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May 6, 2016

### **ELECTRONIC MAIL**

To: 25 Pre-Oualified On-Call Contract Consultants of LA Sanitation

LA SANITATION ON-CALL CONSULTANT SERVICES CONTRACT ISSUANCE OF TOS SN-62 – LOS ANGELES GREEN ARTS PROGRAM SUPPORT SERVICES

LA Sanitation (LASAN) is soliciting responses from 25 Prime Consultants on Pre-Qualified On-Call List. Attached are details of the Task Order Solicitation (TOS) required services.

A pre-proposal meeting for this TOS will be held on:

Date and Time:

Thursday, May 12, 2016, from 1:00 P.M to 1:30 P.M.

Location:

1149 South Broadway, Los Angeles, CA 90015

5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Conference Room (South)

(In the area of Solid Resources Citywide Recycling Division)

This meeting is <u>mandatory</u> for all respondents, who wish to submit proposal for this TOS. Failure to attend the pre-submittal meeting will cause the consultant to be considered non-responsive. All questions regarding this TOS must be submitted in writing via e-mail to Ms. Julie Jacobe before or at the meeting.

For the security clearance at the Public Works Building, please e-mail Ms. Julie Jacobe the names of your representatives and subcontractors, who will be attending the meeting, and the company's name by Wednesday, May 11, 2016.

The deadline for proposal submittal is <u>Friday</u>, <u>May 27, 2016</u>, <u>before 2:00 P.M.</u> If your firm is interested in this TOS, please submit proposal via e-mail on the indicated due date to the following LASAN's staff:

- Julie Jacobe, Julie.ann.jacobe@lacity.org
- Thu-Van Ho, Thu-Van.Ho@lacity.org

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Thank you for your interest and we look forward to receiving your response to this TOS.

Sincerely,

Ali Poosti, Division Manager

Wastewater Engineering Services Division

LA Sanitation

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c: Abdul Danishwar, WESD Scott Hare, WESD Thu-Van Ho, WESD Karen Coca, SRCRD George Payba, SRCRD Julie Jacobe, SRCRD

# City of Los Angeles Department of Public Works Bureau of Sanitation (LASAN)

**On-call Consultant Services Contract** 

Task Order Solicitation (TOS) SN-62 for Los Angeles Green Arts Program

May 2016

### 1. Introduction

LA Sanitation (LASAN) has an existing Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Arts Earth Partnership (AEP) and City of Los Angeles Department of Cultural Affairs (DCA) for the implementation of the Los Angeles Green Arts Program, a component of the City of Los Angeles Green Business Certification Program. The current MOU will expire on June 27, 2016, and the City of Los Angeles would like to continue the program as well as increase the number of arts facilities certified in Los Angeles. The LA Green Arts Program (LAGAP) recognizes and promotes arts facilities such as theaters, museums, galleries, and studios that volunteer to operate in a more environmentally friendly and sustainable manner. LAGAP uses AEP's *Cultural Facility / Theater / Museum / Art Gallery / Studio Certification Requirements & Guide* to certify and focuses Program standards in eight areas of operations:

- 1) Operations and Culture
- 2) General Practices
- 3) Recycling and Solid Waste
- 4) Water Efficiency
- 5) Energy and Efficiency
- 6) Chemical Use and Pollution Prevention
- 7) Transportation
- 8) Landscape

Within each category, there are mandatory and optional criteria. AEP will conduct an initial site visit to assess the facility and list all required changes to be in compliance with AEP standards. AEP will also provide resources to help acquire the materials needed for compliance. Once AEP confirms changes have been made, the facility will receive a two-year certification, which includes an official LA Green Business/AEP affiliate certificate, LA Green Business/AEP window and box office decals, information packets for staff and visitors, be listed as an LA Green Business in the LASAN, DCA, AEP, and California Green Business Network websites. Certification results in reduced energy costs and landfill impact and carbon dioxide emissions. In addition to the positive environmental impacts, benefits include being recognized as an official LA Green Business by the City, generating greater audience enthusiasm, and becoming leaders in innovation and sustainability in the community.

### 2. Scope of Services

LASAN is soliciting a qualified consultant firm to continue implementation of the LAGAP and certify green arts facilities properties using AEP's standards.

