

Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS PACKAGE

(Procurement per Article 3 of AS 36.30)

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Proposed Statement of Services

Other: The purpose of this work is to obtain the services of qualified and experienced professionals to assist AIDEA in addressing the critical permitting and regulatory requirements for the Project permitting components will include but may not be limited to responsible development and impact studies, data collection, and the requirements per Authority's request.

ISSUING OFFICE

Agency Contact & Phone No	Kelly Noble, AIDEA Chief Procurement Officer (907)771-3909
Contracting Division	Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority

PROJECT

RFP NUMBER:

AIDEA25-053

Project Site (City, Village, etc.): Project Title:

State of Alaska AIDEA Staffing Services

The Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority (AIDEA), hereafter referred to as "the Authority," is seeking professional staffing services of the most qualified firm to meet its operational requirements.

It is anticipated that the Authority will award a term contract agreement with an initial three (3) years duration, with the option to extend for up to three (3) additional one (1) year periods. The Authority may issue Notices to Proceed (NTPs) to more than one contractor under this contract.

SCHEDULE & PAYMENT

Anticipated period for performance-Begin/End: June 04, 2025 to June 03, 2028 with the option for three additional one-year extensions					
Estimated amount of proposed contract:Less than \$100,000\$250,000 to \$500,000		\$100,000 to \$250,000 \$500,000 to \$1,000.000	\$1,000.000 or greater		
Proposed Method(s) of Payment:		Firm Fixed Price (FFP)	Cost Plus Fixed Fee (CPFF) nined per individual NTPs		
SUBMITTAL DEADLINE AND LOCATION OFFERORS ARE RESPONSIBLE TO ASSURE DELIVERY PRIOR TO DEADLINE (2 AAC 12.250). ONLY PROPOSALS RECEIVED PRIOR TO THE FOLLOWING DATE AND TIME WILL BE OPENED.					

DATE: Ma	ay 01, 2025,	PREVAILING TIME:	1:30	PM
HAND DELIV	VER ONLY DIRECTLY TO FOLLOW	<u>/ING LOCATION</u> (and pe	erson, i	if named):
Kelly 813 V	ka Industrial Development and Ex y Noble – AIDEA Chief Procureme W. Northern Lights Blvd. horage, AK 99503	. ,		When submitting proposals, please make sure to identify the project title and the RFP number on the outer envelope of the submittal package or email subject.
Copies of the Request for Proposal (RFP) may be downloaded (Adobe Acrobat format) from this Online Public Notice website https://aws.state.ak.us/OnlinePublicNotices/Notices .				
IMPORTANT NOTICE: If you downloaded this solicitation from the State's Website, you must self-register for the Plan Holders list to receive subsequent addenda. Failure to register may adversely affect your proposal. It is the Offeror's responsibility to ensure that				

he has received all addenda affecting this RFP.

PART

SELECTION PROCEDURE



To be registered as Plan Holder, please go to <u>www.aideaaeaprocurement.org</u> and provide the project name & number, company name & contact person, address, phone number & fax number, call 907-771-3909, fax 907-771-3044 or email <u>procurement@aidea.org</u>.

Offerors must submit proposals in one of the following ways:

1. Submit **hard copies** of their proposal, in writing, to the procurement officer in a sealed package. If there is a cost proposal requested for the solicitation, the **cost proposal** included with the package must be sealed separately from the rest of the proposal and must be clearly identified. The sealed proposal package(s) must be addressed as follows:

Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority Attention: Kelly Noble, AIDEA Chief Procurement Officer Request for Proposal (RFP) Number: AIDEA25-053 RFP Title: IDIQ AIDEA Staffing Services 813 W. Northern Lights Blvd. Anchorage, AK 99503

2. If using U.S. mail, please use the following address:

Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority Attention: Kelly Noble, AIDEA Chief Procurement Officer 813 W. Northern Lights Blvd. Anchorage, AK 99503

3. If you use a <u>delivery service</u>, please use the following address:

Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority 813 W. Northern Lights Blvd. Anchorage, AK 99503

- 4. If submitting a proposal via email, the technical proposal and cost proposal must be saved as separate PDF documents and emailed to procurement@aidea.org as separate, clearly labeled attachments, such as
 - ✓ The email must contain the RFP number in the subject line.
 - "Vendor A Technical Proposal.pdf" (Must include Part D Proposal Form); and
 - "Vendor A Cost Proposal.pdf" (Vendor A is the name of the offeror).

The maximum size of a single email (including all text and attachments) that can be received is **20mb** (megabytes). If the email containing the proposal exceeds this size, the proposal must be sent in multiple emails that are each less than 20 megabytes, and each email must comply with the requirements described above.

Please note that email transmission **is not instantaneous**. Similar to sending a hard copy proposal, if you are emailing your proposal, we recommend **sending it ahead of time** to ensure the email delivery meets the deadline for receipt of proposals.

An Offeror's failure to submit its proposal prior to the deadline will cause the proposal to be disqualified. Late proposals or amendments will not be opened or accepted for evaluation.

It is the Offeror's responsibility to contact the **AIDEA Chief Procurement Officer** at phone number: **907-771-3909** to confirm that the proposal has been received. **Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority** is not responsible for unreadable, corrupt, or missing attachments.

SELECTION PROCEDURE



1. Competitive Sealed Proposals will be evaluated by a committee (2 AAC 12, Article 4). Evaluation of responses to criteria set forth in Part C results in a numerical score for each proposal. Each criterion in Part C has an assigned weight for this RFP which demonstrates its relative importance. The total weight is 100 (100%). Each one- percent weight equates to a range of 0-5 points per Evaluator. The maximum points (score) obtainable for any proposal is equal to the product of 500 multiplied by the number of Evaluators.

2. Scoring of proposals will be accomplished as follows:

2.1 Each Evaluator will individually read and rate each Offeror's response to each criteria described in Part C -Section I - Technical Proposal. Ratings will be based solely on contents of proposal and in compliance with the Authority's standard Instructions for Evaluation Committee. Except as may be stated within any criteria description in Part C, a rating of "5" = Best Response from all Offerors; "4" to "1" = Progressively Less Responsive; "0" = Non-Responsive. Ratings are multiplied by the assigned weights for each criteria to obtain criteria scores.

