Best Value Model

Pre-Proposal Information

<u>RFP 2014-022</u>

Physiotherapy Services



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NOT GOING TO CHANGE...

- Specifications
- Terms and Conditions
- Insurance & Bonding
- Contract
- Delivery System
- Pricing / Financials

Process overlays on top of these...



Best Value Objectives

- <u>Minimize risk of non-performance</u>
 - Highest value for cost
 - Leverage Proponent expertise to optimize project delivery
 - Differentiate: key individuals and their plan to deliver the project
 - Become a client of choice
- Minimize the need for client management & decision making.
 - Ability to lay out optimal project plan
 - Identify what you need from the Client
 - Opportunity to maximize profit by being more efficient

Value Based Project Delivery



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Selection Objective

Selection based upon Proponent Expertise

How to differentiate expertise?

- Ability to understand the project & plan your approach
- Identify & mitigate risks to the project
- Add value to optimize project
- Cost Competitive

What are we trying to accomplish?

Question:

If Purchasing wants to buy a "green circle", in which scenario is hiring the right "green circle" easiest to justify?

Scenario 1



Scenario 2



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Evaluation Criteria

Physiotherapy Criteria	Weight	Committee Rating	Numerical Value
Interviews	30		
Risk Assessment	20		
Service Capability	20	\sim	
Proposal Fee	15		\sim
Value Added	10	\sim	
Past Performance Information	05		\sim
Sample Treatment Status Report	P/F	-	-
Sample Invoicing Reports	P/F	-	-
Proponent Generated Solution	Optional	-	-
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3 Written Submittals

Blind Evaluations: standard templates, no modifications, and no names.



Format of Submittals

- ▲ **<u>DO NOT</u>** submit identifying names, pictures, clients, logos, etc.
- ▲ Template are provided and must be used.
- Proponents are NOT allowed to re-create, re-format, or modify the templates.
- ▲ The plans should not contain marketing material.
- ▲ Each submitted = must NOT exceed **2 pages**.



Service Capability



Service Capability

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SCHEDULE "E" SERVICE CAPABILITY

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The Proponent is to identify capability claims for how they plan to execute the services. The Service Capability submittal is structured to allow Proponents to provide a narrative of their approach or documented performance for: how the Proponent will address technical concents that are within the Proponent's control during service execution and how the Proponent will deliver critical aspects of the service claims of professional experience and certifications, and/or other capabilities possessed by the Proponent and their key personnel. (You may delete these instructions).

Technical Concern 1: Approach / Documented Performance 1:	
Technical Concern 2: Approach / Documented Performance 2:	
Technical Concern 3: Approach / Documented Performance 3:	
Technical Concern 4: Approach / Documented Performance 4:	
Technical Concern 5: Approach / Documented Performance 5:	
Technical Concern 7: Approach / Documented Performance 7:	

END OF SCHEDULE "E"

Technical Concern 1: Approach / Documented Performance 1:

Risk: Decline in Customer Service Standards **Type:** Service Capability



• <u>Plan 1</u>

 We will use our 20 years of experience in bookstore services to minimize the risk of declining customer service standards.

• <u>Plan 2</u>

- Sales associate training is key. We have a formal training program for new employees (and an annual refresher training for current employees) that has been successful at 5 previous service sites of similar size and scope.
- We will implement a secret shopper program to ensure we maintain our company-wide 88% positive rate and our 93% positive local rate.
- We will also conduct annual customer service satisfaction surveys with direct end-users. Suggestions and complaints will be incorporated in a proposed annual performance review meeting with the Owner group to reassess opportunities to add value after each year during the contract.



Risk: Availability of Online Self-Service Portal for Online Housing Applications **Type:** Service Capability

• <u>Plan 1</u>

 Vendor will evaluate existing Owner software platforms to ensure integration and availability of the Online Self-Service Solution

• <u>Plan 2</u>

- Vendor will provide a Portal Framework for all online self-service solutions. This Portal does not require any 3rd party web development software or web development expertise by the Owner.
- This approach minimizes risk of error and downtime that would normally occur if the Owner was required to use html templates, dedicate a web developer, or have to modify html code directly.
- The Portal Framework has been used on three previous projects with zero downtime events.