- 1. The qualified consultant will prepare a LAGAP/ AEP certification package to include:
  - Introduction to the certification program
  - Checklist for arts facilities outlining the certification requirements
  - Instructions for applying for certification
  - Summary of benefits to the arts facility resulting from the certification award
- 2. The qualified consultant will evaluate applications and audit arts facilities for compliance to the standards.
- 3. The qualified consultant will submit a bi-monthly status report to the LASAN Project Manager no later than the last Friday of every other month. The report will include at a minimum the number of arts facilities being certified, status, type of certification, challenges.
- 4. The qualified consultant will be required to participate in conference calls at a minimum of once a month. Unexcused non-participation of more than once will cause a negative rating and will cause delay in release of grant money.

The qualified consultant will evaluate applications and audit arts facilities for compliance to established standards.

### 3. Term of Engagement

The term of engagement is three (3) years from the issuance date of NTP. It is estimated that the cost ceiling for this TOS is approximately \$150,000.

### **4. Solicitation Schedule** (Tentative)

- Receive Solicitation Responses......As indicated in Cover Letter.

### 5. Solicitation Response Requirements

Solicitation Responses shall not exceed ten (10) pages, exclusive of cover, dividers and resumes. Solicitation Responses shall be submitted to the following Bureau's staff via e-mail, no later than 2:00 pm of proposal due date indicated in cover letter:

- Julie Jacobe, julie.ann.jacobe@lacity.org
- Thu-Van Ho, thu-van.ho@lacity.org

Solicitation Responses shall include:

- Resume demonstrating that the candidate is capable of meeting the requirements of the Scope of Work. Resume shall include work experience history with dates, and references from past employers, owners, and/or organizations.
- Provide a proposed individual cost breakdown by tasks.
- Provide a breakdown of estimated time for completion of task.
- Proposed Hourly Billing Rate Summary for the proposed candidate with all respective direct and indirect costs, markups, expenses, overhead rates and profit. (Sample Attached).
- MBE/WBE/SBE/EBE/DVBE/OBE subcontractors utilized and the percent utilization. Note: Department of Public Works only recognizes:
  - ➤ MBE/WBE certifications certified by City of LA Bureau of Contract Administration (LABCA), LA County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA), CalTrans, The Southern California Minority Supplier Development Council (SCMSDC), or Women's Business Enterprise National Council (WBENC)-WEST; and any member of California Unified Certification Program (CUCP); and
  - ➤ SBE/EBE/DVBE certifications certified by LABCA or State of California Department of General Services (CA-DGS)
- Provide a copy of valid MBE/WBE/SBE/EBE/DVBE Certifications of MBE/WBE/SBE/EBE/DVBE subcontractors utilized.
- Statement pertaining to the candidate's availability.

### 6. Selection Criteria

The selection team will evaluate the proposals with the following criteria:

- Capability, and experience in providing the Scope of Services as demonstrated by the proposal.
- Expert knowledge and work experience associated with understanding of the issues, options, and approaches related to certification of arts facilities.
- Knowledge and understanding of the City of Los Angeles Green Business Certification Program.
- Familiarity and understanding of arts sector.
- The value offered to the City considering cost in comparison to capabilities and experience of the candidates.
- Expert knowledge and experience in environmental sustainability measures.
- Ability to effectively seek out and reach out to potential arts facilities for certification.

### 7. Suggested MBE/WBE/SBE/EBE/DVBE/OBE Participation Levels

The City had set anticipated participation levels (APLs) for sub-consultants as follows: 18% MBE, 4% WBE, 25% SBE, 8% EBE, and 3% DVBE. The City encourages the Primes to utilize these subconsultants wherever feasible.

Note: Sub-consultants that are not listed on Schedule A in your contract cannot be added and/or utilized without the performance of the outreach and approval of the LASAN.

### 8. Task Order Manager

The City's On-Call Contract Manager is: Ali Poosti, Division Manager, Wastewater Engineering Services Division, (323) 342-6228.

The Task Manager for this designated TOS is: Julie Jacobe, Management Analyst II, Solid Resources Citywide Recycling Division, (213) 485-2968.

### 9. <u>Disclaimer</u>

The City may or may not decide to award any or part of this task order based on its sole convenience and shall not be responsible for any solicitation response costs.

# HOURLY BILLING RATES

(To be submitted for each Task Order Solicitation)

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