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## **GUAM POWER AUTHORITY**



REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL GPA-RFP-18-005

**FOR** 

**Robotic Process Automation** 

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## REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

## GPA-RFP-18-005

## **FOR**

## "Robotic Process Automation (RPA)"

The Guam Power Authority (GPA) is soliciting proposals from interested and qualified individuals or firms to implement Robotic Process Automation (RPA) solution to support automation of tasks and processes with the following capabilities:

- A. A RPA platform with an easy-to-use process definition function to record/configure the process automation in a non-invasive manner (mimicking end users)
- B. Support multiple automation run options (unattended, attended, scheduled, etc.) ensuring security and audit compliance
- C. Maintenance of RPA configuration (includes RPA process, user administration) and scheduler of the bots
- D. Operationalization of the Bot and automated processes including monitoring and load balancing
- E. Reporting and analytics
- F. Training and skill transfer to GPA staff on bot development, maintenance and operations

GPA has identified three (3) use cases that have been identified as part of the initial implementation. The proposed solution must be scalable and flexible to automate other processes.

When it is implemented, it should meet the following objectives:

- A. Eliminate or reduce the time and effort needed by GPA staff for repetitive tasks required for various business processes across the agency thus enabling GPA staffs to focus more on value add and strategic work.
- B. Increase productivity and improve turnaround time.
- C. Reduce errors in tasks

Request for Proposal (RFP) packages may be obtained at the, GPA Procurement Office located at 688 Route 15 Gloria B. Nelson Public Service Building, Mangilao, Guam 96913 anytime from Monday through Friday (excluding holidays) between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Deadline for submission of all proposals is <u>4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 01, 2018</u> at the GPA Procurement Office and will be received in accordance with Section 3-207 of the Guam Procurement Regulations. All proposals must be submitted to the attention of the Supply Management Administrator.

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## **SECTION 1.0: INSTRUCTION TO RESPONDENTS**

## 1.1 DEFINITIONS

OFFEROR: The individual, partnership, corporation, or joint venture submitting a written or

documented response to this subject RFP.

OWNER: The Guam Power Authority (GPA) General Manager or designated representative.

ADDENDA: Any amendment or modification issued by OWNER, prior to the opening of the

RFP's, for the purpose of changing the intent of the plans and specifications, clarifying the meaning of the same, or changing any provisions of this RFP, shall be

binding to the same extent as if written in the Specifications

#### 1.2 PROPOSALS

The OFFEROR is required to read each and every page of the Request for Proposal and by the act of submitting a proposal shall be deemed to have accepted all conditions contained therein. In no case will failure to inspect constitute grounds for a claim or for the withdrawal of a proposal after opening.

Proposals shall be filled out in ink or typewritten and signed in black ink. Erasures or other changes in a proposal must be explained or noted over the signature of the OFFEROR. Proposals containing any conditions, omission, unexplained erasure or alterations or items not called for in the Proposal, or irregularities of any kind shall be rejected by the Guam Power Authority as being incomplete.

The OFFEROR may designate any proprietary portions of the proposal which contain trade secrets or other proprietary data to remain confidential.

## 1.3 PROPRIETARY PORTIONS OF PROPOSALS

The OFFEROR may designate any proprietary portions of the proposal which contain trade secrets or other proprietary data to remain confidential.

## 1.4 PREPARATION AND SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS

Envelopes containing proposals shall be sealed and marked on the face with the name and address of the OFFEROR, the Proposal Number and the time and date of submission. Telegraphic proposals will not be considered, nor will modifications by telegraph of proposals already submitted be considered.

Only non-priced proposals are to be submitted by the proposal deadline. Priced proposals will be requested of the selected firm at a later time.

Proposals shall be hand-carried and received at the place of opening on or before the opening date and time. Proposals received through mail will not be accepted if such mail is received at the address showing after the submission date and time. Proposals will not be opened publicly.

All submittals must strictly conform to the Request for Proposal and any addenda.