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Risk: Emergency Response **Type:** Service Capability

Travel Management company using an outsourced Emergency Travel service. An outsourced service may not have access to the client's company or personal profiles. This can result in additional costs. Not being a direct client of this service, the service level can be minimal.

In-house wholly owned 24/7 Emergency Travel Centre (ETC)

- Service provided by our employees with access to corporate and personal profiles
- Access to original reservations, both full service and online
- All ETC calls and changes are tracked and reported

Risk: Management Reporting

Type: Service Capability

Inaccurate & inconsistent Management Reporting

You can't manage what you can't measure. Accurate reporting is a key element and requirement in successful vendor negotiations and in support of those agreements. Without reporting, you would not be able to have a clear understanding of your travel trends and volumes. Travel management reporting is key in supporting the travel policy. A web based reporting tool that provides 120 pre and post trip management reports.

- · Allows online access via a secure log-in anytime, anywhere
- Tools to measure and manage vendor support and policy compliance
- Management reports can be sent out regularly to designated contacts
- Regular reviews of your management reports will provide "true" analyses on opportunities for contract negotiation, viability of flight passes for frequent travellers, as well as, an audit tool to identify non-compliance to policy

Risk: Noise from Demolition **Type:** Service Capability



- <u>Plan 1</u>
 - We will work with the user to minimize the impact of noise from demolition.

• <u>Plan 2</u>

- We have planned to demolition during off hours and weekends. This will have a slight impact on our cost (less than 1%), but the impact to customer satisfaction justifies this.
- We will also install rubber sheets on the floors to diminish noise and vibrations.
- Both solutions can be performed within your budget.
- Both solutions have been used on multiple previous projects w/ high levels of customer satisfaction (9.4/10).

Risk: Documented Performance Type: Service Capability

- Project Manager Experience
 - The proposed Project Manager and Pre-Construction Manager have put in place \$87.4M in design-build construction projects in the past five years.
 - The team's schedule deviation is (-1.5%), their Vendor generated change order rate is 0%, and their overall customer satisfaction rating is 98%.
- <u>Roofing SubVendor</u>
 - We have selected a roofing Vendor who surveyed 8 past clients on completed jobs worth \$750,000 and received a customer satisfaction rating of 10 out of 10.

Risk Assessment





Risk Assessment

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Risk: Safe Food Supply/Food Born Illness

Type: Risk Assessment

• <u>Plan 1</u>



- We will work with the owner to ensure proper response protocol in the event of a food-borne illness
- In the unlikely event of a food-borne illness, our strong relationships with local, state, and national health agencies will ensure a 24-hour response.

• <u>Plan 2</u>

 If a food safety issue arises, the client's risk of exposure will be minimized by:

1) Vendor's system will issue a safety alert and related directives to 10,000+ units and all ASU email accounts in less than 15 minutes.

2) The vendor will place a lock within in its foodservices purchasing system on any food with risk so it cannot be purchased,

3) The vendor will remove all potentially harmful products within the first hour of notice.

4) The vendor will identify as many purchasers as possible through credit receipt names and the client system to notify them individually. Warnings will be placed around campus within two hours of discovery.



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Risk: Loss of Radio Flagship in Major Market Type: *Risk Assessment*

• <u>Plan 1</u>

Plan 1
 We will work very hard to maintain excellent affiliate relationships. If we lose a radio station (e.g. it changes its format) we will move quickly to replace the lost station. If we cannot quickly replace a flagship station, we can be very creative and could even consider purchasing all local inventory from a new flagship station.

• <u>Plan 2</u>

- In the past 10 yrs, on over 50 accounts, 7 radio stations format changes have occurred. The following solution is optimal.
- We own and will maintain two radio contracts covering the area, where signals can be switched if required. The flagship station will be the station with the stronger signal and greater coverage.
- If a station is lost we will have a equal replacement within 2 months. If within two months a replacement is not contracted we will purchase inventory from another station or discount the cost of an inventory purchase and add it to our payments to the client.

