

SOLICITATION/CONTRACT/ORDER FOR COMMERCIAL ITEMS <i>OFFEROR TO COMPLETE BLOCKS 12, 17, 23, 24, AND 30</i>				1. REQUISITION NUMBER		PAGE 1 OF 34		
2. CONTRACT NO.		3. AWARD/EFFECTIVE DATE	4. ORDER NUMBER		5. SOLICITATION NUMBER DACW31-03-T-0091		6. SOLICITATION ISSUE DATE 22-Jul-2003	
7. FOR SOLICITATION INFORMATION CALL:		a. NAME SANDRA L WICKS			b. TELEPHONE NUMBER (No Collect Calls) 410-962-3987		8. OFFER DUE DATE/LOCAL TIME 04:00 PM 08 Aug 2003	
9. ISSUED BY CONTRACTING DIVISION PO BOX 1715 BALTIMORE MD 21203-1715 TEL: 410-962-5638 FAX: 410-962-0933		CODE CW31	10. THIS ACQUISITION IS <input type="checkbox"/> UNRESTRICTED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SET ASIDE: 100% FOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SMALL BUSINESS <input type="checkbox"/> SMALL DISADV. BUSINESS <input type="checkbox"/> 8(A) SIC: 7353 SIZE STANDARD:6.0 mil			11. DELIVERY FOR FOB DESTINATION UNLESS BLOCK IS MARKED <input type="checkbox"/> SEE SCHEDULE 13a. THIS CONTRACT IS A RATED ORDER UNDER DPAS (15 CFR 700) 13b. RATING		12. DISCOUNT TERMS
15. DELIVER TO SEE SCHEDULE		CODE	16. ADMINISTERED BY CODE					
17a. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR TEL.		CODE	18a. PAYMENT WILL BE MADE BY CODE					
17b. CHECK IF REMITTANCE IS DIFFERENT AND PUT SUCH ADDRESS IN OFFER <input type="checkbox"/>		FACILITY CODE	18b. SUBMIT INVOICES TO ADDRESS SHOWN IN BLOCK 18a. UNLESS BLOCK BELOW IS CHECKED <input type="checkbox"/> SEE ADDENDUM					
19. ITEM NO.	20. SCHEDULE OF SUPPLIES/ SERVICES			21. QUANTITY	22. UNIT	23. UNIT PRICE	24. AMOUNT	
SEE SCHEDULE								
25. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA						26. TOTAL AWARD AMOUNT		
27a. SOLICITATION INCORPORATES BY REFERENCE FAR 52.212-1. 52.212-4. FAR 52.212-3. 52.212-5 ARE ATTACHED. ADDENDA <input type="checkbox"/> ARE <input type="checkbox"/> ARE NOT ATTACHED								
27b. CONTRACT/PURCHASE ORDER INCORPORATES BY REFERENCE FAR 52.212-4. FAR 52.212-5 IS ATTACHED. ADDENDA <input type="checkbox"/> ARE <input type="checkbox"/> ARE NOT ATTACHED								
28. CONTRACTOR IS REQUIRED TO SIGN THIS DOCUMENT AND RETURN <u>2</u> COPIES TO ISSUING OFFICE. CONTRACTOR AGREES TO FURNISH AND DELIVER ALL ITEMS SET FORTH OR OTHERWISE IDENTIFIED ABOVE AND ON ANY ADDITIONAL SHEETS SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED HEREIN. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				29. AWARD OF CONTRACT: REFERENCE OFFER DATED . YOUR OFFER ON SOLICITATION (BLOCK 5), INCLUDING ANY ADDITIONS OR CHANGES WHICH ARE SET FORTH HEREIN, IS ACCEPTED AS TO ITEMS:				
30a. SIGNATURE OF OFFEROR/CONTRACTOR			31a. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER)			31c. DATE SIGNED		
30b. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (TYPE OR PRINT)		30c. DATE SIGNED	31b. NAME OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (TYPE OR PRINT) TEL: EMAIL:					
32a. QUANTITY IN COLUMN 21 HAS BEEN <input type="checkbox"/> RECEIVED <input type="checkbox"/> INSPECTED <input type="checkbox"/> ACCEPTED, AND CONFORMS TO THE CONTRACT, EXCEPT AS NOTED			33. SHIP NUMBER <input type="checkbox"/> PARTIAL <input type="checkbox"/> FINAL	34. VOUCHER NUMBER	35. AMOUNT VERIFIED CORRECT FOR			
32b. SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED GOVT. REPRESENTATIVE		32c. DATE	36. PAYMENT <input type="checkbox"/> COMPLETE <input type="checkbox"/> PARTIAL <input type="checkbox"/> FINAL			37. CHECK NUMBER		
41a. I CERTIFY THIS ACCOUNT IS CORRECT AND PROPER FOR PAYMENT			38. S/R ACCOUNT NUMBER	39. S/R VOUCHER NUMBER		40. PAID BY		
41b. SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF CERTIFYING OFFICER		41c. DATE	42a. RECEIVED BY (Print)					
			42b. RECEIVED AT (Location)					
			42c. DATE REC'D (YYMM/DD)	42d. TOTAL CONTAINERS				

Section SF 1449 - CONTINUATION SHEET

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INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE TERMS

Supplies/services will be inspected/accepted at:

CLIN	INSPECT AT	INSPECT BY	ACCEPT AT	ACCEPT BY
0001	N/A	N/A	N/A	Government
0002	N/A	N/A	N/A	Government
0003	N/A	N/A	N/A	Government

DELIVERY INFORMATION

CLIN	DELIVERY DATE	QUANTITY	SHIP TO ADDRESS	UIC
0001	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
0002	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

252.209-7000	Acquisition From Subcontractors Subject To On-Site Inspection Under The Intermediate Range Nuclear Forces (INF) Treaty	NOV 1995
252.209-7001	Disclosure of Ownership or Control by the Government of a Terrorist Country	MAR 1998
252.209-7004	Subcontracting With Firms That Are Owned or Controlled By The Government of a Terrorist Country	MAR 1998
252.219-7011	Notification to Delay Performance	JUN 1998
252.225-7001	Buy American Act And Balance Of Payments Program	MAR 1998
252.225-7002	Qualifying Country Sources As Subcontractors	DEC 1991
252.225-7012	Preference For Certain Domestic Commodities	APR 2002
252.225-7016	Restriction On Acquisition Of Ball and Roller Bearings	DEC 2000
252.225-7031	Secondary Arab Boycott Of Israel	JUN 1992
252.243-7001	Pricing Of Contract Modifications	DEC 1991
252.243-7002	Requests for Equitable Adjustment	MAR 1998
252.244-7000	Subcontracts for Commercial Items and Commercial Components (DoD Contracts)	MAR 2000
252.246-7000	Material Inspection And Receiving Report	DEC 1991
252.247-7023	Transportation of Supplies by Sea	MAY 2002
252.247-7024	Notification Of Transportation Of Supplies By Sea	MAR 2000

CLAUSES INCORPORATED BY FULL TEXT

52.213-4 TERMS AND CONDITIONS--SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITIONS (OTHER THAN COMMERCIAL ITEMS) (MAY 2002)

(a) The Contractor shall comply with the following Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) clauses that are incorporated by reference:

(1) The clauses listed below implement provisions of law or Executive order:

(i) 52.222-3, Convict Labor (Aug 1996) (E.O. 11755).

(ii) 52.222-21, Prohibition of Segregated Facilities (Feb 1999) (E.O. 11246).

(iii) 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (Apr 2002) (E.O. 11246).

(iv) 52.225-13, Restrictions on Certain Foreign Purchases (July 2000) (E.O.'s 12722, 12724, 13059, 13067, 13121, and 13129).

(v) 52.233-3, Protest After Award (Aug 1996) (31 U.S.C. 3553).

(2) Listed below are additional clauses that apply:

(i) 52.232-1, Payments (Apr 1984).

(ii) 52.232-8, Discounts for Prompt Payment (Feb 2002).

(iii) 52.232-11, Extras (Apr 1984).

(iv) 52.232-25, Prompt Payment (Feb 2002).

(v) 52.233-1, Disputes (Dec 1998).

(vi) 52.244-6, Subcontracts for Commercial Items and Commercial Components (Mar 2001).

(vii) 52.253-1, Computer Generated Forms (Jan 1991).

(b) The Contractor shall comply with the following FAR clauses, incorporated by reference, unless the circumstances do not apply:

(1) The clauses listed below implement provisions of law or Executive order:

(i) 52.222-20, Walsh-Healey Public Contracts Act (DEC 1996) (41 U.S.C. 35-45) (Applies to supply contracts over \$10,000 in the United States, Puerto Rico, or the U.S. Virgin Islands).

(ii) 52.222-35, Equal Opportunity for Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (DEC 2001) (38 U.S.C. 4212) (Applies to contracts of \$25,000 or more).