2.2 If only 1-3 proposals are received the rating scale may be adjusted. A rating of "5" = Best Response from all Offerors "4" to "3" = progressively less responsive; "0" = Non-Responsive. (1-2 will not be used).

2.3 After completion of individual ratings in Part C, Section 1, Technical Proposal, the Evaluation Committee will meet to discuss proposals. Evaluators may then alter their ratings; however, any changes shall be based solely on the criteria set forth in Part C.

2.4 After scoring Part C - Section I - Technical Proposal, criteria scores for Part C - and Section II - Price (if applicable) and bidder preference will be calculated based on criteria descriptions.

2.5 The total score for each Offeror will be obtained by summing the scores determined for each criteria in Sections I, II and III of Part C. The order of ranking for negotiations shall be as follows: highest scored Offeror will be ranked first, next highest scored second, and etcetera.

3. Evaluators may discuss factual knowledge of, and may investigate Offerors' and proposed Subcontractors' prior work experience and performance, including but not limited to, projects referenced in proposal, available written evaluations, and may contact listed references or other persons knowledgeable of a Contractor's and/or a Subcontractor's past performance. Factors such as, but not limited to, overall experience relative to the proposed contract, quality of work, control of cost, and ability to meet schedules may be addressed. If any issues of significant concern to the proposed contract are discovered, the Committee may:

3.1 Provide written recommendations for consideration during contract negotiations.

3.2 Conduct discussions in accordance with paragraph 4, below.

4. The Committee may decide to conduct discussions (or "interviews") with responsible Offerors whose proposals are determined to be reasonably susceptible of being selected for award for the purpose of clarification to assure full understanding of, and responsiveness to, the solicitation requirements (3 AAC 100.400). Offerors selected by the Committee for discussions may be permitted to submit Best and Final Offers (BAFO) for final Committee Evaluation. After discussions and any BAFO's, Evaluators will determine the final scoring and ranking for contract negotiations by evaluating written and oral responses using only the criteria set forth in Part C of this RFP (3 AAC 100.400).

5. If contract negotiations are unsuccessful with Offeror(s) selected for negotiation, the Contracting Agency may either cancel the solicitation or negotiate with other Offerors in the order of ranking.

NOTICES



- 1. The Contracting Agency is an equal opportunity employer.
- 2. A copy of the Contract General Conditions and sample contract are provided as a separate document.
- 3. Offerors are specifically advised that a contract shall not be in effect until a written agreement is executed by an authorized agent of the Authority. The Authority shall not be liable for any cost incurred by an Offeror in response to this solicitation, including any work done, even in good faith, prior to execution of a contract and issuance of a Notice to Proceed.
- 4. The Authority expressly reserves the right to waive minor informalities, negotiate changes or reject any and all proposals and to not award the proposed contract, if in its best interest. "Minor Informalities" means matters of form rather than substance which are evident from the submittal, or are insignificant matters that have a negligible effect on price, quantity, quality, delivery, or contractual conditions and can be waived or corrected without prejudice to other Offerors.
- 5. All proposals shall be open for public inspection per (AS 36.30.230) after a Notice of Intent to Award is issued. Offerors should not include proprietary information in proposals if such information should not be disclosed to the public. Any language within a submittal purporting to render all or portions of a proposal confidential will be disregarded. Proprietary information which may be provided after selection for contract negotiations will be confidential if expressly agreed to by the Authority and Executive Director.
- 6. Substitution for any personnel named in a proposal may result in termination of negotiations and the contract.

7. If it is discovered that a selected Offeror is in arrears on taxes due the State of Alaska, a contract may not be awarded until the Alaska Department of Revenue approves the payment provisions for the contract.

8. Offerors and proposed subcontractors shall be in compliance with the statutory requirements for Alaska business licensing and professional registrations included in the certification statement on Page 2 of Part D in this RFP package.

9. **PRICE COMPETITION:** Price will be an Evaluation Criteria in accordance provisions of AS 36.30.250. For services where applicable required to be performed only by Architects, Engineers or Land Surveyors (A/E or LS) licensed in the State of Alaska, UNLESS the provisions of AS 36.30.270(d) apply; i.e., unless the services required are repetitious in nature, and the nature and amount of services required are thoroughly defined by measurable and objective standards to reasonably enable firms or persons making proposals to compete with a clear understanding and interpretation of the services required.

9.1 If the services performed do not require an A/E, LS or LA, then all Offerors including any A/E, LS or LA must provide Price Proposals in accordance with AS 36.30.270(b) and 2 AAC 12.260(c).

9.2 Price (or any estimate of labor hours) cannot be an Evaluation Criterion for contracts that will receive Federal-aid highway program funding per 23 CFR 172.7 and FAA Airport Improvement Program funding per AC 150/5100-14E, 2.1. For FAA exceptions: see AC 150/5100/14E, 2.4.

10. Standard insurance provisions for Worker's Compensation, General and Automobile Liability, and Professional Liability are contained in Appendix D, Indemnification and Insurance. Coverages may be modified under very limited circumstances. Offeror should not assume any modification of coverages.

11.	Professional Liability Insurance for the proposed contract		is not required	
	is required as sh	own on Appen	dix D, Indemnification	and Insurance.

12. The proposed contract will will not be a Federally Assisted Program of the U.S. Department of Transportation. If it will be an assisted program, then the Offeror shall insert the following notification in all subcontract solicitations for bids or proposals pertinent to this RFP:

13. Pre-proposal Conference: None As follows:

SELECTION PROCEDURE





14. Special Notices:

14.1 Alaska Business License (Form 08-070 issued under AS 43.70) at the time contract is awarded as required by AS 36.30.210(e) for Contractor and all Subcontractors. In accordance with Administrative Manual, Section 81.120, proof of application for an Alaska Business license will satisfy this requirement. Per AAM 81.120, acceptable evidence that the offeror possesses a valid Alaska business license consists of any one of the following:

- a. Copy of the Alaska business license.
- b. A canceled check that demonstrates payment for the Alaska business license fee.
- c. A copy of the Alaska business license application with a receipt stamp from the State's business license office.
- d. A sworn notarized affidavit that the bidder/offeror applied and paid for the Alaska business license.
- e. Other forms of evidence acceptable to the Department of Law.

14.2 The contract will be initially awarded for: \$1,000,000.00. The Contracting Agency reserves the right in its sole discretion to add additional funds to this contract not to exceed a combined total of \$4,000,000.00 subject to availability of funds and need.

SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST



Offeror may use left margin to check off items when completed.

An Alaska Business License is required of Contractors who do business in Alaska at time of award (AS 36.30.210(e)).

- [] 1. Offerors must carefully review this RFP Package for defects and questionable material and become familiar with submittal requirements. Submit written comments to the address shown under "Submittal Deadline and Location" on page 1 of Part A - RFP. Substantive issues will be addressed in a written addendum to all RFP recipients on record. Failure to comply with directions may result in lower score and may eliminate a submittal from consideration. Protests based on alleged improprieties or ambiguities in a solicitation may be disallowed at the discretion of the Contracting Agency if the protest is not received in writing at least ten Agency work days prior to the Submittal Deadline (AS 36.30.565).
- [] 2. Review Part A RFP and the proposed Statement of Services and any other attached or referenced materials. If no Statement of Services is attached, telephone the Agency contact person identified on page 1 of Part A.
- [] 3. Review Part C Evaluation Criteria. Read each criterion in light of the proposed Statement of Services. Note any project specific criteria which may have been added or any changes to standard criteria descriptions which may have been made. Be aware of the assigned weight for each criterion. If a weight is not entered for any criterion on Part C, notify the Agency contact person. Plan your proposal to address the applicable criteria. Criteria Responses shall not exceed the number of pages stated below. Note: If weight is applied to Criterion #11, Alaska Bidder (Offeror) Preference, that box must be checked on page 1 of Part D, rfp-d.
- [] 4. Prepare a distinct Response for each criterion that has a weight more than zero. Failure to respond directly to any criteria weighted more than zero will result in an evaluation score of zero for that criteria. Any Responses to criteria weighted zero will be disregarded. Acceptable Responses must be specific and directly related to the Contracting Agency's proposed Statement of Services. Marketing brochures, federal SF330s, marketing resumes, and other non-project specific materials will be discarded without evaluation and should not be submitted.
- [] 5. Each criterion Response must be titled, numbered and assembled in the order in which the criteria are listed in Part C, so the criterion to which information applies shall be plainly evident. Material not so identified or assembled may be discarded without evaluation.

[] 6. Price is is not an evaluation criterion for the proposed contract.

If Price is a Criterion, prepare *Billing Rates and/or Price Proposals* as described in **rfp-c Section III – PRICE** Criteria #10 and/or #11.

- [] 7. Complete all entries on Part D Proposal Form. Note the statutory requirements for Alaska business licenses and professional registrations, and be sure to sign and date the Certification. Copies of licenses and registrations may be provided with submittal, and will not count in the requirements of #8 below.
- 8. Attach Criteria Responses (*except any Billing Rates or Price Proposals*) to Part D Proposal Form. The maximum number of attached pages (*each printed side equals one page*) for Criteria Responses shall not exceed:
 10 pages. Attached page limit does not include the four-page Part D Proposal Form, or any Billing Rates or Price Proposals.

Criteria Responses shall be presented in **8-1/2" X 11" format**, except for a minimal number of larger sheets (e.g., 11" x 17") that may be used (e.g., for schedules) if they are folded to 8-1/2" X 11" size. Large sheets will count as multiple pages at 93.5 square inches or fraction thereof per page, unless otherwise noted.

CAUTION: Criteria Responses which do not comply with the required page limit or presentation size, may result in disqualification. Further, small print or typeface that is difficult to read may negatively influence evaluation of your submittal and affect scoring for "Quality of Proposal."

CHECKLIST IS CONTINUED NEXT PAGE

PART R

[] 9. Not Used.

[] 10. Parts A, B and C of the RFP and the proposed Statement of Services shall not be returned to the Contracting Agency. Offers shall consist of the following applicable items assembled as follows and in the order listed:

- [] 10.1 Completed Part D Proposal Form (generally at least one copy with original signature) and Responses to all evaluation criteria -- except Billing Rates, Price Proposals – attached. Each copy shall be fastened with one staple in the upper left corner. No other form of binding shall be used and no cover and no transmittal letter will be included. CAUTION: Failure to comply with this instruction will negatively influence evaluation of Submittal.
- [] 10.2 Number of copies of Part D (*all pages*) and Criteria Responses (*except Billing Rates, and Price Proposals*) required is: four (4) plus one (1) copy provided via electronic file on a flash drive if mailed or hand delivered.
- [] 10.3 If *Billing Rates and/or Price Proposals* are required, *one copy* bound with one staple in the upper left corner separately enclosed in a sealed envelope marked on the outside to identify it as a *Billing Rates or Price Proposal* and the names of the Project and Offeror. Each *Billing Rates or Price Proposal* must be signed and dated by the person who prepares it (may be different signatures for each Subcontractor).
- [] 10.4 If Item 9, above, is completed for this RFP Package, any submittal items described therein. Unless otherwise stated, one copy only, bound appropriately.
- [] 10.5 Pre-Audit Statement, DOT&PF Form 25A257, shall *not* be provided with Submittal. (See Notice #10 on page 3 of Part A RFP.)
- [] 10.6 **CAUTION:** If you replicate (other than by photocopy) Part D or any form in lieu of completing the forms provided by the Contracting Agency, provide a signed certification that lists such forms and attests that they are exact replicas of that issued by the Contracting Agency. Changed forms may result in rejection at the Contracting Agency's discretion. Any alteration other than completion of the required entries may be cause for rejection without recourse.
- [] 11. Deliver *submittals in one sealed package* to the location and before the submittal deadline cited in Part A RFP. *Mark the outside of the package* to identify the Project and the Offeror. Proposals must be received prior to the specified date and time. Late proposals will not be opened (2 AAC 12.250).

EVALUATION CRITERIA

Criteria with a weight of zero are not applicable and should be disregarded. If a weight is not indicated for any criterion, telephone the Agency Contact person identified at the top of page 1 of Part A - RFP.

SECTION I - TECHNICAL PROPOSAL

1. Objectives, Services and

Commitments

The response must demonstrate your comprehension of the objectives and services for the proposed contract. Do not merely duplicate the Statement of Services provided with this RFP. Responses should portray a knowledge of AIDEA's unique requirements for Leased Employees. Define any assumptions that may be necessary to provide a thorough response to this RFP.