One (1) bound paper original, five (5) bound paper copies, and one (1) electronic **(non-priced proposal)** PDF format copy of each proposal, consisting of technical and commercial sections, must be submitted, including all addenda, if any. Any and all sample documentation (reports of similar jobs, brochures, etc) that will assist towards OFFEROR's evaluation may be furnished with each proposal. Submittals shall be provided on 8.5" x 11" sized paper 8.5" x 14" and 11" x 17" sized fold out pages are only allowed for organizational charts, schedules, flow charts, or diagrams.

No submittal shall be considered complete unless accompanied by all items specified in these submittal instructions.

Request for Proposal No.: <u>GPA-RFP-18-005</u> must be submitted before <u>4:00 P.M., May 01, 2018</u> in a sealed envelope indicating the RFP number and addressed as follows:

To: JOHN M. BENAVENTE, P.E.
General Manager
Guam Power Authority
GPWA Procurement Office
Gloria B. Nelson Public Service Building
688 Route 15 – Suite 100
1st. Floor, Room 101
Mangilao, Guam 96913

Attn: Jamie Lynn C. Pangelinan

**Supply Management Administrator** 

<u>Examination of RFP Documents:</u> OFFEROR shall examine the RFP Documents to inform himself of all conditions and requirements for the execution of the proposed work. Ignorance on the part of OFFEROR of any part of the Request for Proposal will in no way relieve him of the obligations and responsibilities assumed under the Contract.

Interpretation of the Approximate Quantities: OFFEROR's attention is called to the fact that any estimate of quantities of work to be done and materials to be furnished under the Contract as shown in this Request for Proposal is approximate only and not guaranteed. OWNER does not assume any responsibility that the final quantities shall remain in strict accordance with the estimated quantities, nor shall OFFEROR plead misunderstanding or deception because of such estimate of quantities or of the character, location of the work or other conditions pertaining thereto.

<u>Familiarity with Laws:</u> OFFEROR is assumed to be familiar with Federal and Local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations that in any manner affect the work. Ignorance on the part of OFFEROR will in no way relieve him from responsibility.

The preparation and submission of a proposal will be by and at the expense of the OFFEROR.

## 1.5 EXPLANATION TO OFFERORS

No oral explanation in regard to the meaning of the specification will be made and no oral instructions will be given before the award of the proposal. Discrepancies, omissions, or doubts as to the meaning of the specifications must be communicated in writing to the named contact individual of the Guam Power Authority for interpretation. OFFERORS should act promptly and allow sufficient time for a reply to reach them before the submission of their proposals. Interpretation, if required, shall be made in the form of an amendment to the specifications, which will be forwarded to all prospective OFFERORS, and its receipt by the OFFEROR should be acknowledged on the proposal form.

## 1.6 CLARIFICATION ON REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Each OFFEROR must carefully examine the Request For Proposal and all addenda. If any OFFEROR (a) finds any discrepancies, omissions or ambiguities in the RFP documents, (b) is uncertain as to the intent or meaning of any provision of the request for Proposal, or (c) has any question regarding the Request for Proposal, the OFFEROR must promptly notify GPA in writing no later than (4) four working days prior to the closing date of this RFP at the address specified for submission of proposals. Replies to such notices may be made in the form of addenda, which will be issued simultaneously to all prospective OFFERORS. GPA further reserves the right to respond to any and all inquiries to this RFP, as any amendments issued may impact the project completion schedule.

## 1.7 ALTERNATE PROPOSAL

GPA reserves the right to withhold its approval of any or all alternates proposed by OFFERORS and to deny any or all requests for such approvals.

## 1.8 MODIFICATION OR WITHDRAWAL OF PROPOSAL

An OFFEROR may modify or withdraw its proposal by written request, provided that the request is received by GPA at the address indicated and prior to the time specified for the submission of proposals. Any proposals or submittals received after the time and date set for receipt of proposals or submittals will be considered late. No late modification or withdrawal will be considered unless received before the date of opening. Following withdrawal of its proposal, an OFFEROR may submit a new proposal, provided the new proposal is received by GPA prior to the time specified for the submission of proposals. There shall be no modifications or withdrawals after the opening date.

GPA may modify any provision of the Request For Proposal at any time prior to the time specified for the submission of proposals. Such modifications may be made in the form of addenda, which will be issued simultaneously to all OFFERORS.