(iii) 52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (APR 1984) (29 U.S.C. 793) (Applies to contracts over \$10,000, unless the work is to be performed outside the United States by employees recruited outside the United States.) (For purposes of this clause, United States includes the 50 States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa, Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and Wake Island.)

(iv) 52.222-37, Employment Reports on Disabled Veterans and Veterans of the Vietnam Era (JAN 1999) (38 U.S.C. 4212) (Applies to contracts over \$10,000).

(v) 52.222-41, Service Contract Act, As Amended (May 1989) (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.) (Applies to service contracts over \$2,500 that are subject to the Service Contract Act and will be performed in the United States, District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa, Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Johnston Island, Wake Island, or the outer continental shelf lands.)

(vi) 52.222-19, Child Labor--Cooperation with Authorities and Remedies (Dec 2001) (E.O. 13126). (Applies to contracts for supplies exceeding the micro-purchase threshold.)

(vii) 52.223-5, Pollution Prevention and Right-to-Know Information (APR 1998) (E.O. 12856) (Applies to services performed on Federal facilities).

(viii) 52.225-1, Buy American Act--Supplies (May 2002) (41 U.S.C. 10a-10d) (Applies to contracts for supplies, and to contracts for services involving the furnishing of supplies, for use within the United States if the value of the supply contract or supply portion of a service contract exceeds the micro-purchase threshold and the acquisition--

(A) Is set aside for small business concerns; or

(B) Cannot be set aside for small business concerns (see 19.502-2), and does not exceed \$25,000.)

(ix) 52.247-64, Preference for Privately Owned U.S.-Flag Commercial Vessels (June 2000) (46 U.S.C. 1241). (Applies to supplies transported by ocean vessels.)

(A) Is set aside for small business concerns; or

(B) Cannot be set aside for small business concerns (see 19.502-2), and does not exceed \$25,000.)

(x) 52.232-33, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer--Central Contractor Registration (May 1999). (Applies when the payment will be made by electronic funds transfer (EFT) and the payment office uses the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database as its source of EFT information.)

(xi) 52.232-34, Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer--Other than Central Contractor Registration (May 1999). (Applies when the payment will be made by EFT and the payment office does not use the CCR database as its source of EFT information.)

(2) Listed below are additional clauses that may apply:

(i) 52.209-6, Protecting the Government's Interest When Subcontracting with Contractors Debarred, Suspended, or Proposed for Debarment (JULY 1995) (Applies to contracts over \$25,000).

(ii) 52.211-17, Delivery of Excess Quantities (SEPT 1989) (Applies to fixed-price supplies).

(iii) 52.247-29, F.o.b. Origin (JUN 1988) (Applies to supplies if delivery is f.o.b. origin).

(iv) 52.247-34, F.o.b. Destination (NOV 1991) (Applies to supplies if delivery is f.o.b. destination).

(c) FAR 52.252-2, Clauses Incorporated by Reference (FEB 1998). This contract incorporates one or more clauses by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es): <http://farsite.hill.af.mil>

(d) Inspection/Acceptance. The Contractor shall tender for acceptance only those items that conform to the requirements of this contract. The Government reserves the right to inspect or test any supplies or services that have been tendered for acceptance. The Government may require repair or replacement of nonconforming supplies or reperformance of nonconforming services at no increase in contract price. The Government must exercise its postacceptance rights--

(1) Within a reasonable period of time after the defect was discovered or should have been discovered; and

(2) Before any substantial change occurs in the condition of the item, unless the change is due to the defect in the item.

(e) Excusable delays. The Contractor shall be liable for default unless nonperformance is caused by an occurrence beyond the reasonable control of the Contractor and without its fault or negligence, such as acts of God or the public enemy, acts of the Government in either its sovereign or contractual capacity, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, unusually severe weather, and delays of common carriers. The Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer in writing as soon as it is reasonably possible after the commencement of any excusable delay, setting forth the full particulars in connection therewith, shall remedy such occurrence with all reasonable dispatch, and shall promptly give written notice to the Contracting Officer of the cessation of such occurrence.

(f) Termination for the Government's convenience. The Government reserves the right to terminate this contract, or any part hereof, for its sole convenience. In the event of such termination, the Contractor shall immediately stop all work hereunder and shall immediately cause any and all of its suppliers and subcontractors to cease work. Subject to the terms of this contract, the Contractor shall be paid a percentage of the contract price reflecting the percentage of the work performed prior to the notice of termination, plus reasonable charges that the Contractor can demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Government, using its standard record keeping system, have resulted from the termination. The Contractor shall not be required to comply with the cost accounting standards or contract cost principles for this purpose. This paragraph does not give the Government any right to audit the Contractor's records. The Contractor shall not be paid for any work performed or costs incurred that reasonably could have been avoided.

(g) Termination for cause. The Government may terminate this contract, or any part hereof, for cause in the event of any default by the Contractor, or if the Contractor fails to comply with any contract terms and conditions, or fails to provide the Government, upon request, with adequate assurances of future performance. In the event of termination for cause, the Government shall not be liable to the Contractor for any amount for supplies or services not accepted, and the Contractor shall be liable to the Government for any and all rights and remedies provided by law. If it is determined that the Government improperly terminated this contract for default, such termination shall be deemed a termination for convenience.

(h) Warranty. The Contractor warrants and implies that the items delivered hereunder are merchantable and fit for use for the particular purpose described in this contract.

(End of clause)

52.217-9 OPTION TO EXTEND THE TERM OF THE CONTRACT (MAR 2000)

(a) The Government may extend the term of this contract by written notice to the Contractor within 60 days; provided that the Government gives the Contractor a preliminary written notice of its intent to extend at least 60 days before the contract expires. The preliminary notice does not commit the Government to an extension.

(b) If the Government exercises this option, the extended contract shall be considered to include this option clause.

(c) The total duration of this contract, including the exercise of any options under this clause, shall not exceed [June 14, 2006](#).

(End of clause)

52.219-1 SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAM REPRESENTATIONS (APR 2002) - ALTERNATE I (APR 2002)

(a)(1) The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code for this acquisition is 532412

(2) The small business size standard is (6.0 million)

(3) The small business size standard for a concern which submits an offer in its own name, other than on a construction or service contract, but which proposes to furnish a product which it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.

(b) Representations. (1) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a small business concern.

(2) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents, for general statistical purposes, that it () is, () is not a small disadvantaged business concern as defined in 13 CFR 124.1002.

(3) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a women-owned small business concern.

(4) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a veteran-owned small business concern.

(5) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a veteran-owned small business concern in paragraph (b)(4) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern.

(6) [Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.] The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that--

(i) It () is, () is not a HUBZone small business concern listed, on the date of this representation, on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business Concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration, and no material change in ownership and control, principal office, or HUBZone employee percentage has occurred since it was certified by the Small Business Administration in accordance with 13 CFR part 126; and

(ii) It () is, () is not a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 126, and the representation in paragraph (b)(6)(i) of this provision is accurate for the HUBZone small business concern or concerns that are participating in the joint venture. (The offeror shall enter the name or names of the HUBZone small business concern or concerns that are participating in the joint venture: _____.) Each HUBZone small business concern participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the HUBZone representation.

(7) (Complete if offeror represented itself as disadvantaged in paragraph (b)(2) of this provision.) The offeror shall check the category in which its ownership falls:

____ Black American.

____ Hispanic American.

____ Native American (American Indians, Eskimos, Aleuts, or Native Hawaiians).

____ Asian-Pacific American (persons with origins from Burma, Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, Singapore, Brunei, Japan, China, Taiwan, Laos, Cambodia (Kampuchea), Vietnam, Korea, The Philippines, U.S. Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (Republic of Palau), Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Samoa, Macao, Hong Kong, Fiji, Tonga, Kiribati, Tuvalu, or Nauru).

____ Subcontinent Asian (Asian-Indian) American (persons with origins from India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, the Maldives Islands, or Nepal).

____ Individual/concern, other than one of the preceding.

(c) Definitions. As used in this provision--

Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern--

(1) Means a small business concern--

(i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and

(ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of a veteran with permanent and severe disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.

(2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).

"Small business concern," means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and the size standard in paragraph (a) of this provision.

Veteran-owned small business concern means a small business concern--

(1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veterans (as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and

(2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.

"Women-owned small business concern," means a small business concern --

(1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; or

(2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

(d) Notice.

(1) If this solicitation is for supplies and has been set aside, in whole or in part, for small business concerns, then the clause in this solicitation providing notice of the set-aside contains restrictions on the source of the end items to be furnished.

(2) Under 15 U.S.C. 645(d), any person who misrepresents a firm's status as a small, HUBZone small, small disadvantaged, or women-owned small business concern in order to obtain a contract to be awarded under the preference programs established pursuant to section 8(a), 8(d), 9, or 15 of the Small Business Act or any other provision of Federal law that specifically references section 8(d) for a definition of program eligibility, shall--

(i) Be punished by imposition of fine, imprisonment, or both;

(ii) Be subject to administrative remedies, including suspension and debarment; and

(iii) Be ineligible for participation in programs conducted under the authority of the Act.