Include a discussion of your company's understanding of the services required and your company's relevant experience providing the types of services identified in the Statement of Services.

Your response must also: (1) describe your company's availability to provide support for Leased Employee/Temporary staffing for the work the Authority requires, to include both current and potential limitations.; (2) How any conflicts would be managed; (3) If subcontracting occurs, discuss the projected workload and breakdown of each firm (Offeror and Offeror's Proposed Subcontractors) for all clients and the impact of your company's performance capabilities with regards to completing the Authority's work; and (4) demonstrate adequate support to provide the services required.

Address capabilities for scaling resources to expedite staffing needs to meet an accelerated schedule.

2. Management and Quality

Control

The response must describe the administrative and operational structures to be used for performing quality assurance of the proposed contract. For example, the Offeror should consider who will have overall responsibility for the contract, who will have direct responsibility for specific issues; and what will the lines of authority/communication be?

Offerors should provide a description of their proposed quality control procedures and any staff that may be assigned. This response should be specific to the anticipated activities that will be conducted under the proposed Statement of Services.

3. Past Performance

The response must describe previous Leased Employee staffing efforts the company has worked on that are related in size, scope, and geographic locations around Alaska if applicable. Prior Alaska region experience has a preference but is not required. Address how the experience will help your team to perform under this contract. Provide references (contact name and phone number) for each project. Indicate which of the proposed firms and project staff were involved in each project. AIDEA reserves the right to investigate referenced projects, contact references and research other projects that the respondent has worked on. Relevant past performance should show you have leased staff from entry level to senior management level to other organizations. Please include a list of companies you have provided leased staff to currently or in the past. Include their industry, number and type of staff provided and the period of time.

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2. Weight: 20

3. Weight: 20

1. Weight: 10

SECTION II - PREFERENCES



7. Disadvantaged Business Enterprises

49 CFR 26

10. Weight: 0

This solicitation is being conducted under the Department's Race Neutral Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program for construction related professional services solicitations. Therefore, there is no DBE goal for this solicitation and the criterion has a weight of zero (0).

See rfp-a, section 15. Special Notices, paragraph 15.2.

Response will be scored: Rating x Number of Evaluators x Weight = Criterion Score. Rating will be as follows: "5" More than 5% DBE Participation; "3" - 5% DBE Participation; "1" - Less than 5% but more than 0 % DBE participation; "0" - No DBE participation.

8. Alaska Bidder (Offeror) Preference

23 CFR 172.7(a)(1)(iii)(C), AC 150/5100-14E, and 2 AAC 12.260(e)

Weight shall be "0" if any federal funding, otherwise weight shall be at least "10".

11. Weight: 10

To be granted this preference:

Offeror must claim the Alaska Bidder (Offeror) Preference on page one of Part D Proposal Form. In claiming the Alaska Bidder (Offeror) Preference on page one of Part D, the Offeror is certifying that they meet the following requirements per AS 36.30.990:

- (A) Firm holds a current Alaska Business License;
- (B) Proposal is submitted under the name as appearing on the Firm's current Alaska Business License;

(C) Firm has maintained a place of business within Alaska, staffed by the Firm or an employee of the Firm, for a period of six months immediately preceding the date of the offer;

(D) Firm is incorporated or qualified to do business under the laws of the State of Alaska, is a sole proprietorship, and the proprietor is a resident of Alaska, is a limited liability company organized under AS 10.50 and all members are residents of Alaska, or is a partnership under AS 32.06, or AS 32.11 and all partners are residents of Alaska; and

(E) If the Firm is a Joint Venture, it is composed entirely of entities that qualify under (A) - (D).

Alaska Bidder (Offeror) Preference will be scored: Rating x Number of Evaluators x Weight = Criterion Score.

The rating will be as follows:

An Alaska Offeror's preference (i.e., a Rating of 5) will be assigned to the proposal of an Offeror who certifies (by claiming the preference on page one of Part D) that they are an Alaska Bidder (Offeror) as described above.

No Alaska Offeror's preference (i.e., a Rating of 0) will be assigned to the proposal of an Offeror who does not certify (by failure to claim the preference on page one of Part D) that it qualifies as an Alaska Bidder (Offeror) as described above.

No narrative response to this criterion is required within the Offeror's Proposal.

SECTION III - PRICE

If price is <u>not</u> an Evaluation Criterion, weights for <u>both</u> Criterion #12 and #13 shall be "0". If price is an Evaluation Criterion, the sum of weights for Criterion #12 and #13 shall be at least "10", and all Offerors shall submit Price Proposals in the specified format(s).

See item #9, under Notices in Part A – RFP, regarding statutory and regulatory provisions about price competition and item #10.3, in Part B – Submittal Checklist, regarding procedure for submittal of Billing Rates and/or Price Proposals.

CAUTION: Submittal of Offeror's or Subcontractor's "standard" rate schedules or other pricing documents which are not in required format will be non-responsive if they do not allow direct comparison with other responsive proposals.

Rates and costs proposed by the Offeror selected for contract negotiations may be investigated for reasonableness and allowability in accordance with AS 36.30.400, .420 & .480, 2 AAC 12.550 and the contract cost principles in 48 CFR Part 31. Unsupported rates and costs may be disallowed or result in termination of negotiations, or contract award. All proposed rates and the negotiated contract rates will be public information.

9. Labor Billing Rates (<u>Required</u> Format)

Provide a proposed total Mark-Up Rate inclusive of All Indirect Costs and Fees. (i.e. If the Authority states that a Leased Employee must be paid \$50 per hour and the proposed Mark-Up Rate is 1.50, the amount the selected vendor would charge the Authority would be $$50 \times 1.50 = 75 per hour.

Example:			
Labor Categories	Labor Rate	Markup	
All	All	(example) 1.50	

*In accordance with the submittal Checklist (rfp-b'), item 10.3, Billing Rates must be signed and dated by the person who prepares it (maybe different signatures for each Subcontractor)

Response will be scored as follows:

(Lowest mark-up rate from all Offerors) x (MPP*) = Offeror's Criterion Score (Offeror's aggregate rate) *MPP = Maximum Possible Points = (5) x (Number of Evaluators) x (Weight)

In accordance with the Submittal Checklist ('rfp-b'), item 10.3, Price Proposals must be signed and dated by the person who prepares it (may be a different signature for each subcontractor).

