

INVITATION FOR BID

ISSUING OFFICE:

Guam Power Authority-Procurement Office
1st. Floor, Room 101
Gloria B. Nelson Public Service Building
688 Route 15
Mangilao, Guam 96913

Attn: JOHN M. BENAVENTE, P.E.

General Manager
c/o JAMIE LYNN C. PANGELINAN
Supply Management Administrator



12/28/2022

BEATRICE P. LIMTIACO DATE
General Manager (A)

DATE ISSUED: 01/03/2023 BID INVITATION NO.: GPA-017-23
01/10/2023
BID FOR: Wires
SPECIFICATION: See Attached
DESTINATION: Guam Power Authority, Dededo Supply Warehouse
REQUIRED DELIVERY DATE: 12 Weeks After Receipt of Order

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS:

INDICATE WHETHER: _____ INDIVIDUAL _____ PARTNERSHIP _____ CORPORATION

INCORPORATED IN: _____

This bid shall be submitted in duplicate and sealed to the issuing office above no later than (Time) 10:00 A.M.
Date: January 18, 2023 and shall be publicly opened. Bid submitted after the time and date specified above shall be rejected. See attached General Terms and Conditions and Sealed Bid Solicitation for details.

The undersigned offers and agrees to furnish within the time specified, the articles and services at the price stated opposite the respective items listed on the schedule provided, unless otherwise specified by the bidder. In consideration to the expense of the Government in opening, tabulating, and evaluating this and other bids, and other considerations, the undersigned agrees that this bid remain firm and irrevocable within one hundred twenty (120) calendar days from the date opening to supply any or all of the items which prices are quoted.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF BIDDER:

SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF PERSON
AUTHORIZED TO SIGN THIS BID:

AWARD: CONTRACT NO.: _____ AMOUNT: _____ DATE: _____

ITEM NO(S). AWARDED: _____

CONTRACTING OFFICER:

BEATRICE P. LIMTIACO DATE
General Manager (A)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR:

SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF PERSON



GUAM POWER AUTHORITY

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January 30, 2023

AMENDMENT NO.: III

TO

INVITATION FOR BID NO.: GPA-017-23

FOR

WIRES

Prospective Bidders are hereby notified of the following response to an inquiry received from Bidder No. 2 dated January 27, 2023:

Bidder No.: 2 dated 01/13/2023:

QUESTION:

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[] 7. "ALL OR NONE" BIDS: Unless otherwise allowed under this Solicitation. "all or none" bids may be deemed to be non-responsive. If the bid is so limited, the Government may reject part of such proposal and award on the remainder.

Please consider changing this an ALL OR NONE bid. SGS test fees are at a fixed rate per order for example, if there are three types of wire in an order the SGS test fee would be the same as if the order were for just one type of wire. This means that if just one of the wires in the bid spec is chosen, its cost would rise to incorporate that entire SGS Test Fee.

ANSWER:

The Guam Power Authority stands firm with not selecting Item 7 - "ALL OR NONE" BIDS of the General Terms and Condition as this is not made a part of the bid requirement. This requirement remains in Full Force.

All other Terms and Conditions in the bid package shall remain unchanged and in full force.


for JOHN M. BENAVENTE, P.E.
General Manager



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January 24, 2023

AMENDMENT NO.: II

TO

INVITATION FOR BID NO.: GPA-017-23

FOR

WIRES

Prospective Bidders are hereby notified of the following changes and responses to inquiries received from Bidder No. 2 dated January 09, 2023 and Bidder No. 3 dated January 18, 2023:

CHANGES:

1. **REMOVE** Pages 3a of 35 and **REPLACE** with 3b of 35 (see attached):

Under INVITATION FOR BID, REQUIRED DELIVERY DATE is changed **FROM** 12 Weeks After Receipt of Order (ARO) **TO NOW READ** 38 Weeks After Receipt of Order (ARO).

2. **REMOVE** Pages 4 and 5 of 35 and **REPLACE** with 4a and 5a of 35 (see attached):

Under DELIVERY REQUIREMENT is changed **FROM** 12 Weeks After Receipt of Order (ARO) **TO NOW READ** 38 Weeks After Receipt of Order (ARO).

Bidder No.: 3 dated 01/18/2023:

QUESTION:

Regarding the delivery time frames of items 1.0 and 2.0 for IFB GPA-017-23 We would like to request for a change of the delivery requirements from 12 weeks to the following:

Item 1.0 – 38 weeks

Item 2.0 – 38 weeks

The manufacturer (Southwire) will not be able to meet your required delivery date of 12 weeks ARO.

ANSWER:

Kindly refer to **CHANGE** above.

Bidder No.: 2 dated 01/09/2023:

QUESTION:

1) 7.2.4. The center strand of stranded conductors shall be indented with the manufacturer's name and year of manufacture at regular intervals with no more than 12 inches (0.3 m) between repetitions. Do the center strand of stranded conductors must be indented with the manufacturer's name and year of manufacture?

ANSWER:

The Authority will waive this requirement GPA Specification E-001 Revision 2 Section 7.2.4. dated April 23, 2013 for this specific tender.