(End of provision)

52.222-42 STATEMENT OF EQUIVALENT RATES FOR FEDERAL HIRES (MAY 1989)

In compliance with the Service Contract Act of 1965, as amended, and the regulations of the Secretary of Labor (29 CFR Part 4), this clause identifies the classes of service employees expected to be employed under the contract and states the wages and fringe benefits payable to each if they were employed by the contracting agency subject to the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 5341 or 5332.

THIS STATEMENT IS FOR INFORMATION ONLY: IT IS NOT A WAGE DETERMINATION
Employee Class Monetary Wage-Fringe Benefits

Federal equivalent hires are: Heavy equipment operator @ \$17.57 per hour
Laborer @ \$11.43 per hour

Truck driver, medium truck @ \$15.51 per hour

(End of clause)

52.223-13 CERTIFICATION OF TOXIC CHEMICAL RELEASE REPORTING (OCT 2000)

(a) Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this contract imposed by Executive Order 12969, August 8, 1995.

(b) By signing this offer, the offeror certifies that--

(1) As the owner or operator of facilities that will be used in the performance of this contract that are subject to the filing and reporting requirements described in section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (EPCRA) (42 U.S.C. 11023) and section 6607 of the Pollution Prevention Act of 1990 (PPA) (42 U.S.C. 13106), the offeror will file and continue to file for such facilities for the life of the contract the Toxic Chemical Release Inventory Form (Form R) as described in sections 313(a) and (g) of EPCRA and section 6607 of PPA; or

(2) None of its owned or operated facilities to be used in the performance of this contract is subject to the Form R filing and reporting requirements because each such facility is exempt for at least one of the following reasons: (Check each block that is applicable.)

() (i) The facility does not manufacture, process or otherwise use any toxic chemicals listed under section 313(c) of EPCRA, 42 U.S.C. 11023(c);

() (ii) The facility does not have 10 or more full-time employees as specified in section 313.(b)(1)(A) of EPCRA 42 U.S.C. 11023(b)(1)(A);

() (iii) The facility does not meet the reporting thresholds of toxic chemicals established under section 313(f) of EPCRA, 42 U.S.C. 11023(f) (including the alternate thresholds at 40 CFR 372.27, provided an appropriate certification form has been filed with EPA);

() (iv) The facility does not fall within Standard Industrial Classification Code (SIC) major groups 20 through 39 or their corresponding North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) sectors 31 through 33; or

() (v) The facility is not located within any State of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the United States Virgin Islands, the Northern Mariana Islands, or any other territory or possession over which the United States has jurisdiction.

(End of clause)

52.232-19 AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS FOR THE NEXT FISCAL YEAR (APR 1984)

Funds are not presently available for performance under this contract beyond 14 June 2004. The Government's obligation for performance of this contract beyond that date is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payment for contract purposes can be made. No legal liability on the part of the Government for any payment may arise for performance under this contract beyond 14 June 2004 until funds are made available to the Contracting Officer for performance and until the Contractor receives notice of availability, to be confirmed in writing by the Contracting Officer.

(End of clause)

52.233-2 SERVICE OF PROTEST (AUG 1996)

- (a) Protests, as defined in section 33.101 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation, that are filed directly with an agency, and copies of any protests that are filed with the General Accounting Office (GAO), shall be served on the Contracting Officer (addressed as follows) by obtaining written and dated acknowledgment of receipt from

10 S. Howard St.
Room 7000
Baltimore, MD 21201

- (b) The copy of any protest shall be received in the office designated above within one day of filing a protest with the GAO.

(End of provision)

52.248-1 VALUE ENGINEERING (FEB 2000)

- (a) General. The Contractor is encouraged to develop, prepare, and submit value engineering change proposals (VECP's) voluntarily. The Contractor shall share in any net acquisition savings realized from accepted VECP's, in accordance with the incentive sharing rates in paragraph (f) below.

- (b) Definitions. "Acquisition savings," as used in this clause, means savings resulting from the application of a VECP to contracts awarded by the same contracting office or its successor for essentially the same unit. Acquisition savings include--

- (1) Instant contract savings, which are the net cost reductions on this, the instant contract, and which are equal to the instant unit cost reduction multiplied by the number of instant contract units affected by the VECP, less the Contractor's allowable development and implementation costs;
- (2) Concurrent contract savings, which are net reductions in the prices of other contracts that are definitized and ongoing at the time the VECP is accepted; and
- (3) Future contract savings, which are the product of the future unit cost reduction multiplied by the number of future contract units in the sharing base. On an instant contract, future contract savings include savings on increases in quantities after VECP acceptance that are due to contract modifications, exercise of options, additional orders, and funding of subsequent year requirements on a multiyear contract.

"Collateral costs," as used in this clause, means agency cost of operation, maintenance, logistic support, or Government-furnished property.

"Collateral savings," as used in this clause, means those measurable net reductions resulting from a VECP in the agency's overall projected collateral costs, exclusive of acquisition savings, whether or not the acquisition cost changes.

"Contracting office" includes any contracting office that the acquisition is transferred to, such as another branch of the agency or another agency's office that is performing a joint acquisition action.

"Contractor's development and implementation costs," as used in this clause, means those costs the Contractor incurs on a VECP specifically in developing, testing, preparing, and submitting the VECP, as well as those costs the Contractor incurs to make the contractual changes required by Government acceptance of a VECP.

"Future unit cost reduction," as used in this clause, means the instant unit cost reduction adjusted as the Contracting Officer considers necessary for projected learning or changes in quantity during the sharing period. It is calculated at the time the VECP is accepted and applies either (1) throughout the sharing period, unless the Contracting Officer decides that recalculation is necessary because conditions are significantly different from those previously anticipated or (2) to the calculation of a lump-sum payment, which cannot later be revised.

"Government costs," as used in this clause, means those agency costs that result directly from developing and implementing the VECP, such as any net increases in the cost of testing, operations, maintenance, and logistics support. The term does not include the normal administrative costs of processing the VECP or any increase in this contract's cost or price resulting from negative instant contract savings.

"Instant contract," as used in this clause, means this contract, under which the VECP is submitted. It does not include increases in quantities after acceptance of the VECP that are due to contract modifications, exercise of options, or additional orders. If this is a multiyear contract, the term does not include quantities funded after VECP acceptance. If this contract is a fixed-price contract with prospective price redetermination, the term refers to the period for which firm prices have been established.

"Instant unit cost reduction" means the amount of the decrease in unit cost of performance (without deducting any Contractor's development or implementation costs) resulting from using the VECP on this, the instant contract. If this is a service contract, the instant unit cost reduction is normally equal to the number of hours per line-item task saved by using the VECP on this contract, multiplied by the appropriate contract labor rate.

"Negative instant contract savings" means the increase in the cost or price of this contract when the acceptance of a VECP results in an excess of the Contractor's allowable development and implementation costs over the product of the instant unit cost reduction multiplied by the number of instant contract units affected.

"Net acquisition savings" means total acquisition savings, including instant, concurrent, and future contract savings, less Government costs.

"Sharing base," as used in this clause, means the number of affected end items on contracts of the contracting office accepting the VECP.

Sharing period, as used in this clause, means the period beginning with acceptance of the first unit incorporating the VECP and ending at a calendar date or event determined by the contracting officer for each VECP.

"Unit," as used in this clause, means the item or task to which the Contracting Officer and the Contractor agree the VECP applies.

"Value engineering change proposal (VECP)" means a proposal that--

- (1) Requires a change to this, the instant contract, to implement; and
- (2) Results in reducing the overall projected cost to the agency without impairing essential functions or characteristics; provided, that it does not involve a change--
 - (i) In deliverable end item quantities only;

(ii) In research and development (R&D) end items or R&D test quantities that is due solely to results of previous testing under this contract; or

(iii) To the contract type only.

(c) VECP preparation. As a minimum, the Contractor shall include in each VECP the information described in subparagraphs (1) through (8) below. If the proposed change is affected by contractually required configuration management or similar procedures, the instructions in those procedures relating to format, identification, and priority assignment shall govern VECP preparation. The VECP shall include the following:

(1) A description of the difference between the existing contract requirement and the proposed requirement, the comparative advantages and disadvantages of each, a justification when an item's function or characteristics are being altered, the effect of the change on the end item's performance, and any pertinent objective test data.

(2) A list and analysis of the contract requirements that must be changed if the VECP is accepted, including any suggested specification revisions.

(3) Identification of the unit to which the VECP applies.

(4) A separate, detailed cost estimate for (i) the affected portions of the existing contract requirement and (ii) the VECP. The cost reduction associated with the VECP shall take into account the Contractor's allowable development and implementation costs, including any amount attributable to subcontracts under the Subcontracts paragraph of this clause, below.

(5) A description and estimate of costs the Government may incur in implementing the VECP, such as test and evaluation and operating and support costs.