Response will be scored as follows: <u>(Lowest Total Proposed Price) x (MPP*)</u> = Criterion Score (Offeror's Total Proposed Price)

*MPP = Maximum Possible Points = (5) x (Number of Evaluators) x (Weight)

If no federal funding, then per AS 36.30.250(b), total price shall be reduced for the above calculation by the following applicable percentages when the prices are from Offerors designate preferences on page one of Part D.

- ALASKA BIDDER (OFFEROR) PREFERENCE [2 AAC 12.260(d)]	5%
- ALASKA VETERAN-OWNED BUSINESS PREFERENCE [AS 36.30.321(f)] (maximum \$5,000)	5%
and only ONE of the following:	
- EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM PREFERENCE [AS 36.30.321(b)]	15%
- DISABLED SOLE PROPRIETOR [AS 36.30.321(d) / (k)]	10%
To claim employment or disabled preference, Offeror must be on the appropriate Alaska Division of Vocational Rehal	oilitation list at the
time designated for opening (i.e., receipt) of proposals.	



12. Weight: 40



Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority **PROPOSAL FORM**

THIS FORM MUST BE THE FIRST PAGE OF PROPOSAL. Attach criteria responses as explained in Part B -Submittal Checklist. No transmittal letter or cover sheet will be used.



PROJECT

Project Title:	AIDEA Staffing Services
RFP No.:	AIDEA25-053

OFFEROR (CONTRACTOR)

Contractor:	
Street:	
P.O. Box:	
City, State, Zip	
Alaska Business License Number	
Federal Tax Identification No.	
DOT&PF DBE Certification No. (if any):	
Individual(s) to sign contract	
Title(s):	
Type of business enterprise (check one): [
[] Individual [] Partnership [] Other(specify):
ALASKA STATUTORY F	PREFERENCES (IF NO FEDERAL FUNDING)

Check the applicable preferences that you claim for the proposed contract (reference Criteria 11, 12 & 13 in Part C):

] Alaska Bidder (Offeror) AND>> [] Veterans AND>> [] Employment Program or [] Disabled Persons

PROPOSED SUBCONTRACTOR(S)

Service, Equipment, etc. Subcontractor & Office Location **AK Business**

License No.

DOT&PF DBE Certification No.

CERTIFICATIONS

I certify: that I am a duly authorized representative of the Contractor; that this Submittal accurately represents capabilities of the Contractor and Subcontractors identified herein for providing the services indicated; and that the requirements of the Certifications on page 2 and 3 of this Part D for 1) Alaska Licenses/Registrations, 2) Insurance, 3) Federal-Aid Contracts exceeding \$100,000, 4) Cost and Pricing Data, 5) Trade Restrictions/Suspension/Debarment, 6) Foreign Contracting, 7) DBE Commitment, and 8) Former Public Officer - will be complied with in full. These Certifications are material representations of fact upon which reliance will be placed if the proposed contract is awarded. Failure to comply with these Certifications is a fraudulent act. The Contracting Agency is hereby authorized to request any entity identified in this proposal to furnish information deemed necessary to verify the reputation and capabilities of the Contractor and Subcontractors. This proposal is valid for at least ninety days.

Signature :		
Name	Date:	
Title:	Telephone (voice):	
	(fax):	
	Email Address	



CERTIFICATION FOR ALASKA BUSINESS LICENSES AND REGISTRATIONS

Contractor and all Subcontractors shall comply with the following applicable requirements of Alaska Statutes:

1. Alaska Business License (Form 08-070 issued under AS 43.70) at the time contract is awarded as required by AS 36.30.210(e) for Contractor and all Subcontractors. In accordance with Administrative Manual, Section 81.120, proof of application for an Alaska Business license will satisfy this requirement. Per AAM 81.120, acceptable evidence that the offeror possesses a valid Alaska business license consists of any one of the following:

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- d. A sworn notarized affidavit that the bidder/offeror applied and paid for the Alaska business license.
- e. Other forms of evidence acceptable to the Department of Law.

2. **Certificate of Registration** for each individual to be in "responsible charge" (AS 08.48.341(11-14)) for Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying, or Landscape Architecture (Form 08-2407 issued under AS 08.48.211) issued prior to submittal of proposal. Associates, consultants, or specialists under the supervision of a registered individual in "responsible charge" are exempt from registration requirements (AS 08.48.331).

3. **Certificate of Authorization for Corporations, Limited Liability Companies, and Limited Liability Partnerships** for Contractors and Subcontractors for Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying, or Landscape Architecture (Form 08-2407 issued under AS 08.48.241). Entities offering to provide Architectural, Engineering or Land Surveying services do not need to be registered for such disciplines at the time proposal is submitted provided they obtain registration prior to contract award (AS 08.48.241).

4. **Certificate of Incorporation** (Alaska firms) or **Certificate of Authorization for Foreign Firm** ("Out-of-State" firms). All corporations, regardless of type of services provided, must have one of the certificates (AS 10.06.218 and other sections of Title 10.06 - Alaska Corporations Code).

5. **Current Board of Director's Resolution** for incorporated Contractors and incorporated Subcontractors for Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying or Landscape Architecture (reference AS 08.48.241) that names the person(s) designated in "responsible charge" for each discipline. Such persons shall be licensed in Alaska and shall participate as project staff in the Contract/Subcontracts.

6. All partners in a Partnership to provide Architectural, Engineering, Land Surveying, or Landscape Architecture **must be legally** registered in Alaska prior to submittal of proposal for at least one of those disciplines (AS 08.48.251) which the Partnership offers.

7. **Joint Ventures**, regardless of type of services provided, must be licensed/registered in the legal name of the Joint Venture as used in this proposal (AS 43.70.020 and 43.70.110(4)).

8. **Contracts for Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying, or Landscape Architecture** may not be awarded to individuals, corporations or partnerships not in compliance, respectively, with the provisions of paragraph 2, 3, and 6, above (AS 36.90.100).

For information about licensing, Offerors may contact the Alaska Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing at P.O. Box 110806, Juneau, AK 99811-0806, or at Telephone (907) 465-2550, or at Internet address: https://www.commerce.alaska.gov/web/cbpl

CERTIFICATION FOR INSURANCE

Contractor will ensure that it and all Subcontractors have insurance coverage to effectuate the requirements of DOT&PF Form 25A269, Indemnification and Insurance.

