

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL), intends to issue a competitive solicitation DE-SOL-0003339 as an 8(a) competitive set-aside for Site Security Services. Proposals will only be accepted from eligible 8(a) sources under Federal Acquisition Regulations (FAR) Subpart 19.8. These services will be rendered in Albany, Oregon; Morgantown, West Virginia; and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The resulting contract will be a firm fixed-price with a base performance period of two years, with one 2-year option and one 1-year option for a potential 5 year total period. The anticipated award date for the resulting contract will be in November 2012 with an effective date of February 1, 2013.

The primary functions performed under this service contract will include management and administrative oversight and labor necessary to provide physical security services for the NETL facilities in Albany, Oregon; Morgantown, West Virginia; and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Physical security shall be provided 24 hours per day. The level of effort is determined by security conditions as well as in response to short-term events such as conferences, VIP visits, and emergencies. The contractor shall provide all personnel (to include required screening, supervision, and training of those personnel), uniforms, equipment, and supplies, as necessary to perform security services. Competent, trained, uniformed security officers who meet the standards for providing private guard services in the applicable locality and state shall be provided. All required licensing for each state, to include applicable business and security requirements, shall be maintained.

The North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) code for this effort is 561612 with a small business size standard of \$18.5M. All responsible 8(a) sources may submit a proposal which shall be considered by the agency.

Solicitation DE-SOL-0003339 will be available for downloading sometime in May 2012 on FedBizOpps (<https://www.fbo.gov/>) and FedConnect (<https://www.fedconnect.net/Fedconnect/>). Once the solicitation is issued, the proposal and all questions must be submitted electronically through FedConnect. Only those questions posted to FedConnect will be accepted. You must register with FedConnect to respond as an interested party to submit questions, and to view responses to questions. Questions and answers will also be posted to the electronic reading room available at the following Web address <http://www.netl.doe.gov/business/solicitations/ssc2008/index.html>. Questions will not be answered over the phone. The Contracting Officer must receive questions regarding the RFP via FedConnect no later than ten (10) business days prior to the established due date. The Government reserves the right to not respond to any questions received after this timeframe. All responses to the solicitation questions will also be released on FedConnect referencing the quotation number, with copies of both questions and answers, without reference to the originating sources. This is an electronic solicitation therefore no hard (paper) copies of the solicitation and related documents will be made available.

Once the solicitation is posted, you will be able to find the request for proposals (RFP) by clicking on "Search Public Opportunities" and search by the RFP Number, DE-SOL-0003339. Please bookmark this page and check it frequently for updates to the RFP. It is highly recommended that once you access the opportunity that you request to be alerted for

amendments, messages, and any e-mail alerts associated with the RFP. To do so, you will need to click on the “Register to Receive Notifications” button under “What do I do now?” If someone from your company has already registered interest for this opportunity, the “Register to Receive Notifications” button will not display. Instead, you will have the option to join the response team by clicking the Join the Team button within the Response Team section.

Information regarding how to submit information via FedConnect can be found at <https://www.fedconnect.net>. Please note - FedConnect is owned and operated by Compusearch Software Systems Inc., not by the Department of Energy and DOE does not provide help desk assistance for FedConnect. For assistance with FedConnect, please contact FedConnect directly:

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