

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT			1. Contract Number	Page of Pages 1 5	
2. Amendment/Modification Number 0001		3. Effective Date SEE BLOCK 16C	4. Requisition/Purchase Request No. RQ331833	5. Solicitation Caption Internet Access Service	
6. Issued By: Office of Contracting and Procurement Information Technology 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 930 South Washington, DC 20001			7. Administered By (If other than line 6)		
8. Name and Address of Contractor (No. Street, city, country, state and ZIP Code) ALL PROSPECTIVE OFFERORS			(X)	9A. Amendment of Solicitation No. DCTO-2007-R-0050	
				9B. Dated (See Item 11) 9-Apr-07	
				10A. Modification of Contract/Order No.	
				10B. Dated (See Item 13)	
Code	Facility				
11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS					
X	The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offers <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is extended. <input type="checkbox"/> is not extended. Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods: (a) By completing Items 8 and 15, and returning <u>4</u> copies of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or fax which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment number. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by letter or fax, provided each letter or telegram makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.				
12. Accounting and Appropriation Data (If Required)					
13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS, IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14					
(X)	A. This change order is issued pursuant to: (Specify Authority) The changes set forth in Item 14 are made in the contract/order no. in item 10A.				
	B. The above numbered contract/order is modified to reflect the administrative changes (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) set forth in item 14, pursuant to the authority of 27 DCMR, Chapter 36, Section 3601.2.				
	C. This supplemental agreement is entered into pursuant to authority of:				
	D. Other (Specify type of modification and authority)				
E. IMPORTANT: Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> is not, <input type="checkbox"/> is required to sign this document and return _____ copies to the issuing office.					
14. Description of amendment/modification (Organized by UCF Section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.) The purpose of this amendment is to extend the proposal due date and to answer questions. 1. The proposal due date is extended from April 23, 2007 at 2:00pm until April 30, 2007 at 2:00pm 2. Provided are the questions and the corresponding responses received: a. What are the North American Numbering Plan (NPA-XXX) for each of the six locations listed in the solicitation? The District of Columbia government has common telephone numbers with common NPA-NXX (example: 202-727-xxxx) that work across the entire city in virtually all of it's buildings. Therefore, it will not be able to provide a unique NPA-NXX for each of the potential sites. b. Is it expected that the contractor will supply all infrastructure hardware needed for the upgrade (i.e. switches, routers, etc.) or does the government plan on using existing hardware? The contractor shall supply all equipment necessary to provide Internet access up to a DMARC point/PE device interface or interface cable. The DC Government, Office of the Chief Technology Officer will furnish all CE network hardware. c. Are all six locations expected to be connected in a LAN/WAN network, or is it expected that each location will stand on its own network? All six locations listed are directly connected to the District Enterprise Network, and are sites where vendors may deliver Internet Access Service for the District. Each of these sites is connected to the District Enterprise Network, and is not a unique or stand alone location.					
Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item (9A or 10A) remain unchanged and in full force and effect					
15A. Name and Title of Signer (Type or print)			16A. Name of Contracting Officer William Sharp		
15B. Name of Contractor (Signature of person authorized to sign)		15C. Date Signed	16B. District of Columbia (Signature of Contracting Officer)		16C. Date Signed 4/20/2007

- d. Is the network infrastructure expected to handle voice and data over IP capabilities, or only Internet?

The services purchased via this RFP only pertain to the procurement of Internet Access Service. This requirement does not affect any potential applications (like VoIP) that may traverse the purchased services.

- e. Would you provide us with specific DC-NET points at the six locations that are candidates for Service Delivery? We need exact locations to come up with a price to build to DC-NET. Additionally, sketches and drawings would be extremely beneficial.

The District of Columbia government can accept services at the DEMARC at all locations referenced in the RFP. Additionally, the DC government is providing an enhanced address for the 1275 K Street NW location, which is as follows: 1275 K Street NW, CRG WEST located in suite G2/MMRCAGE04.

- f. Please provide me the amount of bandwidth DC-NET is utilizing today from each current ISP?

DC-NET is currently utilizing 90Mbps from each ISP.

- g. Also, what type of hand-off do they want? i.e. Ethernet? Direct fiber – single mode or multi-mode?

DC government requires fiber connection with multi-mode.

3. The time period for receipt of questions has expired as of April 20, 2007.
4. Clause M.4 is deleted from the solicitation in its entirety and replaced with the following text:

M.4 Preferences for Local Businesses, Disadvantaged Businesses, Resident-owned Businesses, Small Businesses, Longtime Resident Businesses, or Local Businesses with Principal Offices Located in an Enterprise Zone

Under the provisions of the “Small, Local, and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Development and Assistance Act of 2005” (the Act), Title II, Subtitle N, of the “Fiscal Year 2006 Budget Support Act of 2005”, D.C. Law 16-33, effective October 20, 2005, the District shall apply preferences in evaluating bids or proposals from businesses that are small, local, disadvantaged, resident-owned, longtime resident, or local with a principal office located in an enterprise zone of the District of Columbia.