CERTIFICATION – COST AND PRICING DATA

In accordance with AS 36.30.400, any cost and pricing data submitted herewith, or in any future price proposals for the proposed contract, will be accurate, complete and current as of the date submitted and will continue to be accurate and complete during the performance of the contract, if awarded.

The Contractor certifies that all costs submitted in a current or future price proposal are allowable in accordance with the cost principles of the Federal Acquisition Regulations of Title 48, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 31 and that the price proposal does not include any costs which are expressly unallowable under the cost principles of the FAR of 48 CFR 31. In addition, all known material transactions or events that have occurred affecting the firm's ownership, organization and indirect costs rates have been disclosed.



CERTIFICATION – TRADE RESTRICTIONS AND SUSPENSION AND DEBARMENT

The individual signing this proposal certifies to the best of his or her knowledge that the Contractor and any subcontractors are in compliance with Appendix A, General Conditions, Article A25 and Article A26.

CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION -LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

A proposal from a debarred or suspended Offeror shall be rejected. The proposal must be signed and submitted with the attached "Debarment" certification.

FINANCIAL SOVENCY AND ABILITY TO CONDUCT BUSINESS

Both before and after the granting of any contract or agreement under this Request for Proposals the Contactor at all times must be financially solvent and have the ability to conduct business. Any agreement, contract or proposal with the contractor will terminate without notice to the contractor if the contractor:

(a) was or will be insolvent, as that term is used and defined in Section 101(32) of the United States Bankruptcy Code and Section 2 of the Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act.

(b) has unreasonably small capital or is engaged or about to engage in a business or a transaction for which any remaining assets of the contractor or affiliate are unreasonably small.

c) by executing, delivering or performing its obligations under any agreement or documents to which it is a party or by taking any action with respect thereto, intends to, nor believes that it will, incur debts beyond its ability to pay them as they mature.

(d) contemplates filing a petition in bankruptcy or for an arrangement or reorganization or similar proceeding under any law any jurisdiction, or, to the best knowledge of the contractor, is the subject of any actual, pending or threatened bankruptcy, insolvency or similar proceedings under any law of any jurisdiction.

(e) incurs any suspension and debarment or is declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded as such terms are defined under any of the debarment regulations of any United States federal government agency or department.

RIGHT OF REJECTION

Offerors must comply with all of the terms of the RFP, the State Procurement Code (AS 36.30), and all applicable local, state, and federal laws, codes, and regulations. The Contracting Officer may reject any proposal that does not comply with all of the material and substantial terms, conditions, and performance requirements of the RFP.

Offerors may not qualify the proposal nor restrict the rights of the state. If an Offeror does so, the Contracting Officer may determine the proposal to be a non-responsive counteroffer, and the proposal may be rejected.

Minor informalities that:

- do not affect responsiveness.
- do not change the relative standing or otherwise prejudice other offers.
- do not change the meaning or scope of the RFP.
- are trivial, negligible, or immaterial in nature.
- do not reflect a material change in the work; or

• do not constitute a substantial reservation against a requirement or provision; may be waived by the contracting officer.

The Authority reserves the right to refrain from making an award if it determines that it is not in the best interest of the State.

A proposal from a debarred or suspended Offeror shall be rejected.

TERMINATION FOR DEFAULT

If the Project Manager or Contracting Officer determines that the contractor has refused to perform the work or has failed to perform the work with such diligence as to ensure its timely and accurate completion, the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority may, by providing written notice to the contractor, terminate the contractor's right to proceed with part or all of the remaining work.

CERTIFICATION - FOREIGN CONTRACTING

By signature on this solicitation, the offeror certifies that all services provided under this contract by the contractor and all subcontractors shall be performed in the United States. If the offeror cannot certify that all work is being performed in the United States, the offeror must contact the Contracts Officer to request a waiver at least 10 days prior to proposal deadline. The offeror must provide with their submission a detailed description of the portion of work being performed outside the United States, where, by whom, and the reason the waiver is necessary. Failure to comply with this requirement may cause the state to reject the bid or proposal as non-responsive or cancel the contract.



CERTIFICATION – FORMER PUBLIC OFFICER

Any proposer listing as a member of the proposer's team a current public officer or a former public officer who has left state service within the past two years must submit a sworn statement from that individual that the Alaska Executive Branch Ethics Act does not prohibit his or her participation in this project. If a proposer fails to submit a required statement, the proposal may be deemed nonresponsive or no responsible, and rejected, depending upon the materiality of the individual's proposed position.

The Ethics Act bars a public officer who leaves State service from representing, advising or assisting a person for compensation regarding a matter –that was under consideration by the administrative unit in which the officer served, <u>and</u> in which the officer participated personally and substantially through the exercise of official action, <u>for two years after leaving state service</u>. See AS 39.52.180(a). "Public officer" includes a state employee, a member of a state board and commission, and a trustee of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trust. "Official action" means a recommendation, decision, approval, disapproval, vote, or other similar action or inaction. Possible remedies for violating the bar include penalties against the former public officer and voiding the state grant, contract or lease in which the former public officer is involved.

Additionally, former public officers may not disclose or use information acquired in the course of their official duties that could in any way result in a benefit to the former public officers or their families, if the information has not been disseminated to the public or is confidential by law, without appropriate authorization. *See* AS 39.52.140.

Each current or former public officer is responsible for determining whether he or she may serve in the listed capacity on this project without violating the Ethics Act. A form that a former public officer may use to certify their eligibility is attached. Current public officers may seek advice from their designated ethics supervisors concerning the scope and application of the Ethics Act. Former public officers may, in writing, request advice from the Office of the Attorney General, Ethics Attorney, concerning the application of the Ethics Act to their participation in this project. It is the responsibility of the individual and the proposer to seek resolution in a timely manner of any question concerning the individual's eligibility.



Former Employee's Certification of Eligibility Under the Alaska Executive Branch Ethics Act (AS 39.52.140, AS 39.52.180)

I am a former employee of the State of Alaska and left state service within the last two years. My last position with the state was [*job title*] with the [*name of state agency and administrative unit*]. I propose to work on [*describe state contract or other matter*] on behalf of [*name of current employer*]. This work will not involve any matter (a) that was under consideration by the state administrative unit that I served, and (b) in which I participated personally and substantially during my state service through the exercise of official action ("official action" means a recommendation, decision, approval, disapproval, vote, or other similar action or inaction). I am therefore eligible to participate in this [*contract or matter*] under the Alaska Executive Branch Ethics Act. I also understand that as a former public officer I may not disclose or use information acquired in the course of my official duties that could in any way result in a benefit to me or my family, if the information has not been disseminated to the public, or that is confidential by law, without appropriate authorization.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true.