Any addenda issued will be mailed to all OFFERORS in duplicate. OFFEROR shall acknowledge receipt of same by his signature on copy, which is to be returned to OWNER. The other copy shall accompany the proposal or submittal. Acknowledgement may also be made in writing or by telex or telegram.

## 1.9 COMPLETE PROPOSALS

OFFERORS are requested to submit proposals, which are complete and unambiguous without the need for additional explanation or information. GPA may make a final determination as to whether a proposal is acceptable or unacceptable solely on the basis of the proposal as submitted, and proceed with proposal evaluation without requesting further information from any OFFEROR. GPA may, in its sole discretion, request from OFFERORS additional information clarifying or supplementing, but not basically changing any proposal as submitted.

All Proposals shall remain the property of GPA.

<u>Time for Acceptance:</u> All submittals shall be valid for 60 days from date of RFP opening.

<u>Completion Date:</u> OFFEROR shall realize that satisfactory completion of this work within the period shown on the Agreement form is a critical requirement. Failure to do so may cause the imposition of liquidated damages as specified therein.

## 1.10 BONDING

No performance or payment bonds are required under this RFP.

## 1.11 POST RFP MEETING

After the receipt of proposals, GPA may request for interviews, presentations, or additional information over the telephone or in individual meetings with selected OFFERORS to clarify and discuss their proposals. Failure by an OFFEROR to comply with these requests shall be cause for disqualification.

GPA reserves the right to request clarifications from only those OFFERORS whom it deems are in its best interest.

All clarifications shall be documented by OFFERORS as addenda to the submittals.

## 1.12 PROPOSAL INCONSISTENCIES

Any provisions in the proposal which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Request For Proposal, unless expressly described as being exceptions or alternates, are deemed waived by the OFFERORS. In the event the proposal is awarded to OFFEROR, any claim of inconsistency between the proposal and these RFP documents will be resolved in favor of these RFP documents unless otherwise agreed to in writing by GPA.

## 1.13 SUBCONTRACTOR

If the OFFEROR plans to enter into contracts with subcontractors in order to complete this project, the identification and location of the possible subcontractors with a comprehensive description of their offering shall be submitted with the proposal. GPA reserves the right to disapprove any subcontractor, or a subcontractor's offering proposed by the OFFEROR. This right applies to the original submittal as well as submittals subsequent to the original proposal.

## 1.14 SUBMITTAL FORMAT

All responses to this subject RFP shall be written in the ENGLISH language.

The submittal information shall be in 8-1/2 inch by 11-inch report binders with the covers identifying the respective OFFEROR. Large sheets or drawings shall be bound in the binder so that they can be unfolded for easy review.

## 1.15 SIGNATURE

The proposals shall be signed by an official authorized to contractually bind the OFFEROR. The proposal shall also provide the following information:

<u>Signature on Proposal:</u> OFFEROR must sign his proposal correctly. If the proposal is made by an individual, his name and post office address must be shown. If made by a firm or partnership, the name and post office address of each member of the firm or partnership must be shown. If made by a corporation, the person signing the proposal shall show the name of the State or Territory under the laws of which the corporation was chartered, also the names and business address of its president, secretary and treasurer.

## 1.16 WITHDRAWAL OF PROPOSAL

Negligence on the part of the OFFEROR in preparing the proposal confers no right for the withdrawal of the proposal after it has been opened.

## 1.17 INQUIRIES

Prospective OFFERORS should address inquiries, questions or clarifications in writing to:

John M. Benavente, P.E. General Manager Procurement Management Materials Supply Gloria B. Nelson Public Service Building 688 Route 15, Mangilao, Guam 96913

Attn: Jamie Lynn C. Pangelinan Supply Management Administrator Telephone No: (671) 648-3054/3055

Facsimile: (671) 648-3165

Note: Cut-Off Date for Receipt of Questions shall be: <u>April 17, 2018 at 4:00 P.M. (ChsT)</u> Inquiries received after the deadline shall not be entertained.

## SECTION 2.0: GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

## 2.1 AUTHORITY

This Request for Proposals (RFP) solicitation is issued subject to all of the provisions of the Guam Procurement Act (Public Law 16-124) and the Guam Procurement Regulations (copies are available for inspection at the Guam Power Authority). The RFP requires all parties involved in the preparation, negotiation, performance, or administration of contracts to act in good faith.

