

AMENDMENT #1

**STATE PURCHASING DIVISION
OF THE
GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT
AND
NEW MEXICO ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT**

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

2015 River Stewardship Program



**RFP#
60-667-15-26882**

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Due Date: March 3, 2016

Request for Proposal #60-667-15-26882 is amended as described herein:

CHANGES ON PAGES 5, 26 and 35.

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I. INTRODUCTION

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Background Information

The 2015 Special Legislative Session appropriated funding to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) “for the restoration of rivers and streams statewide, including clearing vegetation, lowering river bank lines, replanting native species vegetation and installing erosion control measures.” This appropriation was in response to the NMED’s request to fund the River Stewardship Program in order to address a critical surface water quality need for New Mexico and to ensure that New Mexico continues to receive federal Clean Water Act funds. The state funds were appropriated in Senate Bill 0001. The reversion date for the funds is June 30, 2019, and projects must be completed prior to the reversion date.

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Additionally, funds appropriated to NMED during the 2016 legislative session for the

improvement of surface water quality and river habitat may be used to fund projects selected through this RFP. The use of such funds will be governed by the language of the appropriation.

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1. Program Alignment (See Table 1)

Points will be awarded based on the response provided to Section IV.A Proposal Narrative, specifically to Subsections IV.A.5 Project Area, IV.A.6 Problem Statement, and IV.A.8 Project Goals and Objectives, and IV.A.10 Implementation Plan and Schedule.

2. Technical Strength (See Table 1)

Points will be awarded based on the response provided to Section IV.A Proposal Narrative, specifically to Subsections IV.A.7 Planning Document, IV.A.9 Project Plan, IV.A.12 Clearances, and IV.A.15 Measures of Success.

3. Organizational Strength (See Table 1)

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