(6) A prediction of any effects the proposed change would have on collateral costs to the agency.

(7) A statement of the time by which a contract modification accepting the VECP must be issued in order to achieve the maximum cost reduction, noting any effect on the contract completion time or delivery schedule.

(8) Identification of any previous submissions of the VECP, including the dates submitted, the agencies and contract numbers involved, and previous Government actions, if known.

(d) Submission. The Contractor shall submit VECP's to the Contracting Officer, unless this contract states otherwise. If this contract is administered by other than the contracting office, the Contractor shall submit a copy of the VECP simultaneously to the Contracting Officer and to the Administrative Contracting Officer.

(e) Government action. (1) The Contracting Officer will notify the Contractor of the status of the VECP within 45 calendar days after the contracting office receives it. If additional time is required, the Contracting Officer will notify the Contractor within the 45-day period and provide the reason for the delay and the expected date of the decision. The Government will process VECP's expeditiously; however, it shall not be liable for any delay in acting upon a VECP.

(2) If the VECP is not accepted, the Contracting Officer will notify the Contractor in writing, explaining the reasons for rejection. The Contractor may withdraw any VECP, in whole or in part, at any time before it is accepted by the Government. The Contracting Officer may require that the Contractor provide written notification before undertaking significant expenditures for VECP effort.

(3) Any VECP may be accepted, in whole or in part, by the Contracting Officer's award of a modification to this contract citing this clause and made either before or within a reasonable time after contract performance is completed.

Until such a contract modification applies a VECP to this contract, the Contractor shall perform in accordance with the existing contract. The decision to accept or reject all or part of any VECP is a unilateral decision made solely at the discretion of the Contracting Officer.

(f) Sharing rates. If a VECP is accepted, the Contractor shall share in net acquisition savings according to the percentages shown in the table below. The percentage paid the Contractor depends upon (1) this contract's type (fixed-price, incentive, or cost-reimbursement), (2) the sharing arrangement specified in paragraph (a) above (incentive, program requirement, or a combination as delineated in the Schedule), and (3) the source of the savings (the instant contract, or concurrent and future contracts), as follows:

CONTRACTOR'S SHARE OF NET ACQUISITION SAVINGS

(Figures in percent)

Contract Type	Incentive (Voluntary)		Program Requirement (Mandatory)	
	Instant Contract Rate	Concurrent and Future Contract Rate	Instant Contract Rate	Concurrent and Future Contract Rate
Fixed-price (includes fixed-price-award-fee; excludes other fixed-price incentive contracts)	(1) 50	(1) 50	(1) 25	25
Incentive (fixed-price or cost) (other than award fee)	(2)	(1) 50	(1) 50	25
Cost-reimbursement (includes cost-plus-award-fee; excludes other cost-type incentive Contracts)	(3) 25	(3)	15	15

(1) The Contracting Officer may increase the Contractor's sharing rate to as high as 75 percent for each VECP.

(2) Same sharing arrangement as the contract's profit or fee adjustment formula.

(3) The Contracting Officer may increase the Contractor's sharing rate to as high as 50 percent for each VECP.

(g) Calculating net acquisition savings.

(1) Acquisition savings are realized when (i) the cost or price is reduced on the instant contract, (ii) reductions are negotiated in concurrent contracts, (iii) future contracts are awarded, or (iv) agreement is reached on a lump-sum payment for future contract savings (see subparagraph (i)(4) below). Net acquisition savings are first realized, and the Contractor shall be paid a share, when Government costs and any negative instant contract savings have been fully offset against acquisition savings.

(2) Except in incentive contracts, Government costs and any price or cost increases resulting from negative instant contract savings shall be offset against acquisition savings each time such savings are realized until they are fully offset. Then, the Contractor's share is calculated by multiplying net acquisition savings by the appropriate

Contractor's percentage sharing rate (see paragraph (f) above). Additional Contractor shares of net acquisition savings shall be paid to the Contractor at the time realized.

(3) If this is an incentive contract, recovery of Government costs on the instant contract shall be deferred and offset against concurrent and future contract savings. The Contractor shall share through the contract incentive structure in savings on the instant contract items affected. Any negative instant contract savings shall be added to the target cost or to the target price and ceiling price, and the amount shall be offset against concurrent and future contract savings.

(4) If the Government does not receive and accept all items on which it paid the Contractor's share, the Contractor shall reimburse the Government for the proportionate share of these payments.

(h) Contract adjustment. The modification accepting the VECP (or a subsequent modification issued as soon as possible after any negotiations are completed) shall--

(1) Reduce the contract price or estimated cost by the amount of instant contract savings, unless this is an incentive contract;

(2) When the amount of instant contract savings is negative, increase the contract price, target price and ceiling price, target cost, or estimated cost by that amount;

(3) Specify the Contractor's dollar share per unit on future contracts, or provide the lump-sum payment;

(4) Specify the amount of any Government costs or negative instant contract savings to be offset in determining net acquisition savings realized from concurrent or future contract savings; and

(5) Provide the Contractor's share of any net acquisition savings under the instant contract in accordance with the following:

(i) Fixed-price contracts--add to contract price.

(ii) Cost-reimbursement contracts--add to contract fee.

(i) Concurrent and future contract savings.

(1) Payments of the Contractor's share of concurrent and future contract savings shall be made by a modification to the instant contract in accordance with subparagraph (h)(5) above. For incentive contracts, shares shall be added as a separate firm-fixed-price line item on the instant contract. The Contractor shall maintain records adequate to identify the first delivered unit for 3 years after final payment under this contract.

(2) The Contracting Officer shall calculate the Contractor's share of concurrent contract savings by (i) subtracting from the reduction in price negotiated on the concurrent contract any Government costs or negative instant contract savings not yet offset and (ii) multiplying the result by the Contractor's sharing rate.

(3) The Contracting Officer shall calculate the Contractor's share of future contract savings by (i) multiplying the future unit cost reduction by the number of future contract units scheduled for delivery during the sharing period, (ii) subtracting any Government costs or negative instant contract savings not yet offset, and (iii) multiplying the result by the Contractor's sharing rate.

(4) When the Government wishes and the Contractor agrees, the Contractor's share of future contract savings may be paid in a single lump sum rather than in a series of payments over time as future contracts are awarded. Under this alternate procedure, the future contract savings may be calculated when the VECP is accepted, on the basis of the Contracting Officer's forecast of the number of units that will be delivered during the sharing period. The Contractor's

share shall be included in a modification to this contract (see subparagraph (h)(3) above) and shall not be subject to subsequent adjustment.

(5) Alternate no-cost settlement method. When, in accordance with subsection 48.104-4 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation, the Government and the Contractor mutually agree to use the no-cost settlement method, the following applies:

(i) The Contractor will keep all the savings on the instant contract and on its concurrent contracts only.

(ii) The Government will keep all the savings resulting from concurrent contracts placed on other sources, savings from all future contracts, and all collateral savings.

(j) Collateral savings. If a VECP is accepted, the Contracting Officer will increase the instant contract amount, as specified in paragraph (h)(5) of this clause, by a rate from 20 to 100 percent, as determined by the Contracting Officer, of any projected collateral savings determined to be realized in a typical year of use after subtracting any Government costs not previously offset. However, the Contractor's share of collateral savings will not exceed the contract's firm-fixed-price, target price, target cost, or estimated cost, at the time the VECP is accepted, or \$100,000, whichever is greater. The Contracting Officer will be the sole determiner of the amount of collateral savings.

(k) Relationship to other incentives. Only those benefits of an accepted VECP not rewardable under performance, design-to-cost (production unit cost, operating and support costs, reliability and maintainability), or similar incentives shall be rewarded under this clause. However, the targets of such incentives affected by the VECP shall not be adjusted because of VECP acceptance. If this contract specifies targets but provides no incentive to surpass them, the value engineering sharing shall apply only to the amount of achievement better than target.

(l) Subcontracts. The Contractor shall include an appropriate value engineering clause in any subcontract of \$100,000 or more and may include one in subcontracts of lesser value. In calculating any adjustment in this contract's price for instant contract savings (or negative instant contract savings), the Contractor's allowable development and implementation costs shall include any subcontractor's allowable development and implementation costs, and any value engineering incentive payments to a subcontractor, clearly resulting from a VECP accepted by the Government under this contract. The Contractor may choose any arrangement for subcontractor value engineering incentive payments; provided, that the payments shall not reduce the Government's share of concurrent or future contract savings or collateral savings.

(m) Data. The Contractor may restrict the Government's right to use any part of a VECP or the supporting data by marking the following legend on the affected parts:

"These data, furnished under the Value Engineering clause of contract, shall not be disclosed outside the Government or duplicated, used, or disclosed, in whole or in part, for any purpose other than to evaluate a value engineering change proposal submitted under the clause. This restriction does not limit the Government's right to use information contained in these data if it has been obtained or is otherwise available from the Contractor or from another source without limitations."

