THIS IS A SOURCES SOUGHT NOTICE. This is not a request for proposals. A solicitation will not be issued at this time. The Department of Veterans Affairs, Southern Arizona VA Health Care System (SAVAHCS), has a requirement for an Irrigation Fluid Warming System. The intent of the procurement is to award a firm-fixed price contract. The Statement of Work (SOW) defines the effort required for the purchase and delivery of the requirement to the Tucson VAMC.

The applicable NAICS code is 339112 - Surgical and medical instrument manufacturing and the size standard is 1,000 employees.

It is anticipated that a Request for Quotes (RFQ) will be issued in February of 2018. Award of a firm-fixed-price contract is contemplated by March of 2018.

This notice is published to conduct market research to determine the number of number of certified Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Businesses (SDVOSB), Veteran Owned Small Businesses (VOSB), and other small business concerns capable of performing the requirements to warrant a socioeconomic set-aside or full and open competition.

It is strongly recommended that interested parties register in the US Department of Veterans Affairs Vet Biz database and the Small Business Administration (SBA) database. Registration may be accomplished at http://www.vip.vetbiz.gov/ and www.sba.gov/, respectively.

Interested parties responding to this sources sought request shall submit the following information at a minimum:

- (1) company name and address, point of contact with phone number, and DUNS number
- (2) documentation relating to the capability of performing the work
- (3) intentions of subcontracting program to include set-asides if any
- (4) documentation showing vendor is an authorized distributor of the manufacturer or ability to provide such information prior to contract award

The response date to this Sources Sought notice is February 7, 2018 at 18:00 HRS MST. The Government will not pay any costs for responses submitted.

Send all submissions electronically to Andrew Kinh at andrew.kinh@va.gov and Tina Kennedy@va.gov.

Statement of Work

The Southern Arizona VA Health Care System located has a requirement for an endoscopic solution for gynecology, urology, and orthopedic irrigation applications.

Brand Name or Equal Purchase Description

The Department of Veterans Affairs has identified the following items as meeting the requirement.

CLIN	Description	Manufacturer	Part No.	Quantity	Unit of Measure
0001	Thermedx FluidSmart System with Canister Holding Ring	Thermedx	P2000- A1	1	EA
0002	Tubing Set - Cystoscopy, luer lock single lumen	Thermedx	HLL003	1	EA

The government will accept items equal to the above brand name provided the following salient characteristics are met:

- Fluid warming from 37°C to 40°C with
 - o no more than +3°C tolerance from set point
 - o over-temperature protection of no more than 46°C +3°C /-0°C
- Adjustable pressure settings which will allow control of distension and bleeding in the surgical cavity.
- Ability to accommodate 1-5 liter bags.
- Fluid deficit monitoring which monitors and displays fluid deficit during intraoperative procedures.
 - o fluid measurement accuracy: +/- 250 ml or +/- 10% of fluid pumped, whichever is greater.
- Automatic flow rate adjustable to provide constant pressure for even distention.
- Convenient Operation to include:
 - o ability to change fluid bags without interrupting surgical procedure
 - o print summary of procedure data
- A preferred system to that does not exceed the mechanical dimensions:
 - Height: (on stand) 55 inches

Width: 26 inchesDepth: 26 inchesWeight: 95 lbs

Place of Delivery:

Southern Arizona VA Health Care System Main Warehouse - Building 14 3601 South 6th Avenue Tucson, AZ 85723-0001

Delivery Terms:

FOB Destination

Vendor must supply all items within 30 days After Receipt of Order (ARO).

NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE OTHER THAN WHAT IS NOTED HEREIN. ALL FIRMS ARE INSTRUCTED NOT TO CALL THE INDIVIDUAL VA MEDICAL CENTERS REQUESTING MORE INFORMATION.