## 2.2 GENERAL INTENTION

Unless otherwise specified, it is the declared and acknowledged intention and meaning of these General Terms and Conditions for the OFFEROR to provide the Guam Power Authority with specified services.

## 2.3 STANDARDS FOR DETERMINATION OF MOST QUALIFIED OFFEROR

In determining the most qualified OFFEROR, GPA shall be guided by the following:

- a. The ability, capacity and skill of the OFFEROR to perform the work specified.
- b. Whether the OFFEROR can perform promptly and within the specified time.
- c. The quality of performance of the OFFEROR with regard to awards previously made to him.
- d. The previous and existing compliance by the OFFEROR with laws and regulations relative to procurement.

## 2.4 AWARD OR REJECTION OF PROPOSALS

The right is reserved as the interest of the Guam Power Authority may require waiving any minor informalities or irregularities in proposals received. The Guam Power Authority reserves the right and shall have the prerogative to award, amend, or reject proposals in whole or in part. It is the policy of the Guam Power Authority to award proposals to OFFERORS duly authorized and licensed to conduct business in Guam.

Proposals will be opened privately, and GPA reserves the right to keep any or all proposals confidential.

a. <u>Cancellation of Solicitation. Delays:</u> GPA reserves the right to cancel or to withdraw this RFP, to delay determination on this RFP, or to reject all submittals or any individual submittal in whole or in part at any time prior to the final award. The reasons for the cancellation, delay or rejection shall be made a part of the project file and shall be available for public inspection.

After opening, but prior to award, all proposals may be rejected in whole or in part when the Procurement Authority of GPA determines in writing that such action is in GPA's best interest for reasons including but not limited to:

- 1) The services being procured are no longer required;
- 2) Ambiguous or otherwise inadequate Specifications were part of the solicitation;
- 3) The solicitation did not provide consideration of all factors of significance to GPA;

- 4) Price(s) exceed available funds and it would not be appropriate to adjust quantities to come within available funds;
- 5) Inability of the selected OFFEROR and GPA to successfully negotiate contract terms for the scope of services requested.

When a solicitation is cancelled or rejected prior to final award, notice of cancellation or rejection shall be sent to all OFFERORS. The reasons for cancellation or rejection shall be made a part of the project file and shall be available for public inspection.

- b. <u>Rejection of Individual proposal or submittal:</u> Any individual proposal or submittal may be rejected in whole or in part when in the best interest of the Authority. Reasons for rejecting a proposal or submittal include but are not limited to:
  - 1) OFFEROR is not responsive;
  - 2) The proposal or submittal is non-responsive as it does not conform in all respects to the RFP:
  - The construction, supply or service offered in the proposal is unacceptable by reason of its failure to meet the requirements of the specifications or technical requirements set forth in the REP:
  - 4) The proposal or submittal does not meet the requirements or criteria set forth in the RFP. Upon request, unsuccessful OFFERORS shall be advised of the reasons for rejection.

Any or all proposals or submittals will be rejected if there is reason to believe that collusion exists among OFFERORS and no participants in such collusion will be considered in future projects for the same work.

## 2.5 EXECUTION OF THE ORDER

The OFFEROR to whom the Order is awarded (the "successful OFFEROR") shall execute and deliver to GPA the contract prior to performing any services on GPA premises. A written notice will be issued to the most qualified OFFEROR indicating commencement of the project.

Award of Contract: The Contract, if awarded, will be to the most responsive OFFEROR whose qualifications indicate that award thereto will be in the best interest of OWNER, and whose proposal shall comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents. In no case will the award be made until all necessary investigations have been made into the responsibility of the OFFEROR, and the OWNER is satisfied that the OFFEROR is qualified to do the work and has the necessary equipment to carry out the provisions of the Contract to the satisfaction of OWNER within the time specified. OWNER may award separate contracts for each project scope or for any combination of projects.

<u>Execution of Contract:</u> The individual, firm or corporation to which this Contract has been awarded shall sign the necessary agreement entering into Contract with OWNER, and return it to OWNER within ten (10) days after date of award.

