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Federal Business Opportunities

Technical and Price Proposal

FBO

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1.0 Overview

1.1 Introduction

The purpose of this document is to provide the technical overview for eight new enhancements to the FBO web site as voted on by the Change Control Board. These enhancements include the development of a mobile phone app, new documentation and demonstration videos, changes for HBCU/MI, updated FSD Support Desk User accounts, and the ability for vendors to download. This document will serve as an agreement between the General Services Administration, Integrated Acquisition Environment as client, and Symplicity Corporation, as contractor regarding the functions that the system will perform.

1.2 Background

The Federal Business Opportunities (FBO) System serves as the single Government-wide Point of Entry (GPE) for federal agencies and contractors for federal procurement opportunities. It operates in a fair, consistent, and competitive manner, beginning with the initial forecast of opportunities through the award of the contract, using the most efficient and effective technological means available. The system focuses on service delivery to its primary customers, the federal procurement community and its suppliers. It is the government's primary tool in managing federal procurement opportunities.

1.3 Project Scope

The General Services Administration (GSA), Integrated Acquisition Environment (IAE) is responsible for operating, maintaining, and enhancing the FBO web site. FBO.gov is a key shared system of the IAE. The current FBO system is a web-based application located at http://www.fbo.gov or http://www.fedbizopps.gov. FBO provides a method for the posting of agency requirements, solicitations, and other notices in accordance with the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Part 5.

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2.0 Technical Approach

2.1 FOIA Request

Task

Symplicity will process a FOIA request of the following data elements for all notices posted to the FBO system from Jan 1, 2000 to present day:

- Date
- Class Code
- NAICS
- Office Address
- Subject
- Solicitation Number
- Response Date
- Archive Date
- Contact
- Description
- URL
- Email Address
- Set Aside
- Place of Performance Address
- Place of Performance Country

The request will exclude the specific agencies and office locations. See attached FBO Agency Exclude List.

This request requires a system maintenance period due to the impacts the data request will have on system for users. System maintenance will be conducted over a weekend TBD by the GSA, Keil Todd.

Assumptions

- POC information will be excluded from all entries
- Information will not include any information from the FBO Agency Exclude List
- Requires additional scripting to limit the number of rows of data per CSV file; multiple files(links) will be provided for the request which will remain active for **30 days** from execution
- Request will be processed over a weekend and will require monitoring as it runs; a system maintenance period is suggested to lessen the impact on user community

Pricing

FOIA Request	Symplicity Labor Rates	Hours	
Systems Analysis and Programming Director (PE)	$137.62	23	$3,165.26
		Total	$3,165.26

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3.0 Overall Assumptions

• Ownership of Symplicity proprietary software will not be affected by this contract. Symplicity will retain any and all ownership and rights it already possesses in proprietary data and computer software.

• Retention of Rights, Non-delivery of Proprietary Code, or Delivery as Restricted Rights Computer Software Only: Symplicity will use its proprietary SympleObjects e-Business Framework and SympleObjects Mobile Framework and computer software to manage and run the system. While the Government will own data provided by the Government or input by end users, and will retain unlimited use of any customized user interfaces prepared for it under the contract, Symplicity will retain all rights in its proprietary computer software and related data. In the event any Symplicity proprietary software or data is required to be delivered, it will ONLY be delivered with Limited Rights in data and Restricted Rights in Software per FAR 52.227-14, Alternate III, which should be included in the contract if any such delivery is anticipated. Symplicity will grant a license to the Government and its end users during the contract term for use of Symplicity's proprietary computer software per FAR 52.227-19.

• Symplicity agrees that the Government will own and/or have Unlimited Rights in data supplied by the Government or input by end users to populate data fields, and will enjoy Unlimited Rights in any customized user interfaces or other code or schemas specifically prepared at its direction under the contract. However, Symplicity must retain all rights in its proprietary computer software and related data. To the extent this or other contract clauses might be read to necessitate the delivery of any proprietary Symplicity code (e.g., SympleObjects) or data, Symplicity reserves the right to withhold delivery under FAR 52.227-14. If delivery of any such data and computer software is anticipated, FAR 52.227-14 (Alternate III) should be included in the contract and the data and software will only be delivered as limited rights data or restricted rights computer software per FAR 52.227-14, Alternate III. License rights will be in accordance with FAR 52.227-19 for the period of performance.

• In regards to Ownership Of Intellectual Property And Rights In Data -- among other proprietary data and computer software, Symplicity is using its SympleObjects e-Business Framework, SympleObjects Mobile Framework, Symplicity's e-Procurement™, CSM™ (Opportunity Management System) computer software for the system. This computer software was developed at private expense and is also the type of software that is customarily used by the general public, non-governmental entities. As such, the computer software can also be characterized as commercial computer software. Symplicity retains all rights to its use per FAR 52.227- 14 (Alternate III), FAR 27.401, FAR 27.404-2, and FAR 27.405-3.

• Symplicity reserves the right to deliver proprietary data and computer software only as limited rights data and restrictive rights computer software per FAR 52.227-14 (Alternate III) and/or FAR 52.227-19.