

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ADDENDUM FOR WORKFORCE ONE (WF1) 6.0 REWRITE REQUEST FOR OFFERS

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| Please confirm the budget Do you have an approved budget amount or these positions that you can share with us? | There are several features of the new system that need Joint Application Design with business and agreed upon business requirements prior to finalizing a project budget. These activities will be completed shortly after launching the project. |
| Confirm if any incumbent Is there an incumbent? Are there incumbents? | This is considered a new project and does not have any identified incumbents. |
| Who wrote and implemented Workforce One 5.0 | MN.IT@DEED developed and implemented Workforce One 5.0 internally. |
| Do all candidates need to be from the same vendor? Do you plan to award this business to one vendor, or split across multiple vendors? Do you prefer to have one company for all three roles? Can we submit resumes for one or two of the positions requested, or do we need to submit resumes for all three positions? Do we have to have 3 resumes/candidates: .Net Architect, .Net Developer and Business Analyst to be qualified to submit the proposal? <u>On this RFO The State needs a team comprised of a .Net Architect, a .Net programmer and a BA. Do we need to submit candidates in each category or can we submit only one? i.e.: Can I send in just a .Net programmer?</u> | Yes, all candidates are expected to be from the same vendor. Proposals need to include one resume for each resource be submitted for all three positions. |
| <u>Are you open to having one candidate act as both architect and developer if they are qualified to do both and accustomed to such a dual role?</u> | <u>We expect that this may need more than one resource, however, if one vendor is able and capable to perform all of the duties, they may submit their resume outlining their experience and we will score accordingly.</u> |

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| What is the maximum number of candidates for each position that each vendor could propose Is there a maximum number of resumes that we can submit in our response? If so, what is that? | One resume per position |
| Do you expect us to propose the cost by hourly rate for each position or by whole project? If by hourly rate, can you please let us know what is the expected maximum rate for each position: .Net Architect, .Net Developer and Business Analyst? | We are expecting the proposal to include an hourly rate per position. Maximum rates as established by the SITE program will be followed. It is the expectation of the vendor to submit a proposed hourly rate for each resource that will not exceed the program's allowed maximum rate. |
| <u>Regarding the Dot Net role, can we present the resource with C# experience? Is VB.Net experience mandatory? Is there any possibility of using C # as the language instead of .NET?</u> | <u>No. We are looking for a solid VB.Net background.</u> |
| Are the resources required to travel? If yes, how could the vendor bill the travelling costs? | There will be the potential for travel within the state however, it will not be extensive. Travel expense can be reimbursed via the project budget at the state mileage rate if it becomes a requirement. At this time, do not include travel costs in your response. |
| Do you accept H1B candidates who are not citizens or green card holders but have US working visa? | It is up to the vendor to submit resources that have proper documentation to work in the United States, yet documentation of the resources status may be obtained during backgrounds checks. |
| What date do you expect the Architect and Business Analyst to start this project? Should we assume 12/15/2014? | It is anticipated that the Architect and Business Analyst will be starting in December once the contract is established. There is no guaranteed start date. |
| What date do you expect the Developer / programmer to start on this project? Should we assume 2/9/2014? | It is anticipated that the developer will be starting in February, 2015. There is no guaranteed start date for this position. |

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| <p><u>Do we need to present candidates for the developer/programmer role? Since the developer position is not anticipated to be needed until February, 2015. The presented candidates will also be not available till February. Please advise.</u></p> | <p><u>Yes. We are asking for resumes for all positions.</u></p> |
| <p><u>The RFP asks for an architect, analyst and developer but states the developer won't be needed for 60 days or more. Do we need to reply with all candidates for all three positions, or can we submit just for the architect and BA? It will be difficult for any firm to guarantee a .net developer in this market "for future?"</u></p> | <p><u>We are expecting resumes for all three positions</u></p> |
| <p>Is there a chance for extending the contractor duration (longer than 2015)?</p> | <p>We are expecting work to be completed within the time frames noted in the solicitation.</p> |

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