



RE: Notice of Intent

Sea Level Rise Study Negotiated Acquisition

PIN#: 01712N0001

The New York City Office of Emergency Management (OEM), on behalf of the Office of Long Term Planning and Sustainability (OLTPS), intends to enter into negotiations with one or more qualified vendors with expertise in completing a technical study of the projected effect of future sea level rise on coastal flooding in New York City.

A contract award will be made by the Negotiated Acquisition source selection method, pursuant to City of New York Procurement Policy Board Rules (PPB Rules) §§ 3-04(b)(2), because OEM has determined that it is neither practical nor advantageous to award the proposed contract by competitive sealed bids or competitive sealed proposals, and that this source selection method is in the City's best interest.

It is anticipated that the contract to be awarded through this Negotiated Acquisition will have an initial one-year term commencing on January 1, 2013 and ending on December 31, 2013.

The Office of Long Term Planning and Sustainability has identified three vendors that it believes may be qualified to meet the scope of services and thus will be solicited for this procurement on Monday, October 15, 2012. The vendors are: (1) Stevens Institute for Technology, (2) Columbia University and (3) Massachusetts Institute for Technology.

Any other vendor with similar expertise that wishes to express interest in being considered for this procurement is invited to do so by sending an e-mail to Brian Genzmann, the OEM Procurement Analyst, at procurement@oem.nyc.gov by Monday, October 15, 2012 at 10:00 AM EST. E-mails must include the following information: the point of contact's name, their organization's name, a valid telephone number, fax number, and e-mail address. In addition to the vendors listed above, only those vendors that have expressed interest will receive the solicitation document on Monday, October 15, 2012.