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REQUEST FOR STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS - INFORMATIONAL UPDATE 4 FOR ON-CALL ENVIRONMENTAL LABORATORY SERVICES PROGRAMS (BRC0000281)

Please note that the deadline to submit your statement of qualifications in response to this solicitation is **Wednesday, March 29, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.**

The following answers are in response to the request for information and clarification submitted by proposers for the Request for Statement of Qualifications for On-Call Environmental Laboratory Services Programs (BRC0000281), issued on December 20, 2022, and reopened on March 1, 2023, for Service Contract Group A, Stormwater and Service Contract Group C, Industrial/Hazardous Substances/Waste. The questions presented in this informational update represent the questions asked by the proposers in the form and context as submitted.

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS TO ON-CALL ENVIRONMENTAL LABORATORY SERVICES PROGRAMS (BRC0000281)

1. **Question:** How many contracts will be awarded?

Response: As detailed in Part I, Section 4, Award of Contract, on page 1.30, each proposer whose Statement of Qualifications (SOQ) meets the minimum mandatory requirements and receives a preliminary score of no less than 70 points in accordance with the evaluation criteria set forth herein, may be awarded a contract.

This applies to both Service Contract Groups A and C, which have been reopened. Proposers may submit their SOQ for either one, or both of the groups. Proposers must clearly specify for which Service Contract Group(s) they are submitting a SOQ. SOQs will be evaluated and awarded independently. The assignment of work for each Group will be in accordance with Section F

(Assignment of Work) of the corresponding Scope of Work for each Group: Exhibit A.1 (Stormwater) and A.3 (Industrial/Hazardous Substances/Waste).

2. **Question:** Who were the incumbent contractors on the previous contract?

Response: The current contractor for On-Call Environmental Laboratory Services Program – Wastewater (Service Contract Group A), and On-Call Environmental Laboratory Services Program - Industrial/Hazardous Waste (Service Contract Group C), is Advanced Technology Laboratories, Inc.

3. **Question:** Are the estimated value amounts per year or a total of three years?

Response: The estimated annual amounts listed on the Request for Statement of Qualifications notice are annual amounts.

If you have any questions concerning the above information, please contact Ms. Amber Albert at (626) 458-4199 or Mr. Danny Medina at (626) 458-4080, Monday through Thursday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Very truly yours,

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