M.4.1 General Preferences

For evaluation purposes, the allowable preferences under the Act for this procurement are as follows:

- M.4.1.1 Three percent reduction in the bid price or the addition of three points on a 100-point scale for a small business enterprise (SBE) certified by the Small and Local Business Opportunity Commission (SLBOC) or the Department of Small and Local Business Development (DSLBD), as applicable;
- M.4.1.2 Three percent reduction in the bid price or the addition of three points on a 100-point scale for a resident-owned business enterprise (ROB) certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable;
- M.4.1.3 Ten percent reduction in the bid price or the addition of ten points on a 100-point scale for a longtime resident business (LRB) certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable;
- M.4.1.4 Two percent reduction in the bid price or the addition of two points on a 100-point scale for a local business enterprise (LBE) certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable;
- M.4.1.5 Two percent reduction in the bid price or the addition of two points on a 100-point scale for a local business enterprise with its principal office located in an enterprise zone (DZE) and certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable; and
- M.4.1.6 Two percent reduction in the bid price or the addition of two points on a 100-point scale for a disadvantaged business enterprise (DBE) certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable.

M.4.2 Application of Preferences

The preferences shall be applicable to prime contractors as follows:

- M.4.2.1 Any prime contractor that is an SBE certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable, will receive a three percent (3%) reduction in the bid price for a bid submitted by the SBE in response to an Invitation for Bids (IFB) or the addition of three points on a 100-point scale added to the overall score for proposals submitted by the SBE in response to a Request for Proposals (RFP).

- M.4.2.2 Any prime contractor that is an ROB certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable, will receive a three percent (3%) reduction in the bid price for a bid submitted by the ROB in response to an IFB or the addition of three points on a 100-point scale added to the overall score for proposals submitted by the ROB in response to an RFP.
- M.4.2.3 Any prime contractor that is an LRB certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable, will receive a ten percent (10%) reduction in the bid price for a bid submitted by the LRB in response to an IFB or the addition of ten points on a 100-point scale added to the overall score for proposals submitted by the LRB in response to an RFP.
- M.4.2.4 Any prime contractor that is an LBE certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable, will receive a two percent (2%) reduction in the bid price for a bid submitted by the LBE in response to an IFB or the addition of two points on a 100-point scale added to the overall score for proposals submitted by the LBE in response to an RFP.
- M.4.2.5 Any prime contractor that is a DZE certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable, will receive a two percent (2%) reduction in the bid price for a bid submitted by the DZE in response to an IFB or the addition of two points on a 100-point scale added to the overall score for proposals submitted by the DZE in response to an RFP.
- M.4.2.6 Any prime contractor that is a DBE certified by the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable, will receive a two percent (2%) reduction in the bid price for a bid submitted by the DBE in response to an IFB or the addition of two points on a 100-point scale added to the overall score for proposals submitted by the DBE in response to an RFP.

M.4.3 **Maximum Preference Awarded**

Notwithstanding the availability of the preceding preferences, the maximum total preference to which a certified business enterprise is entitled under the Act for this procurement is twelve percent (12%) for bids submitted in response to an IFB or the equivalent of twelve (12) points on a 100-point scale for proposals submitted in response to an RFP. There will be no preference awarded for subcontracting by the prime contractor with certified business enterprises.

M.4.4 Preferences for Certified Joint Ventures

When the SLBOC or the DSLBD, as applicable, certifies a joint venture, the certified joint venture will receive preferences as a prime contractor for categories in which the joint venture and the certified joint venture partner are certified, subject to the maximum preference limitation set forth in the preceding paragraph.

M.4.5 Vendor Submission for Preferences

M.4.5.1 Any vendor seeking to receive preferences on this solicitation must submit at the time of, and as part of its bid or proposal, the following documentation, as applicable to the preference being sought:

M.4.5.1.1 Evidence of the vendor's or joint venture's certification by the SLBOC as an SBE, LBE, DBE, DZE, LRB, or RBO, to include a copy of all relevant letters of certification from the SLBOC; or

M.4.5.1.2 Evidence of the vendor's or joint venture's provisional certification by the DSLBD as an SBE, LBE, DBE, DZE, LRB, or RBO, to include a copy of the provisional certification from the DSLBD.

M.4.5.2 Any vendor seeking certification or provisional certification in order to receive preferences under this solicitation should contact the:

Department of Small and Local Business Development
ATTN: LSDBE Certification Program
441 Fourth Street, N.W., Suite 970N
Washington, DC 20001

M.4.5.3 All vendors are encouraged to contact the DSLBD at (202) 727-3900 if additional information is required on certification procedures and requirements.