If a VECP is accepted, the Contractor hereby grants the Government unlimited rights in the VECP and supporting data, except that, with respect to data qualifying and submitted as limited rights technical data, the Government shall have the rights specified in the contract modification implementing the VECP and shall appropriately mark the data. (The terms "unlimited rights" and "limited rights" are defined in Part 27 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation.)

(End of clause)

This solicitation incorporates one or more solicitation provisions by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. The offeror is cautioned that the listed provisions may include blocks that must be completed by the offeror and submitted with its quotation or offer. In lieu of submitting the full text of those provisions, the offeror may identify the provision by paragraph identifier and provide the appropriate information with its quotation or offer. Also, the full text of a solicitation provision may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es):

<http://farsite.hill.af.mil>

(End of provision)

52.252-5 AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS IN PROVISIONS (APR 1984)

- (a) The use in this solicitation of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) provision with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of "(DEVIATION)" after the date of the provision.
- (b) The use in this solicitation of any FAR (48 CFR Chapter 1) provision with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of "(DEVIATION)" after the name of the regulation.

(End of provision)

252.225-7000 BUY AMERICAN ACT--BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PROGRAM CERTIFICATE (SEP 1999)

- (a) Definitions. Domestic end product, qualifying country, qualifying country end product, and qualifying country end product have the meanings given in the Buy American Act and Balance of Payments Program clause of this solicitation.
- (b) Evaluation. Offers will be evaluated by giving preference to domestic end products and qualifying country end products over nonqualifying country end products.
- (c) Certifications. (1) The Offeror certifies that--
 - (i) Each end product, except those listed in paragraphs (c) (2) or (3) of this provision, is a domestic end product; and
 - (ii) Components of unknown origin are considered to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States or a qualifying country.
- (2) The Offeror certifies that the following end products are qualifying country end products:

Qualifying Country End Products

Line Item Number

Country of Origin

(List only qualifying country end products.)

(3) The Offeror certifies that the following end products are nonqualifying country end products:

Nonqualifying Country End Products

Line Item Number

Country of Origin (If known)

(End of provision)

252.247-7022 REPRESENTATION OF EXTENT OF TRANSPORTATION BY SEA (AUG 1992)

(a) The Offeror shall indicate by checking the appropriate blank in paragraph (b) of this provision whether transportation of supplies by sea is anticipated under the resultant contract. The term supplies is defined in the Transportation of Supplies by Sea clause of this solicitation.

(b) Representation. The Offeror represents that it:

___ (1) Does anticipate that supplies will be transported by sea in the performance of any contract or subcontract resulting from this solicitation.

___ (2) Does not anticipate that supplies will be transported by sea in the performance of any contract or subcontract resulting from this solicitation.

(c) Any contract resulting from this solicitation will include the Transportation of Supplies by Sea clause. If the Offeror represents that it will not use ocean transportation, the resulting contract will also include the Defense FAR Supplement clause at 252.247-7024, Notification of Transportation of Supplies by Sea.

(End of provision)

STATEMENT OF WORK

**FOSTER JOSEPH SAYERS DAM
GENERAL BID SPECIFICATIONS
EQUIPMENT RENTAL FOR DEBRIS CLEANUP AND REMOVAL, AND FOR
GENERAL REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO PROJECT**

(c) **STATEMENT OF WORK**

1. DESCRIPTION: The contractor shall furnish all equipment with operator for the purpose of performing maintenance tasks as directed by the Government at the Foster Sayers Dam flood control project.

2. **LOCATION:** The project is located approximately 1 mile south of Blanchard, PA. approximately 1.5 miles off of rt. 150 on old US rt. 220.
3. **PRINCIPAL FEATURES:** The equipment shall be used to remove debris and deposits from the intake channel, trash racks and other areas. Equipment may be required to clean or re-grade ditches, re-grade drainage areas, repair roads, otherwise make repairs or improvements to the project as designated by the Official Representative of the Government.
4. **SITE VISIT:** A site visit is highly recommended prior to bidding. To arrange for a site visit, contact Vernon Gunsallus (570) 962-2500.
5. **PROSECUTION OF WORK:** The contractor shall commence all work within 5 work days from the notification to proceed.
 - I. All work is to be done between 0730 and 1600 hours, Monday through Friday excluding Federal holidays.
 - II. All work will be done within the boundaries of the Foster Sayers Dam project.
8. The contract shall be bid for a base year starting 15 June, 2003 through 14 June, 2004 with the Government reserving the right to renew the contract for option years 2005 through 2006 on a year to year basis.

(d) **EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS**

- V. **DUMP TRUCKS:** Tandem axle 5 ton or greater dump trucks with operators shall be provided to haul debris to an on-site location if deemed necessary by the Government Representative at the project.
2. **LOADER:** A track type front-end loader may be required for clean up, loading or grading. Loader shall have a minimum of 1/2 cubic yard bucket. Unit shall have a minimum of 30 horsepower and a minimum lifting height of 7'.
3. **LOADER:** A rubber-tired type front-end loader may be required for clean up, loading or grading. Loader shall have a minimum of 3/4 cubic yard bucket. Unit shall have a minimum of 50 horsepower and a minimum lifting height of 8'.
4. **BACKHOE:** A rubber-tired backhoe/loader may be required for cleanup, digging or grading as deemed necessary by the Government Representative at the project. Tractor shall be either 2wd or 4wd with a minimum 35 horsepower, a minimum 15' reach and a minimum digging depth of 12'.

1. BACKHOE: A track-type backhoe may be required for cleanup, digging and/or grading as deemed necessary by the Government Representative at the project. Unit shall have a minimum or 32' horizontal reach and a digging depth of 22'. Unit shall have a variety of bucket widths up to 29" available.
2. RUBBER-TIRED ROAD GRADER: A rubber-tired road grader may be required to re-grade roads as deemed necessary by the Government Representative at the project.

III. MATERIALS

1. Contractor shall provide good clean top soil for re-grading eroded areas on a per ton basis.
1. Contractor shall provide #2, #3 and #4 limestone on a per ton basis.

IV. SAFETY

6. The contractor and his employees shall be responsible for following all applicable regulations and guidelines contained in the US Army Corps of Engineers Safety and Health Requirements Manual EM 385-1-1.
7. Before any work is commenced, the contractor shall submit to the US Government Representative at the project, a Job Hazard Analysis for the work to be performed.
8. Any Discrepancies or deviations from the Safety Requirements shall be noted in writing and immediately reported to the Contractor and the discrepancies will be immediately corrected or the work may be shut down until corrections are made.

2. BIDDING

1. Bid schedules are based on estimates and don't reflect the exact number of hours equipment may be needed. Bidding for all items shall be done on an hourly basis and includes operator. Mobilization and de-mobilization is on a per occurrence.
2. Determination of low bidder shall be made on a total cost for estimated hours of work for all items. The total cost is based on all items. The total cost shall include mobilization as well as estimated hours of equipment cost. The total cost of all pieces of equipment shall be added together and the final determination shall be made on this price for the bid.

3. PAYMENT

1. For payment, the contractor shall submit invoices for payment to:
Foster Sayers Dam
Corps of Engineers
P.O. Box 227
Beech Creek, PA 16822
2. Invoices must provide Contractor's name and mailing address, contract identification number, date of preparation, date of work and an itemized billing.
3. The contractor shall provide to the Government Representative at the end of each work day, a tally sheet for that day including all hourly charges, mobilization and demobilization charges and a total expense for that day.

CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS**CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS****DELIVERY ORDERS FOR EQUIPMENT RENTAL
FOSTER JOSEPH SAYERS DAM**

The contractor shall provide equipment as described below with operator for maintenance tasks as directed at Foster Sayers Dam, Clinton County, Beech Creek, PA. 16822.

This contract shall be for a base year with 2 option years.