QUESTION:

2) 7.4.1. The pellets used in the manufacture of the insulation shall be the Dow Chemical Company HFDB-4202 EC compound. extra-clean" high-molecular-weight polyethylene. Could an equivalent substitute be made for the Dow Chemical Company HFDB-4202 EC compound?

ANSWER:

Yes, vendor will have to provide Evidence / Literature of the equivalent compound.

QUESTION:

3) 7.7.1. The jacket material shall be an extruded to fill jacket that fills the area between the concentric neutral wires and covers the wires to the proper thickness. The jacket shall be free stripping from underlying insulation shield and wires. The jacket shall have three red stripes longitudinally extruded into the jacket surface 120° apart as per ANSIIIEA S-94-649. Can we do without the red color stripe? Or 1 red color stripe?

ANSWER:

The Authority will waive this requirement GPA Specification E-001 Revision 2 Section 7.7.1. dated April 23, 2013 for this specific tender.

QUESTION:


4) 7.5 .1. The shielding shall be in intimate contact with the outer surface of the insulation and shall be free stripp leaving no conducting particles or other residue on the surface of the insulation. The shield shall be applied such that all conducting material can be easily removed without the need for externally applied heat. Stripping removal tension values shall be a minimum of six (6) pounds and a maximum of eighteen (18) pounds. Stripping removal tension values must be within a minimum of six (6) pounds and a maximum of eighteen (18) pounds?

ANSWER:

Yes, The Authority stands firm on the GPA Specifications E-001 Revision 2 Section 7.5.1. dated April 23, 2013.

All other Terms and Conditions in the bid package shall remain unchanged and in full force.



for JOHN M. BENAVENTE, P.E.
General Manager 



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January 11, 2023

AMENDMENT NO.: I

TO

INVITATION FOR BID NO.: GPA-017-23

FOR

WIRES

Prospective Bidders are hereby notified of the following response and change to an inquiry received from Bidder No. 1 dated January 05, 2023:

CHANGES:

1. Bid Opening Date is changed *FROM* 10:00 A.M., Wednesday, January 18, 2023 (CHamoru Standard Time) *TO NOW READ* 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, January 31, 2023 (CHamoru Standard Time).
2. *REMOVE* Page 3 of 35 and *REPLACE* with Page 3a of 35 (see attached)
Under Invitation for Bid, Instruction to Bidders, Paragraph one has changed

FROM:

This bid shall be submitted in duplicate and sealed to the issuing office above no later than (Time) 10:00 A.M., Date: January 18, 2023 and shall be publicly opened. Bid submitted after the time and date specified above shall be rejected. See attached General Terms and Conditions and Sealed Bid Solicitation for details.

TO NOW READ:

- * This bid shall be submitted in duplicate and sealed to the issuing office above no later than (Time) 10:00 A.M., Date: January 31, 2023 and shall be publicly opened. Bid submitted after the time and date specified above shall be rejected. See attached General Terms and Conditions and Sealed Bid Solicitation for details.

3. *REMOVE* Page 1 of 35 and *REPLACE* with Page 1a of 35 (see attached)
Under To All Interested Parties, has changed.

FROM:

To All Interested Parties:

Most pandemic-related mandates were lifted effective May 3, 2022. To ensure the continued safety and well-being of GPA personnel, prospective bidders, and guests, please be advised of the following:

1. Virtual meetings and/or conferences are preferred and will be coordinated through the GPA Procurement Division.
2. For In-Person meetings and/or conferences:
 - a. Limit of one (1) representative per prospective bidder when submitting any procurement proposal, and to attend public bid openings.
 - b. Face masks and social distancing may be employed at the option of the individual.
 - c. Persons displaying cold or flu-like symptoms will be asked to leave.

TO NOW READ:

*To All Interested Parties:

The Guam Power Authority, Procurement Office will continue its efforts with improvement towards accountability, transparency, and efficiency to better serve GPA personnel, prospective bidders, and guests, please be advised of the following revision:

1. Virtual meetings and/or conferences with continual efforts will be coordinated through the GPA Procurement Division.
2. For In-Person meetings and/or conferences:
 - a. Please contact our office for scheduled hand delivery of Sealed Bid submission on or before scheduled Opening/Closing date and time with confirmation:
Tel: (671) 648-3054/5 and/or (671) 648-3045
email: jdpangelinan@gpagwa.com
email: aaquifunas@gpagwa.com
email: jpangelinan@gpagwa.com
 - b. Face masks and social distancing may be employed at the option of the individual.

RESPONSE:

Bidder No.: 1 dated 01/05/2023:

QUESTION:

As our contact with our suppliers are still on Holiday vacation, we would like to request for an extension of the bid date for the following GPA Bids until January 31, 2023.

1. GPA-017-23 - Wires
2. GPA-018-23 - Wires

ANSWER:

Kindly see CHANGES 1 and 2 above.

All other Terms and Conditions in the bid package shall remain unchanged and in full force.


for JOHN M. BENAVENTE, P.E.
General Manager