Dated: _____, 20__, at _____, Alaska.

[name of former state employee]

STATE OF ALASKA)) ss. JUDICIAL DISTRICT)

On this ______ day of ______, 20___, [<u>name of former state employee</u>], whom I know to be the individual described in and who executed this certification, personally appeared before me and acknowledged that [<u>s]</u>he signed the certification as [<u>her or his]</u> free and voluntary act.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have placed my signature and affixed my official seal.

Notary Public in and for Alaska My commission expires:

If no notary or other official (judge, magistrate, U.S. postmaster or municipal clerk) is available, omit the notary certificate and include the following statement in the text: A notary or other official empowered to administer oaths is unavailable.



PROPOSED STATEMENT OF SERVICES

Project No: AIDEA25-053 Date Prepared: 04/09/2025

This Request for Proposal (RFP) is intended to provide interested Consultants Firms s (hereinafter referred to as CONSULTANT AGENCY with sufficient information for the preparation and submission of a proposal (hereinafter referred to as PROPOSAL) for consideration by the Authority.

1. <u>Scope of Services</u>

The Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority (AIDEA), (hereafter known as the Authority), is seeking professional Leased Employee staffing services to assist with filling various needs of the Authority. Requirements range from clerical employees to professional and senior management employees.

This document does not and is intended to include or address every item that will be included or addressed in the contract for professional services.

CONSULTANT AGENCY(s) interested in this RFP should submit complete PROPOSALs sufficient for final selection of **the most qualified firm**, based on the criteria.

The AUTHORITY will then select the **most qualified firm** based on the criteria.

The AUTHORITY reserves the right to obtain references from any source listed in the PROPOSAL and any other source deemed appropriate for any of the requirements/criteria listed in this RFP.

2. Location:

The location of the services is statewide depending on the specific task awarded through future Notice to Proceed (NTP). The most likely location will be in Anchorage, but assignments may also include other cities such as Fairbanks and other locations within Alaska. Travel may be necessary at times with some positions.

Leased Employee definition:

Staff identified by AIDEA and submitted to the staffing service to be hired and then leased back to AIDEA to perform the identified work. The base rate of pay will be determined by AIDEA to which the vendor will add the contracted percentage mark-up. Leased Employees are not bound to a minimum or maximum period of employment up to the limit of the contract. In addition, AIDEA has the right to direct hire the employee in any capacity with no additional fee's being incurred.

3. <u>Deliverables</u>

The location of the services is statewide depending on the specific task awarded through future Notice to Proceeds (NTP's). Travel may be necessary at times with some tasks.

Once the **most qualified firm** is selected and awarded a Contract for Professional Services by the AUTHORITY, a formal communication via email of any professional services needs to execute based on the description of work established in this RFP and/or any addenda.

Upon selection of a qualified Consultant Firm by the AUTHORITY and identification of desired field of knowledge a Notice to Proceed (NTP) will be issued to the CONSULTANT AGENCY as required.



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4. Proposed Project Schedule and Payment

It is anticipated that the Agency will award a three (3) year contract with the option for the Authority for three (3) one (1) year extensions term agreements for these services. The duration may be up to four (6) years.

The Term Agreement will be initially awarded for: **\$1,000,000.00**. The Contracting Agency reserves the right in its sole discretion to add additional funds to this contract not to exceed a combined total of **\$4,000,000.00** subject to availability of funds and need.

5. Administrative Requirements

The Contractor shall not perform services or incur billable expense except as authorized by issued Notice to Proceed (NTP).

The Contractor shall be responsible for all tasks and services authorized by the Notice to Proceed (NTP) signed by the designee established by the Authority and shall provide such services in accordance with the project schedule.

Submittal Requirements. Deliverables shall be compatible with standard commercial software, and submitted in PDF.

6. <u>Professional Registration.</u>

If required Professional Registration will be clearly communicated in the Notice to Proceed.

Where applicable, all reports, plans, specification, estimates and similar work products provided by the CONSULTANT AGENCY Employee shall be prepared by or under the supervision of the Registered Engineer, Architect or Land Surveyor in responsible charge for the services.

These Engineers, Architects, or Land Surveyors shall be currently registered in the State of Alaska and they shall sign and seal as to the accuracy of each final work product for which they are responsible.

ALASKA INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND EXPORT AUTHORITY

CERTIFICATION OF CONTRACTOR AND LOWER-TIER PARTICIPANTS REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND OTHER INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION

Contra	actor
	PLEASE INSERT YOUR COMPANY'S NAME AND ADDRESS IN THIS BOX
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1,	hereby certify on behalf
2	(Name and title of official)
of	that:
	(Name of contractor)
(1)	The prospective contractor and lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this bid or proposal, that neither it nor its "principals" [as defined at 49 C.F.R. § 29.105(p)] is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency. In the event, your company or any principals become ineligible from participating in federally funded transactions, you are required to notify us immediately.
(2)	When the prospective contractor and lower tier participant is unable to certify to the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

Executed this ______, 20_____,

By: (Signature of authorized official)

(Title of authorized official)

INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE Appendix D in Professional Services Agreements

Project: AIDEA25-053 Date Prepared: 04/09/2025

CONTRACTOR shall include the provisions of this form in all subcontracts that exceed \$25,000 and shall ensure Subcontractor's compliance with such provisions.

ARTICLE D1 INDEMNIFICATION

D1.1 The CONTRACTOR shall indemnify, hold harmless, and defend the CONTRACTING AGENCY from and against any claim of, or liability for negligent acts, errors or omissions of the CONTRACTOR under this Agreement. The CONTRACTOR shall not be required to indemnify the CONTRACTING AGENCY for a claim of, or liability for, the independent negligence of the CONTRACTING AGENCY. If there is a claim of, or liability for, the joint negligent error or omission of the CONTRACTOR and the independent negligence of the CONTRACTING AGENCY, the indemnification and hold harmless obligation shall be apportioned on a comparative fault basis. "CONTRACTOR" and "CONTRACTING AGENCY", as used within this article, include the employees, agents and other contractors who are directly responsible, respectively, to each. The term "Independent Negligence" is negligence other than in the CONTRACTING AGENCY's selection, administration, monitoring, or controlling of the CONTRACTOR and in approving or accepting the CONTRACTOR's Work.