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>U/I</u>	<u>UNIT PRICE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
0001	Foster Sayers Dam				
	Base Year Contractor shall provide all labor, material and equipment to provide Equipment Rental with operator for debris cleanup and maintenance tasks for general repairs and improvements at Foster Sayers Dam, Beech Creek, PA in accordance with section C, statement of work for the period of June 15 2003 – June 14, 2004				
0001AA	Rubber tired road grader mobilization	3.0	Ea		
0001AB	Rubber tired road grader Rental w/operator	60.0	Hr		
0001AC	Rubber tired road grader Demobilization	3.0	Ea		
0001AD	Dump Truck mobilization	4.0	Ea		
0001AE	Dump Truck Rental w/operator	60.0	Hr		
0001AF	Dump Truck Demobilization	4.0	Ea		
0001AG	Track Loader Mobilization	3.0	Ea		
0001AH	Track Loader Rental w/operator	60.0	Hr		
0001AJ	Track Loader Demobilization	3.0	Ea		

0001AK	Rubber-Tired Backhoe Mobilization	4.0	Ea		
0001AM	Rubber-Tired Backhoe Rental w/operator	80.0	Hr		
0001AN	Rubber-Tired Backhoe Demobilization	4.0	Ea		
0001AP	Track Backhoe Mobilization	2.0	Ea		
0001AQ	Track Backhoe Rental w/operator	40.0	Hr		
0001AR	Track Backhoe Demobilization	2.0	Ea		
0001AS	Top soil delivered to project	40	Tn		
0001AT	# 2 limestone delivered to project	50	Tn		
0001AU	# 3 limestone delivered to project	20	Tn		
0001AV	# 4 limestone delivered to project	40	Tn		
0001AW	TOTAL				
0002	Foster Sayers Dam				
	Option Year I Contractor shall provide all labor, material and equipment to provide Equipment Rental with operator for debris cleanup and maintenance tasks for general repairs and improvements at Foster Sayers Dam, Beech Creek, PA in accordance with section C, statement of work for the period of 15 June 2004 – 14 June 2005				
0002AA	Rubber tired road grader mobilization	3.0			
0002AB	Rubber tired road grader Rental w/operator	60.0			
0002AC	Rubber tired road grader Demobilization	3.0			
0002AD	Dump Truck mobilization	4.0			
0002AE	Dump Truck Rental w/operator	60.0	Ea		
0002AF	Dump Truck Demobilization	4.0	Hr		
0002AG	Track Loader Mobilization	3.0	Ea		
0002AH	Track Loader Rental w/operator	60.0	Ea		

0002AJ	Track Loader Demobilization	3.0	Hr		
0002AK	Rubber-Tired Backhoe Mobilization	4.0	Ea		
0002AM	Rubber-Tired Backhoe Rental w/operator	80.0	Ea		
0002AN	Rubber-Tired Backhoe Demobilization	4.0	Hr		
0002AP	Track Backhoe Mobilization	2.0	Ea		
0002AQ	Track Backhoe Rental w/operator	40.0	Ea		
0002AR	Track Backhoe Demobilization	2.0	Hr		
0002AS	Top soil delivered to project	40	Ea		
0002AT	# 2 limestone delivered to project	50	Ea		
0002AU	# 3 limestone delivered to project	20	Hr		
0002AV	# 4 limestone delivered to project	40	Ea		
0002AW	TOTAL				
0003	Foster Sayers Dam				
	Option Year II Contractor shall provide all labor, material and equipment to provide Equipment Rental with operator for debris cleanup and maintenance tasks for general repairs and improvements at Foster Sayers Dam, Beech Creek, PA in accordance with section C, statement of work for the period of 15 June 2005 – 14 June 2006				
0003AA	Rubber tired road grader mobilization	3.0			
0003AB	Rubber tired road grader Rental w/operator	60.0			
0003AC	Rubber tired road grader Demobilization	3.0			
0003AD	Dump Truck mobilization	4.0			
0003AE	Dump Truck Rental w/operator	60.0	Ea		
0003AF	Dump Truck Demobilization	4.0	Hr		
0003AG	Track Loader Mobilization	3.0	Ea		

0003AH	Track Loader Rental w/operator	60.0	Ea		
0003AJ	Track Loader Demobilization	3.0	Hr		
0003AK	Rubber-Tired Backhoe Mobilization	4.0	Ea		
0003AM	Rubber-Tired Backhoe Rental w/operator	80.0	Ea		
0003AN	Rubber-Tired Backhoe Demobilization	4.0	Hr		
0003AP	Track Backhoe Mobilization	2.0	Ea		
0003AQ	Track Backhoe Rental w/operator	40.0	Ea		
0003AR	Track Backhoe Demobilization	2.0	Hr		
0003AS	Top soil delivered to project	40	Ea		
0003AT	# 2 limestone delivered to project	50	Ea		
0003AU	# 3 limestone delivered to project	20	Hr		
0003AV	# 4 limestone delivered to project	40	Ea		
0003AW	TOTAL				
	TOTAL BID – Base Year+Optin Year I + Option Year II				

WAGE DETERMINATION DECISION

WAGE DETERMINATION DECISION
OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR

The following wage determination will be used to conform with the requirements of the Service Contract Act of 1965 (29 CFR 4) of the General Provisions:

Decision No. 94-2451 (Rev. 24) dated 4 June 2003

State(s): Ohio, Pennsylvania

Areas: Ohio COUNTIES OF Belmont, Harrison, Jefferson, Tuscarawas

Pennsylvania COUNTIES OF Allegheny, Armstrong,
Beaver, Bedford, Blair, Butler, Cambria, Cameron,
Centre, Clarion, Clearfield, Clinton, Crawford, Elk,
Erie, Fayette, Forest, Fulton, Greene, Huntingdon,
Indiana, Jefferson, Lawrence, McKean, Mercer,
Potter, Somerset, Venango, Warren, Washington,
Westmoreland

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William W.Gross | Division of | Wage Determination No.: 1994-2451
 Director | Wage Determinations | Revision No.: 24
 Date Of Last Revision: 06/04/2003

States: Ohio, Pennsylvania
 Area: Ohio Counties of Belmont, Harrison, Jefferson, Tuscarawas
 Pennsylvania Counties of Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Bedford, Blair, Butler,
 Cambria, Cameron, Centre, Clarion, Clearfield, Clinton, Crawford, Elk, Erie,
 Fayette, Forest, Fulton, Greene, Huntingdon, Indiana, Jefferson, Lawrence, McKean,
 Mercer, Potter, Somerset, Venango, Warren, Washington, Westmoreland

Fringe Benefits Required Follow the Occupational Listing

OCCUPATION CODE - TITLE	MINIMUM WAGE RATE
01000 - Administrative Support and Clerical Occupations	
01011 - Accounting Clerk I	11.00
01012 - Accounting Clerk II	12.04
01013 - Accounting Clerk III	14.97
01014 - Accounting Clerk IV	20.33
01030 - Court Reporter	16.16
01050 - Dispatcher, Motor Vehicle	13.01
01060 - Document Preparation Clerk	11.66
01070 - Messenger (Courier)	9.61
01090 - Duplicating Machine Operator	10.49
01110 - Film/Tape Librarian	12.05
01115 - General Clerk I	8.54
01116 - General Clerk II	9.53
01117 - General Clerk III	11.76
01118 - General Clerk IV	13.35
01120 - Housing Referral Assistant	17.32
01131 - Key Entry Operator I	9.14
01132 - Key Entry Operator II	11.13
01191 - Order Clerk I	11.97
01192 - Order Clerk II	14.31
01261 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) I	12.42
01262 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) II	13.84

01263 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) III	14.49
01264 - Personnel Assistant (Employment) IV	17.92
01270 - Production Control Clerk	16.67
01290 - Rental Clerk	12.05
01300 - Scheduler, Maintenance	13.74
01311 - Secretary I	13.74
01312 - Secretary II	15.20
01313 - Secretary III	17.32
01314 - Secretary IV	19.23
01315 - Secretary V	21.35
01320 - Service Order Dispatcher	13.26
01341 - Stenographer I	12.79
01342 - Stenographer II	14.30
01400 - Supply Technician	19.23
01420 - Survey Worker (Interviewer)	11.51
01460 - Switchboard Operator-Receptionist	9.80
01510 - Test Examiner	14.23
01520 - Test Proctor	14.23
01531 - Travel Clerk I	10.17
01532 - Travel Clerk II	10.90
01533 - Travel Clerk III	11.71
01611 - Word Processor I	11.61
01612 - Word Processor II	15.43
01613 - Word Processor III	16.54
03000 - Automatic Data Processing Occupations	
03010 - Computer Data Librarian	12.74
03041 - Computer Operator I	12.74
03042 - Computer Operator II	13.99
03043 - Computer Operator III	18.29
03044 - Computer Operator IV	20.32
03045 - Computer Operator V	22.49
03071 - Computer Programmer I (1)	19.92
03072 - Computer Programmer II (1)	22.65
03073 - Computer Programmer III (1)	27.18
03074 - Computer Programmer IV (1)	27.62
03101 - Computer Systems Analyst I (1)	21.53
03102 - Computer Systems Analyst II (1)	27.48
03103 - Computer Systems Analyst III (1)	27.62
03160 - Peripheral Equipment Operator	13.96
05000 - Automotive Service Occupations	
05005 - Automotive Body Repairer, Fiberglass	16.80
05010 - Automotive Glass Installer	15.60
05040 - Automotive Worker	15.60
05070 - Electrician, Automotive	16.22
05100 - Mobile Equipment Servicer	14.46
05130 - Motor Equipment Metal Mechanic	16.80
05160 - Motor Equipment Metal Worker	15.60
05190 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic	17.06
05220 - Motor Vehicle Mechanic Helper	13.89
05250 - Motor Vehicle Upholstery Worker	15.03
05280 - Motor Vehicle Wrecker	15.60
05310 - Painter, Automotive	16.22
05340 - Radiator Repair Specialist	15.60
05370 - Tire Repairer	13.96
05400 - Transmission Repair Specialist	16.80
07000 - Food Preparation and Service Occupations	
(not set) - Food Service Worker	8.61
07010 - Baker	10.98
07041 - Cook I	10.16
07042 - Cook II	10.98

