read the solicitation, specifications, drawings and other pertinent documents. When submitting questions on this project the Government requires contractors to specifically identify the specification and/or solicitation section(s) or drawing number(s) in reference to the question or request for clarification submitted. No question or request for clarification will be answered by the Government unless the above requirements are met. Failure to comply may prevent the Government from responding in a timely manner.	
PROJECT TITLE:	Replace Fire Alarm System		
PROJECT LOCATION:	Department of Veterans Affairs Ann Arbor VA Health Care System 2215 Fuller Road Ann Arbor, MI 48105-2303		
SUBMITTED BY:	N/A	City/State:	N/A
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RFI NO.:	DATE: 5/12/2012	SPEC/DWG. REFERENCE: 28 31 00 -21
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INFORMATION NEEDED:
 Are the coded messages that play throughout the campus required to be in operation throughout the replacement of the fire alarm system?

REPLY: RFI No. 10
 The coded messages are not required to play throughout the construction period. Options exist for providing coverage during construction. The contractor is required to provide fire detection and notification at all times (or fire watch), either via bells or messages, and in accordance with NFPA requirements.

REPLY FROM: VA Engineering	DATE: 5/31/2011
ATTACHMENTS:	COPY TO: www.FBO.gov