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Risk Assessment Example



- **RISK:** Major risk items typically associated with transit implementations revolve around change management and business process impact. New technology implementations create change for the users. Change often causes issues with technology adoption. Requirements and scope creep also creates challenges. Systems may have thought a certain technology or component was incorporated in the RFP and/or needs assessment process that is not included in the actual scope of work or contract. Communication is also an area that can be a challenge.
- SOLUTION: A clearly defined scope of work and communication of the scope at the beginning of the project minimizes scope creep. If there is a discrepancy, scope or requirements can be discussed early on in the process versus at the end of the process. Communication is the key to successful implementations. Change management and business process re-engineering for organizations can be minimized at the technology and management levels. Management can get early buy-in at the "grass roots" level and include them in the technology planning process. The Team focuses on providing very configurable and flexible tools to minimize process re-engineering tasks. The Team focuses on automating existing business processes and providing additional tools to improve those processes that www.pbsrg.com

Example of Solutions Risk: Getting water to the site Type: Risk Assessment

• <u>Plan 1</u>



 Coordination with [water company] is critical. We will coordinate and plan with [water company] as soon as the award is made to make sure that we get water to the site to irrigate the fields.

• <u>Plan 2</u>

- We will coordinate and schedule the water with [water company]. However, based on past experience there is a high risk they will not meet the schedule (the water company does not meet schedule over 90% of the time).
- We will have temporary waterlines setup and ready to connect to the nearby fire hydrant to irrigate until [water company] is ready.
- We will also have water trucks on-site if there is problems with connecting the lines.

Value Added



Why a Value Added Plan?

Opportunity to identify value added options that may benefit the Owner:

- 1. Increase customer satisfaction
- 2. Increase service beyond the requirements
- 3. Provide ways to **optimize the financial proposal**
- <u>MUST</u> have a cost impact (and possibly schedule impact)
 o If none, denote as "\$0"
- <u>NOTE</u>: Value added options ideas are <u>NOT</u> included in the base cost proposal



Value Added

Template

2 pages max.

APPENDIX "F" TO PROPOSAL FORM VALUE ADDED OPTIONS

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The Proponent is to identify any value added options, ideas, or services that are beyond the standard requirements in the tender. An explanation of "Why it is a Value Add" must be provided for each item. The corresponding cost impact of each value added option must be included. (You may delete these instructions.)

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Example: Value Added Items

Option to Increase Service Revenue:

 We may be able to increase revenues to the University by an additional 5% per year, if we are allowed to install and operate our own vending machines throughout campus.


Example: Value Added Items

Option to Increase Service Levels

- Item 1: Zero Waste Initiatives: Styrofoam Recycling Program using an on-site (off-site option available) thermal densifier. We will collect all types of Styrofoam generated on campus from building bays for recycling and waste diversion.
- Impact: Cost (\$) \$12,765.00/month for onsite option
- Item 3: Zero Waste Initiatives: Compostable Waste Management Program. Feasibility and cost analysis study of Campus wide compost program; Scholarship to University of Alberta Graduate Student of \$15,000 to undertake leadership role in study.
- Impact: Cost (\$) \$0.00
- Item 7: CIMS Green Building Certification. Third party recognition of Green practices (both University and Contractor) by ISSA accredited auditor.

Impact: Cost (\$) \$0.00

Example of Value Added



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Value Added Example



 Reroofing this building will not stop all water leaks. The majority of the leaks are caused by cracks in the parapet walls, broken/missing glass, and poor caulking. For an additional \$10K and 3 weeks in schedule we can replace and repair all of these items.



Value Added Example

Option to Reduce Project Cost:

- Instead of purchasing "Named Licenses", the Agency may want to consider purchasing "Concurrent Licenses". In a "Named Licensing" model, the software designates a license per user and only that particular named user can use/access the license. If that named user is in meetings, on vacation, or not using the system, the license is not utilized.
- In a "Concurrent Licensing" model, the server keeps track of the total number of licenses and loans the licenses to users as they log in. If a user is inactive, the server releases the license and allocates the license to the next user. The advantage is that the Agency is not required to purchase licenses that are not being used, which can result in approximately 25% savings in cost.





We are Looking for Vendors Who Can Think Ahead...







