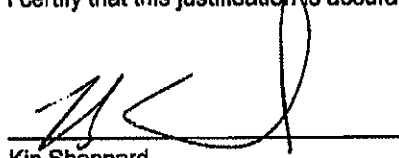


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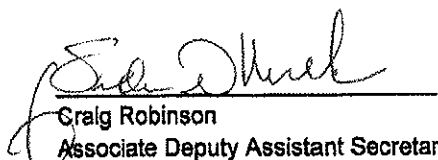
Limited Source Justification

1. Nature of Action. This is a limited source justification in accordance with FAR 8.405-6(a)(1)(i)(C). The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Denver Acquisition and Logistics Center (DALC) intends to award a non-competitive task order to Veteran's Enterprise Technology Solutions, Inc. (VETS, Inc.) against their Federal Supply Schedule (FSS) Contract GS-02F-0183X. This is being conducted under the authority of the Multiple Award Schedule Program.
2. The task order will be issued to support the VA Acquisition Academy (VAAA) by providing Curriculum Developer and Graphic Artist services. The approximate value of the task order will be \$904,730.00.
3. The authority for this action is FAR 8.405-6 (a)(1)(i)(C). The work to be performed is a logical follow-on to work currently being performed by VETS, Inc. under a Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA) awarded by VA against VETS, Inc.'s FSS contract. The BPA was placed in accordance with FSS ordering procedures.
4. The Contracting Officer has determined that this task order will represent the best value to the government, as it allows for a seamless continuation of a current curriculum development project.
5. Market research was conducted prior to the solicitation for the current BPA. Additional market research has not been conducted for the follow-on task order.
6. At the time of award of the BPA, it was anticipated that prior to the expiration of the BPA the VAAA would hire and train several government training specialists who would complete the curriculum development project started under the BPA. For that reason the period of performance on the task order was limited to twelve months. However the government positions have not been filled, and it is imperative that the VAAA be able to continue the services of VETS, Inc. in order to complete the project in a timely manner.
7. To avoid the need for future restricted acquisitions, subsequent BPAs awarded for similar services will include longer periods of performance.

I certify that this justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.


Kip Sheppard
Contracting Officer

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