<u>Failure to Execute Contract:</u> Failure on the part of OFFEROR to execute the Contract as required will be just cause for the annulment of the award. The award may then be made to the next most qualified OFFEROR or the work re-advertised, as OWNER may elect.

## 2.6 MODIFICATION / ALTERATION

After the receipt and opening of proposals, and at its option, Guam Power Authority may conduct discussions with the most reasonable OFFEROR who has submitted a proposal for the purpose of clarification to assure full understanding and responsiveness to the Proposal requirements. OFFERORS shall be accorded fair and equal treatment with respect to any opportunity for discussion and revision to proposals and such revisions shall be permitted after submission and prior to award for the purpose of obtaining best and final offers. In conducting discussions, there shall be no disclosure of any information derived from proposals submitted by competing OFFERORS.

## 2.7 CONTACT FOR CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION

prompt administration, showing:		,
NAME:	TITLE:	
ADDRESS:	PHONE:	
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If your firm receives a contract as a result of this Proposal, designate a person, whom GPA may contact for

## 2.8 DETERMINATION OF RESPONSIBILITY OF OFFEROR

The Guam Power Authority reserves the right to secure from OFFERORS information necessary to determine whether or not they are responsible and to determine their responsibility in accordance with Section 2.3 of the General Terms and Conditions.

## 2.9 LIMITATIONS

This RFP does not commit GPA to award a contract, to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of a proposal by the OFFEROR under this request, or to procure a contract for services. GPA reserves the right to reject any and all proposals received under this request, to negotiate with all qualified sources, or to cancel the whole or any part of this RFP at any time.

## 2.10 ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL CONTENTS

The contents of the Proposal of the successful firm will become contractual obligations if a contract ensues. Failure of the successful firm to accept these obligations will result in a disqualification of the Proposal.

## 2.11 CONTROL

The successful OFFEROR will carry out this assignment under the direction and control of the General Manager of the Guam Power Authority or his/her designee(s).

## 2.12 CONTRACT TERM

Contract term shall be for three (3) year period (36 months) from the date of award of the contract with an option to extend the contract for two additional one-year periods, subject to the availability of funds, and may, by mutual written agreement, be renewed at the same terms and conditions for additional periods subject to availability of funding.

## 2.13 JUSTIFICATION OF DELAY

The OFFEROR who is awarded the proposal guarantees that the services will be completed within the agreed upon completion date. If, however, the OFFEROR cannot comply with the completion requirement, it is the OFFEROR's responsibility to advise the Guam Power Authority in writing explaining the cause and reasons for the delay. Section 6-101.09.1 of the Guam Procurement Regulations, "Liquidated Damages", will be in effect if the OFFEROR fails to meet the completion requirement.

## 2.14 INVOICING AND PAYMENT TERMS & CONDITIONS

All invoices shall include supporting documents (i.e. timesheets, shipping invoices, consumable listings, etc). All supporting documents must be reviewed and approved by the GPA Project Manager prior to invoice submittal. All invoices will be paid net 30 days from the date the invoice is received at the GPA Accounting Department. Payment shall be made using a method mutually agreed upon by GPA and the successful OFFEROR.

## 2.15 TAXES

OFFEROR shall be liable for Guam Gross Receipt Taxes and all other applicable taxes and duties. The Guam Power Authority shall have no tax liability under this order. Specific information on taxes may be obtained from the Director of Revenue and Taxation.

GPA is a government agency exempted from all government taxes as stipulated in the Guam Code Annotated.

## 2.16 LICENSING

OFFERORS are reminded that GPA will not consider for award any offer submitted by an OFFEROR who has not complied with the Guam Licensing Law. Specific information on licenses may be obtained from the Director of Revenue and Taxation.

## 2.17 COVENANT AGAINST CONTINGENT FEES

The OFFEROR warrants that he has not employed any person to solicit or secure any resultant contract upon agreement for a commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee. Breach of this warranty shall give the Guam Power Authority the right to terminate the contractor, or in its discretion to deduct from the contract price or consideration the amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fees. This warranty shall not apply to commissions payable by contractors upon contracts or sales secured or made through, bona fide established commercial or selling agencies maintained by the contractor for the purpose of securing business.

