

United States Military Academy (USMA) at West Point, NY

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#	Question Reference	Question	Answer
1	Request For Proposal	Is this Task Order going to be Administered after contract award by Rock Island Contracting Office or the West Point MICC? The overall concern is historically the West Point MICC has not honored the Task Order contract Award issued by Rock Island. Specially they have not honored the Invoicing Guide issued by Rock Island during the procurement phrase.	The contract will be administered by Army Contracting Command -Rock Island.
2	Request For Proposal	Is the average approval and payment of invoices associated with this Task Order going to be within 30 days of invoice submission or is the invoice approval and payment time frame going to remain 65 to 90 (plus) days of invoice submission? Over the last 12 months—the West Point MICC has averaged 60 to 90 days for payment on their invoices for these services.	The Government fully expects to have all submitted invoices approved within 30 days; subject to the availability of funds. Please refer to Clause I-159 of the solicitation, Federal Acquisition Regulation 52.216-7.
3	Request For Proposal	Will the government provide seniority information to companies interested in submitting a proposal for this effort? The employees under this task order have an average employee time frame of 12 to 15 years of service under this contract.	No, the government is not required to track this type of data; therefore this information is not available at this time. However, the awardee will receive a certified list as per Federal Acquisition Regulation 22.1204.

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4	Request For Proposal	Will the government provide information regarding employees receiving cash in lieu vs. benefits? Historically, 95% of the employees under this task order require cash in lieu for their Health and Welfare and PTO balances	No, the government is not required to track this type of data; therefore this information cannot be released. The employee benefits package is a business decision of those who propose on this effort, however, all applicable laws and regulations must be followed by the contractor.
5	Request For Proposal	Will the government advise potential bidders that ODC cost will have to be 100% paid before the government will allow the contractor to invoice for these charges?	As Other Direct Costs are Cost Reimbursable Contract Line Item Numbers (CLINs) the contractor will require approval from the proper Government authority prior to incurring costs, as well as proof submitted with the invoice that the cost was in fact incurred. Refer to Performance Work Statement 1.12.1 and 5.10.2 for further information.
6	Request For Proposal	Will the government provide office computers, internet, copiers, cell phones, etc for the contractor as government issued equipment/services? Or will the contractor be responsible for these items?	Performance Work Statement 4.1.2 states: Except for those items and services specifically stated in Section C-3 as Government-furnished, the contractor shall furnish everything needed to perform this Contract according to all its terms and conditions as stated in specific sections of this Performance Work Statement and as identified in the Purchasing/Invoicing Guide.
7	Request For Proposal	Will the government provide the current incumbent bridge contract awarded price and time frame of the current bridge contract with Chenega?	The section A narrative of the solicitation refers to the incumbent contractors, along with the contract numbers. No further information will be provided by the Government.
8	Performance Work Statement	Will the government provide information regarding the 100 current maintenance vendors required under this contract to support maintenance operations?	The Government is unable to provide this information.

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9	Performance Work Statement	Will the government provide information regarding the sole source vendor for cell phone and telephone services?	Verizon is the telephone service provider and cell phone provider.