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 Deputy Secretary

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March 24, 1995

Commerce Business Daily
 5959 South Harlam
 Chicago, IL 60638
 ATT: Marge

Dear Marge:

Attached is the Notice of a Request for Proposals (RFP) to solicit proposals for the review of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) permit application and other technical documents submitted to the State of New Mexico for the Department of Energy's (DOE) Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP).

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) is the authorized agency to process all RCRA permit applications. Since the DOE's application is technically extensive, the NMED has decided to contract out the review of this application. This announcement in the Commerce Business Daily is NMED's attempt to solicit as many qualified firms as possible for proposals to review the DOE application.

The DOE contact to call for verification of information in this request and on the need for this submittal is Craig Snider at (505) 234-7452.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please call me at (505) 827-4308. We would like to have this notice published on March 29, 1995. If this is not possible please call me. I understand there is no charge for this service.

Sincerely,

Barbara Hoditschek
 Barbara Hoditschek
 Program Manager
 RCRA Permitting

Enclosure

CC: Benito Garcia, Chief, HRMB
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March 27, 95

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

I. The New Mexico Environment Department is soliciting proposals from qualified firms to provide the following services:

Expertise in the review of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act permit application and other technical documents submitted to the State of New Mexico for the Department of Energy's Waste Isolation Pilot Plant. The review process will entail a completeness determination, technical evaluation, evaluation of responses from the applicant, decision analysis and administrative support of general permitting activities and technical evaluation of WIPP-related documents.

II. This request is to provide professional services to two (2) years from the date of the contract award with an option to extend the contract for up to a total of four (4) years. Proposals should include the qualifications of all personnel to be used in permit review activities and define what the role of each person will be in satisfying the scope of work of the proposed contract.

III. Tentative Schedule

- March 29, 1995 - RFP released
- April 19, 1995 - Interim proposal bid review conference
- May 10, 1995 - Proposals due no later than 4:00 pm MDT
- June 9, 1995 - Notice of proposed award(s) begin contract negotiations

IV. To obtain the Request for Proposals application packet, contact:

Barbara Hoditschek
 Hazardous & Radioactive Materials Bureau
 New Mexico Environment Department
 525 Camino de Los Marquez
 P.O. Box 26110
 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502-6110
 (505) 827-4308

V. An original and five (5) typed copies of the proposal must be received by registered mail or hand delivered to:

Cliff Hawley, Chief
 Personnel Services Bureau
 New Mexico Environment Department
 P.O. Box 26110
 1190 St. Francis Drive
 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502-6110

by 4:00 pm, MDT, May 10, 1995.

VI. The following weighted evaluation factors will be used in rating the proposals:

- 20 - Personnel qualifications and experience ✓
- 20 - RCRA experience ✓
- 20 - Review Capabilities: in-house equipment, materials, staff expertise and services offered ✓
- 25 - Costs ✓
- 15 - Local (New Mexico) office ✓

VII. Any proposal may be rejected in whole or in part when it is in the best interest of the New Mexico Environment Department.

VIII. The Procurement Code: Sections 13-1-28 to 13-1-199 NMSA 1978, imposes civil and criminal penalties for its violation. In addition, the New Mexico criminal statutes impose felony penalties for illegal gratuities and kick-backs.

IX. Offerors submitting proposals may be afforded an opportunity for discussion and revision of proposals. Revision may be permitted after submission of proposals and prior to award, for the purpose of obtaining the best and final offers.

X. The contents of any proposal shall not be disclosed so as to be available to competing offerors during the negotiation process.

XI. All costs incurred by the offeror in the preparation transmittal or presentation of any proposal or material submitted in response to this RFP will be borne solely by the offeror.

XII. The New Mexico Environment Department may negotiate provisions in addition to those stipulated in this RFP with a successful offeror.

XIII. Offerors must prepare a certification of independent price determination which certifies that no collusion, as defined by the Federal and State anti-trust laws, occurred during proposal preparation.

XIV. Award of contracts may not necessarily go to the lowest bidders.

XV. Minority Business Enterprises and Women Minority Business Enterprises are encouraged to apply.



GARY E. JOHNSON
GOVERNOR

March 27, 1995

Ms. Pat Rascon
Carlsbad Current Argus
P.O. Box 1629
Carlsbad, NM 88220

Dear Ms. Rascon:

Please publish the enclosed legal notice in either your March 29 newspaper, or as soon after as possible. Please return a copy of the notice as published with a certificate of date published. Address the bill to:

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Hazardous and Radioactive Materials Bureau
New Mexico Environment Department
P.O. Box 26110
Santa Fe, NM 87502

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Steve Zappe at (505) 827-4308.

Sincerely,

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Ms. Brandi Sorensen
Hobbs Daily News Sun
P.O. Box 860
Hobbs, NM 88241-0860

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Ms. Christine Flores
Las Vegas Daily Optic
P.O. Drawer 2607
Las Vegas, NM 87701

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Ms. Fran Saunders
Roswell Daily Record
P.O. Box 1897
Roswell, NM 88201

Dear Ms. Saunders:

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Ms. Julie Valdez
Clovis News Journal
P.O. Box 1689
Clovis, NM 88101

Dear Ms. Valdez:

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Ms. Bernadette Ortiz
Albuquerque Journal
P.O. Box J-T
Albuquerque, NM 87103

Dear Ms. Ortiz:

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Ms. Idalee Sisneros
The New Mexican
P.O. Box 2048
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Dear Ms. Sisneros:

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P.S.: I realize you want a purchase order number prior to publication of legal notices. Please call Chika Ezeanyim at 827-4308 with the total cost so she can obtain a purchase order number for you. Thank you.

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Ms. Mary Lou Bennett
Farmington Daily Times
P.O. Box 450
Farmington, NM 87401

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Ms. Rosie Monarrez
Las Cruces Sun News
256 W. Las Cruces Avenue
Las Cruces, NM 88004-1749

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Ms. Sarah Geary
Alamogordo Daily Sun
P.O. Box 870
Alamogordo, NM 88311-0870

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