## 2.18 EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Section 3.01 of the Executive Order 10935 dated March 07, 1965 requires the OFFEROR not to discriminate against an employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color or national origin. The OFFEROR will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed and that employees are treated equally during employment without regard to race, creed, color or national origin.

## 2.19 AMERICAN DISABILITIES ACT

If requested, the OFFEROR must meet all ADA regulations and requirements.

## 2.20 REQUIRED FORMS

All OFFERORS are required to submit current affidavits as required in the following page. Failure to do so will mean disqualification and rejection of the proposal.

- a. Major Shareholders Disclosure Affidavit
- b. Non-Collusion Affidavit
- c. No Gratuities or Kickbacks Affidavit
- d. Ethical Standards Affidavit
- e. Declaration Re-Compliance with U.S. DOL Wage Determination
- f. Restriction Against Sex Offenders Employed by Service Providers to Government of Guam from Working on Government of Guam Property

## 2.21 PROHIBITION AGAINST GRATUITIES, KICKBACKS, AND FAVORS

Pursuant to GCA 5 section 5630 (c), this clause is conspicuously set forth to alert all parties in this procurement that Guam Public Law Title 5 §5630. Gratuities and Kickbacks, prohibits against gratuities, kickbacks, and favors to the Territory.

## 2.22 RESTRICTION AGAINST CONVICTED SEX OFFENDERS

GCA 5 §5253 (b) restricts the OFFEROR against employing convicted sex offenders from working at Government of Guam venues. It states:

(b) All contracts for services to agencies listed herein shall include the following provisions: (1) warranties that no person providing services on behalf of the contractor has been convicted of a sex offense under the provisions of Chapter 25 of Title 9 GCA or an offense as defined in Article 2 of Chapter 28, Title 9 GCA, or an offense in another jurisdiction with, at a minimum, the same elements as such offenses, or who is listed on the Sex Offender Registry; and (2) that if any person providing services on behalf of the contractor is convicted of a sex offense under the provisions of Chapter 25 of Title 9 GCA or an offense as defined in Article 2 of Chapter 28, Title 9 GCA, or an offense in another jurisdiction with, at a minimum, the same elements as such offenses, or who is listed on the Sex Offender Registry, that such person will be immediately removed from working at said agency and that the administrator of said agency be informed of such within twenty-four (24) hours of conviction.



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# SPECIAL PROVISON FOR MAJOR SHAREHOLDERS DISCLOSURE AFFIDAVIT

All Bidders/Offerors are required to submit a current affidavit as required below. Failure to do so will mean disqualification and rejection of the bid/rfp.

## 5 GCA §5233 (Title 5, Section 5233) states:

"Section 5233 Disclosure of Major Shareholders. As a condition of submitting a bid or offer, any partnership, sole proprietorship or corporation doing business with the government of Guam shall submit an affidavit executed under oath that lists the name and address of any person who has held more than ten percent (10%) of the outstanding interest or shares in said partnership, sole proprietorship or corporation at any time during the twelve (12) month period immediately preceding submission of a bid, or, that it is a not for profit organization that qualifies for tax exemption under the Internal Revenue Code of the United States or the Business Privilege Tax law of Guam, Title 12, Guam Code Annotated, Section 26203©. With the exception of not for profit organizations, the affidavit shall contain the number of shares or the percentage of all assets of such partnership, sole proprietorship or corporation which have held by each such person during the twelve (12) month period. In addition, the affidavit shall contain the name and address of any person who has received or is entitled to receive a commission, gratuity or other compensation for procuring or assisting in obtaining business related to the bid or offer and shall also contain the amounts of any such commission, gratuity or other compensation. The affidavit shall be open and available to the public for inspection and copying."

- 1. If the affidavit is a copy, indicate the BID/RFP number and where it is filed.
- 2. Affidavits must be signed within 60 days of the date the bids or proposals are due.