D1.2 The CONTRACTOR shall exercise that degree of skill, care and judgment commensurate with the professional standards for the services of a similar nature. When such standards are in dispute, they shall be established by a panel of three qualified, impartial professionals objectively selected and appointed by the Appeals Officer.

D1.3 The CONTRACTOR shall correct, through reperformance at its expense, any services which are deficient or defective because of the CONTRACTOR's failure to perform said services in accordance with professional standards, provided the CONTRACTING AGENCY has notified the CONTRACTOR in writing within a reasonable time, not to exceed 60 days, of the discovery of any such deficiency during the performance of the services and within 12 months of the date of final payment under this Agreement.

ARTICLE D2

D2.1 Without limiting the CONTRACTOR's indemnification, it is agreed that CONTRACTOR shall purchase at its own expense and maintain in force at all times for the duration of this Agreement, plus one year

following the date of final payment, the following policies of insurance. Where specific limits are shown, it is understood that they shall be the minimum acceptable limits. If the CONTRACTOR's policy contains higher limits, the CONTRACTING AGENCY shall be entitled to coverage to the extent of such higher limits. Certificates of insurance must be furnished to the CONTRACTING AGENCY and incorporated into this Agreement with copies attached to this document. Certificates must provide for the CONTRACTING AGENCY to receive notice of any policy cancellation or reduction per AS 21.36 Sections 210-310. Failure to furnish certificates of insurance or lapse of the policy is a material breach and grounds for termination of the CONTRACTOR's services and may preclude other Agreements between the CONTRACTOR and the CONTRACTING AGENCY.

D2.1.1 <u>Worker's Compensation Insurance</u>: The CONTRACTOR shall provide and maintain, for all employees engaged in work under this Agreement, coverage as required by AS 23.30.045, and; where applicable, any other statutory obligations including but not limited to Federal USL&H and Jones Act requirements. The policy(s) must waive subrogation against the State of Alaska.

D2.1.2 <u>Commercial General Liability Insurance</u>: Such policy shall have *minimum* coverage limits of \$300,000 combined single limit per occurrence, covering all business premises and operations used by the Contractor in the performance of services under this agreement. The policy shall be written on an "occurrence" form and shall not be written as a "claims-made" form unless specifically reviewed and agreed to by the CONTRACTING AGENCY.

D2.1.3 <u>Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance</u>: Such policy shall have *minimum* coverage of \$300,000 combined single limit per occurrence covering all vehicles used by the Contractor in the performance of services under this agreement.

D2.1.4 <u>Professional Liability (E&O) Insurance</u>: Covering all negligent errors or omissions, and negligent acts, which the CONTRACTOR, Subcontractor or anyone directly or indirectly employed by them, make in the performance of this Agreement which result in financial loss to the State of Alaska. Limits required are per the following schedule:

MINIMUM LIMITS OF E&O INSURANCE

D2.1.5	Professional Li	ability	/ Insurance	required	for	this
Agree	ment is	\$				

 Contract
 Combined Single Limit, Per

 Amount
 Occurrence & Annual Aggregate

 Under \$25,000
 As Available

 \$25,000 to \$100,000
 \$300,000

 \$100,000 to \$499,999
 \$500,000

 \$500,000 to \$999,000
 \$1,000,000

 \$1,000,000 and over
 Negotiable

ARTICLE D3 MODIFICATION OF INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

(Article D3 is completed only when some of the standard insurance coverages are not applicable.)

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		CONTRACTOR RELATED MODIFICATIONS
D3.1		Workers Compensation Insurance is not required because the CONTRACTOR is an Independent Contractor, Sole Proprietor or Self-Employed Person having no employees in any sense of AS 23.30.045.
D3.2		Comprehensive or Commercial General Liability Insurance is not required because the general public and clients do not have any business access to a place of business or home office maintained by the CONTRACTOR.
D3.3		Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance is not required because only public transportation, or a rented passenger vehicle with business use insurance, will be used to accomplish requirements of this Agreement.
		PROJECT RELATED MODIFICATIONS FOR E&O COVERAGE n services may apply to fire, life safety or structural aspects and/or wherever the services should safeguard life, limb, health or property, Professional Liability Insurance shall be required. &O Coverage may be waived only if it was specifically not required within the solicitation for proposals.)
D3.4		Professional Liability (E&O) Insurance is not required because: 1) the CONTRACTING AGENCY's use of the services or Work products obtained from the CONTRACTOR will not result in significant exposure to any third party claims for loss or damage; and 2), the CONTRACTOR services will not apply to any construction, alteration, demolition, repair or direct use of any highway, airport, harbor, building or other structure.
D3.5		Professional Liability (E&O) Insurance is not required because this Agreement is for one of the following applicable (<i>checked</i>) services for which E&O coverage is not needed:
		 Right-of-Way Fee Appraisals Photogrammetric Mapping Services Architectural/Engineering review of Construction Bid Documents wherein design responsibility clearly remains with the designer of record.
		OTHER BASIS FOR MODIFICATIONS (Requires written concurrence from Division of Risk Management)
D3.6		Attached Exhibit D-1 identifies and provides justification for insurance modifications.
Above	e cheo	cked modifications of the insurance requirements specified in Article D2 are hereby approved:
CON	ITRA	CTING OFFICER Signature: Date: Name: Title:

CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE APPENDIX E

Contractor and all Subcontractors shall comply with the following applicable requirements:

- 1. For Procurements over the Small Procurement Limits, **Alaska Business License** (Form 08-070 issued under AS 43.70) at the time designated for award as required by AS 36.30.210(e) for Contractor and all Subcontractors.
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The Contractor will ensure that it and all Subcontractors have insurance coverage to effectuate the requirements of Appendix D, "Indemnification and Insurance", DOT&PF Form 25A269, as prepared for this Agreement.

I certify that I am a duly authorized representative of the Contractor and that the above requirements will be complied with in full. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance will be placed if the proposed contract is awarded.

Date

Signature	
Name	:
Title	:

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