07070 - Dishwasher	8.33
07130 - Meat Cutter	11.08
07250 - Waiter/Waitress	8.86
09000 - Furniture Maintenance and Repair Occupations	
09010 - Electrostatic Spray Painter	16.22
09040 - Furniture Handler	12.62
09070 - Furniture Refinisher	16.22
09100 - Furniture Refinisher Helper	13.89
09110 - Furniture Repairer, Minor	15.03
09130 - Upholsterer	16.22
11030 - General Services and Support Occupations	
11030 - Cleaner, Vehicles	8.44
11060 - Elevator Operator	11.02
11090 - Gardener	11.01
11121 - House Keeping Aid I	9.27
11122 - House Keeping Aid II	9.94
11150 - Janitor	12.12
11210 - Laborer, Grounds Maintenance	9.60
11240 - Maid or Houseman	9.27
11270 - Pest Controller	12.21
11300 - Refuse Collector	12.12
11330 - Tractor Operator	10.60
11360 - Window Cleaner	12.89
12000 - Health Occupations	
12020 - Dental Assistant	10.93
12040 - Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)/Paramedic/Ambulance Driver	12.02
12071 - Licensed Practical Nurse I	12.06
12072 - Licensed Practical Nurse II	13.55
12073 - Licensed Practical Nurse III	15.15
12100 - Medical Assistant	10.66
12130 - Medical Laboratory Technician	14.22
12160 - Medical Record Clerk	11.24
12190 - Medical Record Technician	13.57
12221 - Nursing Assistant I	8.03
12222 - Nursing Assistant II	9.03
12223 - Nursing Assistant III	9.85
12224 - Nursing Assistant IV	11.05
12250 - Pharmacy Technician	12.19
12280 - Phlebotomist	12.93
12311 - Registered Nurse I	19.83
12312 - Registered Nurse II	22.11
12313 - Registered Nurse II, Specialist	22.11
12314 - Registered Nurse III	27.91
12315 - Registered Nurse III, Anesthetist	27.94
12316 - Registered Nurse IV	29.41
13000 - Information and Arts Occupations	
13002 - Audiovisual Librarian	16.81
13011 - Exhibits Specialist I	20.46
13012 - Exhibits Specialist II	26.07
13013 - Exhibits Specialist III	28.16
13041 - Illustrator I	17.66
13042 - Illustrator II	22.51
13043 - Illustrator III	24.32
13047 - Librarian	24.58
13050 - Library Technician	13.89
13071 - Photographer I	13.80
13072 - Photographer II	16.58
13073 - Photographer III	21.13
13074 - Photographer IV	22.83
13075 - Photographer V	27.60

15000 - Laundry, Dry Cleaning, Pressing and Related Occupations	
15010 - Assembler	8.25
15030 - Counter Attendant	8.25
15040 - Dry Cleaner	10.11
15070 - Finisher, Flatwork, Machine	8.25
15090 - Presser, Hand	8.25
15100 - Presser, Machine, Drycleaning	8.25
15130 - Presser, Machine, Shirts	8.25
15160 - Presser, Machine, Wearing Apparel, Laundry	8.25
15190 - Sewing Machine Operator	10.80
15220 - Tailor	11.48
15250 - Washer, Machine	8.94
19000 - Machine Tool Operation and Repair Occupations	
19010 - Machine-Tool Operator (Toolroom)	16.21
19040 - Tool and Die Maker	22.76
21000 - Material Handling and Packing Occupations	
21010 - Fuel Distribution System Operator	16.62
21020 - Material Coordinator	16.89
21030 - Material Expediter	16.89
21040 - Material Handling Laborer	16.45
21050 - Order Filler	13.89
21071 - Forklift Operator	13.92
21080 - Production Line Worker (Food Processing)	14.60
21100 - Shipping/Receiving Clerk	13.72
21130 - Shipping Packer	13.72
21140 - Store Worker I	11.08
21150 - Stock Clerk (Shelf Stocker; Store Worker II)	14.06
21210 - Tools and Parts Attendant	13.61
21400 - Warehouse Specialist	13.92
23000 - Mechanics and Maintenance and Repair Occupations	
23010 - Aircraft Mechanic	18.71
23040 - Aircraft Mechanic Helper	14.78
23050 - Aircraft Quality Control Inspector	19.32
23060 - Aircraft Servicer	16.37
23070 - Aircraft Worker	17.25
23100 - Appliance Mechanic	16.73
23120 - Bicycle Repairer	13.96
23125 - Cable Splicer	21.69
23130 - Carpenter, Maintenance	17.47
23140 - Carpet Layer	17.94
23160 - Electrician, Maintenance	20.74
23181 - Electronics Technician, Maintenance I	18.40
23182 - Electronics Technician, Maintenance II	21.70
23183 - Electronics Technician, Maintenance III	23.74
23260 - Fabric Worker	15.03
23290 - Fire Alarm System Mechanic	17.58
23310 - Fire Extinguisher Repairer	15.55
23340 - Fuel Distribution System Mechanic	19.32
23370 - General Maintenance Worker	15.60
23400 - Heating, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Mechanic	17.24
23430 - Heavy Equipment Mechanic	16.97
23440 - Heavy Equipment Operator	18.48
23460 - Instrument Mechanic	19.10
23470 - Laborer	13.37
23500 - Locksmith	18.41
23530 - Machinery Maintenance Mechanic	18.66
23550 - Machinist, Maintenance	18.41
23580 - Maintenance Trades Helper	13.89
23640 - Millwright	18.76
23700 - Office Appliance Repairer	18.41

23740 - Painter, Aircraft	17.26
23760 - Painter, Maintenance	18.40
23790 - Pipefitter, Maintenance	22.74
23800 - Plumber, Maintenance	18.65
23820 - Pneudraulic Systems Mechanic	19.10
23850 - Rigger	19.10
23870 - Scale Mechanic	17.48
23890 - Sheet-Metal Worker, Maintenance	18.88
23910 - Small Engine Mechanic	15.60
23930 - Telecommunication Mechanic I	17.36
23931 - Telecommunication Mechanic II	17.83
23950 - Telephone Lineman	17.58
23960 - Welder, Combination, Maintenance	16.81
23965 - Well Driller	16.80
23970 - Woodcraft Worker	16.80
23980 - Woodworker	14.45
24000 - Personal Needs Occupations	
24570 - Child Care Attendant	9.40
24580 - Child Care Center Clerk	8.86
24600 - Chore Aid	8.92
24630 - Homemaker	10.89
25000 - Plant and System Operation Occupations	
25010 - Boiler Tender	20.78
25040 - Sewage Plant Operator	18.37
25070 - Stationary Engineer	20.78
25190 - Ventilation Equipment Tender	15.28
25210 - Water Treatment Plant Operator	17.84
27000 - Protective Service Occupations	
(not set) - Police Officer	22.56
27004 - Alarm Monitor	13.53
27006 - Corrections Officer	19.31
27010 - Court Security Officer	19.98
27040 - Detention Officer	19.31
27070 - Firefighter	19.87
27101 - Guard I	8.48
27102 - Guard II	13.74
28000 - Stevedoring/Longshoremen Occupations	
28010 - Blocker and Bracer	16.21
28020 - Hatch Tender	16.21
28030 - Line Handler	16.21
28040 - Stevedore I	15.30
28050 - Stevedore II	16.52
29000 - Technical Occupations	
21150 - Graphic Artist	18.69
29010 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Center (2)	29.33
29011 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Station (2)	20.22
29012 - Air Traffic Control Specialist, Terminal (2)	22.27
29023 - Archeological Technician I	14.84
29024 - Archeological Technician II	16.62
29025 - Archeological Technician III	20.55
29030 - Cartographic Technician	22.35
29035 - Computer Based Training (CBT) Specialist/ Instructor	24.32
29040 - Civil Engineering Technician	20.74
29061 - Drafter I	12.82
29062 - Drafter II	16.27
29063 - Drafter III	19.55
29064 - Drafter IV	25.09
29081 - Engineering Technician I	16.06
29082 - Engineering Technician II	18.06
29083 - Engineering Technician III	20.98