...And Act In Our Best Interest

Page Limits

- Goal is to make the process as efficient as possible (for all parties)
- Proposal is limited to
 - 2 Pages = Service Capability Plan
 - 2 Pages = Risk Assessment Plan
 - 2 Pages = Value Added Plan



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 Remember: <u>No Names</u> (vendor names, product names) in any of these documents!!!!

Remember...

It is the Vendor's Responsibility to differentiate themselves from their competition

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Things to Avoid

Marketing Information:

- Our company is known worldwide as a leader in online education.
- We will use our long history to make sure the project is a success.
- We will use state-of-the-art process to make it a success.

• Transferring risk back to client:

- We will work with the owner to resolve issues
- We will have team meetings / partnering meeting with the owner

General risks and/or general solutions:

- We will plan ahead to coordinate activities
- We will plan ahead to get classes scheduled and created
- Overly Technical data:
 - The system we propose has 200% increase in PRX bandwidth modularity.

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Past Performance Information

Collected For:

- Company / Firm (as the Proponent) 3 max
- ≻ Key Personnel
 - ➤ Account Representative (financial) 3 max
 - Lead Therapist (on-site lead) 3 max
- The Proponent picks their own references
- The Proponent collects all surveys
- Close out ratings at the end of the contract will be used to update PPI scores for future projects.





PPI Survey / Questionnaire

PERFO	RMANCE QUEST	TIONNAIRE – DESIGN BUILD PROJECT	
To:		Survey ID	
(Name of person comple	eting survey)		
Phone:		Fax:	
Subject: Past Performance Survey of:		Name of Company)	
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8 Overall customer satisfac hiring firm again) Printed Name (of Evaluator)	8	Overall customer satisfaction and willingness to hire firm again	(1-10)

Thank you Please fax the completed survey to: Proponent fax number

PPI Process



- The Proponent is responsible for sending out a survey questionnaire to each of their past clients.
- The survey must be faxed/emailed back to the Proponent
- The Proponent will submit all surveys to the Owner with their submittal.

Example Survey (Firm and Individuals)

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To:	Jack Robertson			
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Pricing

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Physiotherapy Treatment/Service	Treatment Expectation	Price (Excluding HST)				90
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Mobilization			The	Proponent agrees to provide ALL se	rvices requested in the Reques	t for Proposal.
Whirlpool						
Neuromuscular Electrical Stimulation (NMES)						
Interferential Currents (IFC)			Sign	ature	-	
Taping						
Ultrasound			Ema	1		
Transcutaneous electrical nerve stimulation (TENS)						
Acupuncture						
Laser Treatment						

Proponent-Generated Solution

Objective:

"how would you structure the requirements & agreement if you were the client" (in order to make it best for all parties?)

- Optional
- Short narrative of your optimal solution ("blank slate")
- NOT evaluated
 - But may ask clarifying questions during Interviews

Proponent-Generated Solution

The University is interested in:

- Capabilities to enhance the required physio services
- Alternate locations (hybrid, fully off-site)
 - Describe percent volume split between locations
 - Location accessibility for Dal students and athletes
- Resulting financial impacts / optimal financial structure
- Recommendation on contract length

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Proponent-Generated Solution

Content Should:

- Clearly identify any unique or significant changes to RFP Requirements
 - Roles and Responsibilities
- Address Key Items
- Be simple & easy to read
- Figure, tables, etc. are acceptable

How to Be Successful:

- Best Value favors conservative and realistic
- Strongly recommend involving Operations Personnel

Proponent Generated Solution

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Example – Bookstore Services

Financial Proposal Option A - 10 year term, with two (2) years requ	Commission % of Revenue
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Example – Travel Management

Proponents are required to complete Option A, Option B, and Option C. Option D is optional and enables Proponents to provide an alternative pricing model. All pricing options must be in Canadian Dollars (exclusive of GST).

