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# SOLICITATION NUMBER: DEFK13017 Addendum Number: 1

The purpose of this addendum is to modify the solicitation identified as DEFK13017 ("Solicitation") to reflect the change(s) identified and described below.

[	1	Modify bid opening date and time
[	]	Modify specifications of product or service being sought
[	]	Attachment of vendor questions and responses
[	]	Attachment of pre-bid sign-in sheet
[	]	Correction of error
	X]	Other

## **Description of Modification to Solicitation:**

Applicable Addendum Category:

To attach the clarifications to the specifications. The question deadline remain 05/21/2013 at 5:00 pm. The bid opening is scheduled for 05/30/2013 at 1:30 pm.

**Additional Documentation:** Documentation related to this Addendum (if any) has been included herewith as Attachment A and is specifically incorporated herein by reference.

#### Terms and Conditions:

- 1. All provisions of the Solicitation and other addenda not modified herein shall remain in full force and effect.
- Vendor should acknowledge receipt of all addenda issued for this Solicitation by completing an Addendum Acknowledgment, a copy of which is included herewith. Failure to acknowledge addenda may result in bid disqualification. The addendum acknowledgement should be submitted with the bid to expedite document processing.

## **ATTACHMENT A**

### **CLARIFICATIONS:**

1. To remove the following paragraph from the original RFQ in its entirety:

Surveys for Indiana bats will be conducted during June and July 2013 on all suitable habitat located on the 3 tracts. Surveys for this species should adhere to the guidelines outlined in the USFWS protocol. Surveys will not be conducted during rain events or when temperatures are below 50 deg F. Protocol calls for one net site per km of stream and two net sites per square km of forested habitat. Each site should consist of: 1) at least four net nights, 2) a minimum of two net locations at each site, 3) a minimum of 2 nights of netting beginning at sunset for at least 5 hours. Each net site requires a crew of 2 persons and 3 crews can work at a time. In previous surveys fifteen net sites were approved by the USFWS to cover all managed lands on CDCTA. It will be the responsibility of the contractor to get the proposed netting scenario approved by the USFWS prior to netting.

and replace with the following paragraph:

Surveys for Indiana bats will be conducted prior to 15 August 2013 on all suitable habitat located on the 3 tracts. Surveys for this species should adhere to the guidelines outlined in the USFWS 2013 Revised Range-Wide Indiana Bat Summer Survey Guidelines (May 2013)

http://www.fws.gov/midwest/Endangered/mammals/inba/surveys/pdf/FinalRevised2013 IndianaBatSummerSurveyGuidelines5May2013.pdf. It will be the responsibility of the contractor to get the proposed netting or acoustic scenario approved by the USFWS prior to netting.

- 2. To remove Section 2.2 from the RFQ in its entirety:
  - 2.2 "Qualified Biologist" is an individual who holds a USFWC Recovery Permit (Federal Fish and Wildlife Permit) for federally-listed bats in the state/region in which they are surveying and/or has been authorized by the appropriate state agency to mist-net for Indiana bats. Several USFWS offices maintain lists of qualified bat surveyors, and if working in one of those states with authorizations in lieu of a Recovery Permits, the individual will either need to be on that list or submit qualifications to receive USFWS approval prior to conducting any field work.

and replace with the following:

2.2 "Qualified Biologist" is an individual who holds a USFWS Recovery Permit (Federal Fish and Wildlife Permit) for Indiana bats in the state/region in which they are surveying and/or has been authorized by the appropriate state agency to net and handle Indiana bats. Several USFWS offices maintain lists of qualified bat surveyors, and if working in one of those states with authorizations in lieu of a Recovery Permits, the individual will either need to be on that list or submit qualifications to receive USFWS approval prior to conducting any field work.

# ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM SOLICITATION NO.: DEFK13017

**Instructions:** Please acknowledge receipt of all addenda issued with this solicitation by completing this addendum acknowledgment form. Check the box next to each addendum received and sign below. Failure to acknowledge addenda may result in bid disqualification.

**Acknowledgment:** I hereby acknowledge receipt of the following addenda and have made the necessary revisions to my proposal, plans and/or specification, etc.

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I understand that failure to confirm the receipt of addenda may be cause for rejection of this bid. I further understand that that any verbal representation made or assumed to be made during any oral discussion held between Vendor's representatives and any state personnel is not binding. Only the information issued in writing and added to the specifications by an official addendum is binding.										
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