29084 - Engineering Technician IV	24.00
29085 - Engineering Technician V	27.48
29086 - Engineering Technician VI	33.22
29090 - Environmental Technician	17.43
29100 - Flight Simulator/Instructor (Pilot)	27.48
29160 - Instructor	22.54
29210 - Laboratory Technician	18.37
29240 - Mathematical Technician	25.09
29361 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant I	14.45
29362 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant II	18.81
29363 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant III	22.27
29364 - Paralegal/Legal Assistant IV	22.93
29390 - Photooptics Technician	22.06
29480 - Technical Writer	21.39
29491 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician I	18.64
29492 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician II	22.55
29493 - Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) Technician III	27.03
29494 - Unexploded (UXO) Safety Escort	18.64
29495 - Unexploded (UXO) Sweep Personnel	18.64
29620 - Weather Observer, Senior (3)	21.00
29621 - Weather Observer, Combined Upper Air and Surface Programs (3)	20.06
29622 - Weather Observer, Upper Air (3)	20.06
31000 - Transportation/ Mobile Equipment Operation Occupations	
31030 - Bus Driver	17.12
31260 - Parking and Lot Attendant	9.00
31290 - Shuttle Bus Driver	14.50
31300 - Taxi Driver	9.93
31361 - Truckdriver, Light Truck	13.63
31362 - Truckdriver, Medium Truck	15.88
31363 - Truckdriver, Heavy Truck	16.28
31364 - Truckdriver, Tractor-Trailer	16.61
99000 - Miscellaneous Occupations	
99020 - Animal Caretaker	9.38
99030 - Cashier	7.45
99041 - Carnival Equipment Operator	9.78
99042 - Carnival Equipment Repairer	10.16
99043 - Carnival Worker	8.33
99050 - Desk Clerk	7.70
99095 - Embalmer	18.64
99300 - Lifeguard	8.91
99310 - Mortician	19.44
99350 - Park Attendant (Aide)	11.19
99400 - Photofinishing Worker (Photo Lab Tech., Darkroom Tech)	8.91
99500 - Recreation Specialist	12.61
99510 - Recycling Worker	14.23
99610 - Sales Clerk	8.87
99620 - School Crossing Guard (Crosswalk Attendant)	8.33
99630 - Sport Official	7.74
99658 - Survey Party Chief (Chief of Party)	14.32
99659 - Surveying Technician (Instr. Person/Surveyor Asst./Instr.)	13.01
99660 - Surveying Aide	8.53
99690 - Swimming Pool Operator	15.10
99720 - Vending Machine Attendant	13.41
99730 - Vending Machine Repairer	15.10
99740 - Vending Machine Repairer Helper	13.41

ALL OCCUPATIONS LISTED ABOVE RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:

HEALTH & WELFARE: \$2.36 an hour or \$94.40 a week or \$409.07 a month

VACATION: 2 weeks paid vacation after 1 year of service with a contractor or successor; 3 weeks after 8 years, 4 weeks after 15 years, and 5 weeks after 25

years. Length of service includes the whole span of continuous service with the present contractor or successor, wherever employed, and with the predecessor contractors in the performance of similar work at the same Federal facility. (Reg. 29 CFR 4.173)

HOLIDAYS: A minimum of ten paid holidays per year: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans' Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. (A contractor may substitute for any of the named holidays another day off with pay in accordance with a plan communicated to the employees involved.) (See 29 CFR 4.174)
THE OCCUPATIONS WHICH HAVE PARENTHESES AFTER THEM RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS (as numbered):

1) Does not apply to employees employed in a bona fide executive, administrative, or professional capacity as defined and delineated in 29 CFR 541. (See CFR 4.156)
2) APPLICABLE TO AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS ONLY - NIGHT DIFFERENTIAL: An employee is entitled to pay for all work performed between the hours of 6:00 P.M. and 6:00 A.M. at the rate of basic pay plus a night pay differential amounting to 10 percent of the rate of basic pay.

3) WEATHER OBSERVERS - NIGHT PAY & SUNDAY PAY: If you work at night as part of a regular tour of duty, you will earn a night differential and receive an additional 10% of basic pay for any hours worked between 6pm and 6am. If you are a full-time employed (40 hours a week) and Sunday is part of your regularly scheduled workweek, you are paid at your rate of basic pay plus a Sunday premium of 25% of your basic rate for each hour of Sunday work which is not overtime (i.e. occasional work on Sunday outside the normal tour of duty is considered overtime work).

HAZARDOUS PAY DIFFERENTIAL: An 8 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a high degree of hazard when working with or in close proximity to ordnance, explosives, and incendiary materials. This includes work such as screening, blending, dying, mixing, and pressing of sensitive ordnance, explosives, and pyrotechnic compositions such as lead azide, black powder and photoflash powder. All dry-house activities involving propellants or explosives. Demilitarization, modification, renovation, demolition, and maintenance operations on sensitive ordnance, explosives and incendiary materials. All operations involving regrading and cleaning of artillery ranges.

A 4 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a low degree of hazard when working with, or in close proximity to ordnance, (or employees possibly adjacent to) explosives and incendiary materials which involves potential injury such as laceration of hands, face, or arms of the employee engaged in the operation, irritation of the skin, minor burns and the like; minimal damage to immediate or adjacent work area or equipment being used. All operations involving, unloading, storage, and hauling of ordnance, explosive, and incendiary ordnance material other than small arms ammunition. These differentials are only applicable to work that has been specifically designated by the agency for ordnance, explosives, and incendiary material differential pay.

**** UNIFORM ALLOWANCE ****

If employees are required to wear uniforms in the performance of this contract (either by the terms of the Government contract, by the employer, by the state or local law, etc.), the cost of furnishing such uniforms and maintaining (by laundering or dry cleaning) such uniforms is an expense that may not be borne by an employee where such cost reduces the hourly rate below that required by the wage determination. The Department of Labor will accept payment in accordance with the following standards as compliance:

The contractor or subcontractor is required to furnish all employees with an adequate number of uniforms without cost or to reimburse employees for the actual cost of the uniforms. In addition, where uniform cleaning and maintenance is made the responsibility of the employee, all contractors and subcontractors subject to this wage determination shall (in the absence of a bona fide collective bargaining agreement providing for a different amount, or the furnishing of contrary affirmative proof as to the actual cost), reimburse all employees for such cleaning and maintenance at a rate of \$3.35 per week (or \$.67 cents per day). However, in those instances where the uniforms furnished are made of "wash and wear"

materials, may be routinely washed and dried with other personal garments, and do not require any special treatment such as dry cleaning, daily washing, or commercial laundering in order to meet the cleanliness or appearance standards set by the terms of the Government contract, by the contractor, by law, or by the nature of the work, there is no requirement that employees be reimbursed for uniform maintenance costs.

** NOTES APPLYING TO THIS WAGE DETERMINATION **

Source of Occupational Title and Descriptions:

The duties of employees under job titles listed are those described in the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations," Fourth Edition, January 1993, as amended by the Third Supplement, dated March 1997, unless otherwise indicated. This publication may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, at 202-783-3238, or by writing to the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. Copies of specific job descriptions may also be obtained from the appropriate contracting officer.

REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION OF ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION AND WAGE RATE {Standard Form 1444 (SF 1444)}

Conformance Process:

The contracting officer shall require that any class of service employee which is not listed herein and which is to be employed under the contract (i.e., the work to be performed is not performed by any classification listed in the wage determination), be classified by the contractor so as to provide a reasonable relationship (i.e., appropriate level of skill comparison) between such unlisted classifications and the classifications listed in the wage determination. Such conformed classes of employees shall be paid the monetary wages and furnished the fringe benefits as are determined. Such conforming process shall be initiated by the contractor prior to the performance of contract work by such unlisted class(es) of employees. The conformed classification, wage rate, and/or fringe benefits shall be retroactive to the commencement date of the contract. {See Section 4.6 (C) (vi)} When multiple wage determinations are included in a contract, a separate SF 1444 should be prepared for each wage determination to which a class(es) is to be conformed.

The process for preparing a conformance request is as follows:

- 1) When preparing the bid, the contractor identifies the need for a conformed occupation) and computes a proposed rate).
- 2) After contract award, the contractor prepares a written report listing in order proposed classification title), a Federal grade equivalency (FGE) for each proposed classification), job description), and rationale for proposed wage rate), including information regarding the agreement or disagreement of the authorized representative of the employees involved, or where there is no authorized representative, the employees themselves. This report should be submitted to the contracting officer no later than 30 days after such unlisted class(es) of employees performs any contract work.
- 3) The contracting officer reviews the proposed action and promptly submits a report of the action, together with the agency's recommendations and pertinent information including the position of the contractor and the employees, to the Wage and Hour Division, Employment Standards Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, for review. (See section 4.6(b)(2) of Regulations 29 CFR Part 4).
- 4) Within 30 days of receipt, the Wage and Hour Division approves, modifies, or disapproves the action via transmittal to the agency contracting officer, or notifies the contracting officer that additional time will be required to process the request.
- 5) The contracting officer transmits the Wage and Hour decision to the contractor.
- 6) The contractor informs the affected employees.

Information required by the Regulations must be submitted on SF 1444 or bond paper. When preparing a conformance request, the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations" (the Directory) should be used to compare job definitions to insure that duties requested are not performed by a classification already listed in the wage determination. Remember, it is not the job title, but the required tasks that determine whether a class is included in an established wage determination. Conformances may not be used to artificially split, combine, or subdivide

classifications listed in the wage determination.