- 1.0 Price Option A: University Travel (including Group Travel, excluding Athletics Travel)
- 1.1 Current University Fee Model (for Travel Management Services Excluding Athletics)

Transaction	Professional Fee							
Transaction	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3					
Domestic Air Tickets (include								
air, car & hotel)								
Trans border Air Tickets								
(include air, car & hotel)								
International Air Tickets								
(include air, car & hotel)								
Tour/Cruise Packages (include								
air, car & hotel)								
Car Rental Only Reservation								
Hotel Only Reservation								
Online Booking Tool Fees								
Event & Attraction Tickets								
 per person 								
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Changes to confirmed								
reservation								
Visa Processing Assistance								
Customized Research								
Airline Ticket Refund								
Airline Ticket Void								
Rush In-Town Courier								
Overnight Out-of-town Courier								
U.S Destined Courier								
Lost Ticket Bond Processing Assistance								

- 1.1.1 The Proposal shall include pricing for the initial three (3) year term for Travel Management Services
- 4.1 Use the space below to provide a Narrative of the Optimal Financial Agreement to meet the base specifications and scope of services as described in the RFP (Cannot exceed Two (2) Pages). Proponents may provide this Alternative Solution for both University Travel (including Group Travel) and/or the Athletics Fee model. The alternative solution shall identify clearly as to whether there is any deviation in the pricing should Athletics not be awarded.
 - 4.1.1 At a minimum, Proponents must address the following in their Price Option D submission:
 - .1 Pricing Structure for all Travel Management Services (may or may not include Athletics Travel)
 - .2 Optimal Contract Length
 - .3 Identify any significant changes to roles and responsibilities that are different from the traditional model provided in the Scope of Services.

Add Space as Needed (2 page maximum):

Example – Travel Management

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Transaction Domestic Air Tickets (i air, car & hotel) Trans border Air Ticket	Maritime Travel will also provide designated U of A employees with access to a proprietary, web based, travel reservation product (the "Online Booking Tool") to enable individuals wishing to book travel directly to use that self-service capability.	s that are f Services.					
(include air, car & hote	During the contract, the U of A will pay Maritime Travel:						
(include air, car & hote	1. A "Transaction Fee" of \$5.00 for each Online Transaction processed using the Online Booking Tool;						
air, car & hotel)	2. A "Transaction Fee" of \$12.00 for each full service Transaction processed during the month;						
Car Rental Only Reser	. The wages and related benefit costs for dedicated U of A travel counsellors on the U of A team						
Online Booking Tool F Event & Attraction Tick • per person	 Back-up charges for other agents required to provide additional support to the dedicated U of A travel team as required, including groups support; 						
per event	Account management services at \$1,500 per month;						
Changes to confirmed	6. After hours helpline at \$10 per call; and						
Visa Processing Assist	A 15% management fee applied to expense items 3 through 6.						
Customized Research							
Airline Ticket Refund	Maritime Travel will credit the U of A to reduce the monthly invoice payable for the following amounts						
Rush In-Town Courier	related to U or A travellers:						
Overnight Out-of-town	Airline commissions earned at the point of reservation;						
U.S Destined Courier Lost Ticket Bond Proce Assistance	 Guaranteed overrides paid by airlines, including both the monthly guarantee and a la carte components paid by Air Canada; 						
	10. Hotel and car commissions; and						

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The Evaluation Process



Shortlisting

- If necessary short listing will be conducted prior to interviews
- Interviews:
 - Account Manager
 - Lead Therapist

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Interview Format



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- Q&A Interview, NOT a presentation
- Individuals will be interviewed separately.
- A standard set of questions will be generated and asked to each individual.
- Typically interview times will last about 15-30 minutes per individual
- No substitutions will be allowed.

Best Value Interviews:

Identifying Expertise

Examples of questions asked:

- 1. Why were you selected for this project?
- 2. Please describe your relevant work experience and expertise (certifications, skill sets, etc.) and how this relates to the University's Requirements.
- 3. What is different about this project from other projects that you have worked for?
- 4. Draw out the annual service plan for this project by major milestone activities. (transition, service delivery)
 - 1. Identify, prioritize, and how you will minimize the risks of this project.
 - 2. What risks don't you control? How will you minimize those risks?
 - 3. What do you need from the client and when do you need it?
- 5. What value do you bring to the project in terms of differences based on dollars, quality, expertise, or time?
- 6. Other questions regarding the RFP requirements

