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

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

HEARING OFFICER



RFP# 21 667 1210 0005

RFP Release Date: May 10, 2021

Proposal Due Date: June 07, 2021

2. Acknowledgement of Receipt Form

Potential Offerors should hand deliver, return by facsimile or registered or certified mail or email to the Procurement Manager the "Acknowledgement of Receipt of Request for Proposals Form" that accompanies this document, APPENDIX A, to have their organization placed on the procurement distribution list. The form should be signed by an authorized representative of the organization, dated and returned to the Procurement Manager by 3:00 pm MST on May 24, 2021.

The procurement distribution list will be used for the distribution of written responses to questions. Failure to return the Acknowledgement of Receipt form shall constitute a presumption of receipt and rejection of the RFP, and the potential Offeror's organization name shall not appear on the distribution list.

3. Deadline to Submit Written Questions

Potential Offerors may submit written questions to the Procurement Manager as to the intent or clarity of this RFP until May 24, 2021 MST as indicated in the sequence of events. All written questions must be addressed to the Procurement Manager as declared in Section I, Paragraph D. Questions shall be clearly labeled and shall cite the Section(s) in the RFP or other document which form the basis of the question.

4. Response to Written Questions

Written responses to written questions will be distributed as indicated in the sequence of events to all potential Offerors whose organization name appears on the procurement distribution list. An e-mail copy will be sent to all Offeror's that provide Acknowledgement of Receipt Forms described in II.B.2 before the deadline. Additional copies will be posted to:

https://www.env.nm.gov/requests-for-proposals/

5. Submission of Proposal

ALL PROPOSALS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE PROCUREMENT MANAGER OR DESIGNEE NO LATER THAN 3:00 PM MST ON June 07, 2021. **NO LATE PROPOSAL CAN BE ACCEPTED.** For hard copy proposals, the date and time of receipt will be recorded on each proposal. If an Offeror decides to use a third-party delivery entity to submit its proposal, it is still the responsibility of the Offeror to ensure that the delivery is made on time. An Offeror should take into account all factors regarding the delivery by the third-party entity and ensure that the delivery is made prior to the stated deadline. Weather delays, traffic jams, deliveries to the incorrect address nor any other reason for a delay will be accepted for failure to make the stated deadline.