



## AMENDMENT TO SOLICITATION

### Amendment No. 1

**DATE:** September 15, 2017

**TO:** ALL VENDORS

**FROM:** Mac Stiles, Procurement Manager

**SOLICITATION NUMBER:** USC-RFP-3191-MS

**DESCRIPTION:** Seismometer Borehole Drilling Services Near Summerville, SC

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This **Amendment No. 1** modifies the **Request For Proposals** only in the manner and to the extent as stated herein.

### ITEM ONE – EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF OFFER

Deadline appearing on Page One of the solicitation is changed to:

**SUBMIT OFFER BY (Opening Date/Time):**                      **September 21, 2017 @ 3:00 PM EDT**

### ITEM TWO – VENDOR QUESTIONS

Question #1: Per the specifications, Inside Diameter of Casing shall be – Minimum: 6.15”; Maximum: 6.69”. Please further clarify what outside diameter casing and wall thickness that is required for this project. The dimensions you are requesting to meet are out of the norm, or standard casing sizes and schedules.

Answer #1: We find a number of standard pipe sizes that have Inside Diameters within the specific range. Any outer diameter and wall thicknesses that meet the specifications in the bid package are acceptable.

Question #2: Will a standard plumbness and alignment test be acceptable for measuring the degrees from vertical for the alignment of the casing? If not, please clarify as to what is acceptable.

Answer #2: We are not specifying any methods of verticality measurements as the proposed methods and vendor experience making these measurements is part of the evaluation criteria.

Question #3: May a surface casing be installed? If so, can it be driven in place?

Answer #3: Yes, if the driller believes it is necessary and it does not impact any requirements specified in the bid package. Determining the method of emplacement is the responsibility of the driller.

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Bidder shall acknowledge receipt of Amendment No. 1 in the space provided below and return it with their bid response. Failure to do so may subject bid to rejection.

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Authorized Signature

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Name of Offeror

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Date