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Simple Scoring Methodolgy

	CDITEDIA		RAW DATA						FI	NAL POIN	NTS	
	CRITERIA	WEIGHTS		Vendor A Vendor B		Vendor C			Vendor A	Vendor B	Vendor C	
1	Proposal Cost	250		\$ 57,000	00 \$ 65,000		\$	55,000		241	212	250
2	Interview Rating	350		8.5		5.1		5.1		350	210	210
3	NTR Rating	150		9.5	6.5			5.1		150	103	81
4	TC Rating	100		9.1		9.5		9.9		92	96	100
5	VA Rating	100		5.0		8.5		5.0		59	100	59
6	PPI Rating	50	9.8		9.8		9.9			49	49	50
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Dominance Check & Cost Reasonableness



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Pre-Award Clarification

What the Vendor Does:

- Presents their Optimal Plan
 - Clarify that it's accurate & set the expectation for *how* you will execute
 - Coordinate the milestone schedule
- Identifies Project Risks
 - Set plans to minimize those risks from occurring
 - Address any Owner concerns
 - Clarify assumptions & "known unknowns"
- Identifies what support they need from the Owner (or others)
 - Coordinate & establish how you'll get the support you need
 - Could be: info, access, decisions, reviews, etc.

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Clarification / Preplanning Period



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Start

Very High Level

Cost Verification

Included in Proposal

Excluded from Proposal

Major Assumptions

Major Client Risks/Concerns

High Level

Project Work Plan Client Risks/Concerns PA Schedule Uncontrollable Risks Response to all risks Roles and Responsibilities Value Added Ideas Coordination Review Functionality

Technical Level

Performance Reports / Metrics Additional Documentation Technical Details Project Schedule High level demos PA Document

End

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Kickoff Meeting Agenda

- Vendor runs the meeting
 - Review plan in detail
 - Milestone schedule
 - Address client concerns (if given)
 - Address your risks and unknowns (it is ok not to know things, but need to know when you will know and what could happen along the way)
 - Have day-by-day schedule for clarification period
- Outcome:
 - Coordinate pre-planning schedule
 - List of requested activities for the Client team
- Move forward
Summary Meeting Agenda

- Not a "Q&A" meeting
 - All issues resolved
 - All coordination complete
 - All risks that are not in vendors control have been identified
 - All value added options have been addressed
- PA Summary Meeting is to summarize all of the coordination that has been complete and walk through the PA Document/RMP
- Upon successful completion of the PA Summary Meeting, the client will make the award

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Weekly Risk Report

- Excel Spreadsheet that tracks risks and impacts
- Client will setup and send to vendor once the Award is issued. ASU will
 provide additional training.
- The final project rating will be impacted by the accuracy and timely submittal of the WRR

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6	No	Date Entered	Risk Items	Plan to Minimize Risk	Planned Resolution Date	Actual Date Resolved	Impact Days to Critical Path	Impact to Cost	Owner/ Contractor Generated	Satisfaction Rating (1-10)	
7	0	3/17/2006	EXAMPLE: Risk A	Risk A Plan: 1) Problem background - why is this an unexpected project risk? 2) What will be done to minimize this? 3) Who is responsible for the plan? 4) What kind of impact will this have?	9/9/2006		75	\$ 10,000	0	5	
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Measurement of Deviation from the Expectation Management by Risk Minimization



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Questions?

TARGET PROCUREMENT SCHEDULE

RFP Release Date	25-Jan-2014		
Pre-Proposal Information Session (for prospective Proponents)	30-Jan-2014		
RFP Closing Date	24-Feb-2014		
Notify Proponents of Interview Schedule (short listed if necessary)	5-Mar-2014		
Interviews of Proponents' Key Project Personnel	12-Mar-2014		
Selection of Potential Best Value Proponent	14-Mar-2014		
Pre-Award Kick Off Meeting	20-Mar-2014		
Duration of Pre-Award Planning Activities	2 weeks		
Pre-Award Summary Meeting	4-Apr-2014		
Target Contract Award Date	7-Apr-2014		
Commencement of Services	1-May-2014		

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