## MAJOR SHAREHOLDERS OF DISCLOSURE AFFIDAVIT

TERRI	TORY OF GUA	M)			
HAGAT	ΓNA, GUAM	)			
	sign,st duly sworn, de	(partner or officer	of the compar	ny of, etc.)	
1.	That the person		nore than ten   as follows:	percent (10%) of the company's s	shares during
	<u>Name</u>		Address		Percentage of Shares Held
				per of shares	
2.				ommission, gratuity or other compount which this Affidavit is submitted an	pensation for procuring or assisting re as follows:  Amount of Commission Gratuity or other Compensation
	Further, affiant	sayeth naught.			
	Date:		Pi Pi	ignature of individual if bidder/offeroprietorship; Partner, if the biddeartnership Officer, if the bidder/offorporation.	er/offeror is a
	Subscribe and	sworn to before n	ne this	day of	
	20	<u>_</u> -		Notary Public	
				In and for the Territory of My Commission expires	
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## **NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT**

Guam	)	
Hagatna	)ss: )	
	I, first b	eing duly sworn, depose and say:
1.	That I am the of _	(Name of Ridding/REP Company)
2.	That in making the foregoing proposal or collusive or shame, that said bidder/offe agreed, directly or indirectly, with any bibidding or submitting a proposal and hat by agreement or collusion, or communic of affiant or any other bidder, or to secure	r bid, that such proposal or bid is Genuine and not ror has not colluded, Conspired, connived or dder or person, to put in a sham or to refrain from s not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought ation or conference, with any person, to fix the bid re any overhead, project or cost element of said bid re any advantage against the GUAM POWER
3. 4.	That all statements in said proposal or b	
		(Declarant)
SUBSCRIBED	AND SWORN to me before this	day of, 2018
)Seal(		
		 Notary Public

## NO GRATUITIES OR KICKBACKS AFFIDAVIT

AFFIDAVIT (Offeror)		
TERRITORY OF GUAM )	,	
HAGATNA, GUAM	)	SS:
	, being first dul	y sworn, deposes and says:
,		that neither I nor of the Offeror's officers, representatives,
		fered, given or agreed to give any government of Guam
employee or former employee, ar Offeror's proposal.	ıy payment, gift, kic	kback, gratuity or offer of employment in connection with
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	Signature of Indi	vidual if Proposer is a Sole Proprietorship;
		oposer is a Partnership;
	Officer, if the Pro	oposer is a Corporation
Subcribed and Sworn to be	efore me thisd	ay of, 2018.
		Notary Public
		In and for the Territory of Guam
		My Commission Expires:

## ETHICAL STANDARDS AFFIDAVIT

AFFIDAVIT (Proposer)	
TERRITORY OF GUAM	)
HAGATNA, GUAM	) SS: )
	, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
	etor, a Partner or Officer of the Offeror)
•	regoing Proposal, that neither he or nor of the Offeror's officers, representatives, agents,
subcontractors, or employ	ees of the Offeror have knowingly influenced any government of Guam employee to breach
any of the ethical standard	Is set forth in 5 GCA Chapter 5 Article 11, and promises that neither he nor any officer,
representative, agent, sub	contractor, or employee of Offeror will knowingly influence any government of Guam
	thical standard set for in 5 GCA Chapter 5 Article 11.
	Signature of Individual if Proposer is a Sole Proprietorship;
	Partner, if the Proposer is a Partnership;
	Officer, if the Proposer is a Corporation
SUBCRIBED AND SWOR	N to before me thisday of, 2018.
	Notary Public
	In and for the Territory of Guam
	My Commission Expires:

## DECLARATION RE-COMPLIANCE WITH U.S. DOL WAGE DETERMINATION

Proci	urement No.:	
Name	e of Offeror Company:	
	hereby certifies under penalty of perjury:	
or pro	That I am (the offeror, a partner of the offeror, an officer of the offeror) making the bid oposal in the foregoing identified procurement; That I have read and understand the provisions of 5 GCA § 5801 and § 5802 which read:	
	§ 5801. Wage Determination Established.	
	In such cases where the government of Guam enters into contractual arrangements with a sole proprietorship a partnership or a corporation ('contractor') for the provision of a service to the government of Guam, and in such cases where the contractor employs a person(s) whose purpose, in whole or in part, is the direct delivery of service contracted by the government of Guam, then the contractor shall pay such employee(s) in accordance with the Wage Determination for Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands issued and promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor for such labor as is employed in the direct delivery of contract deliverables to the government of Guam.	
	The Wage Determination most recently issued by the U.S. Department of Labor at the time a contract is awarded to a contractor by the government of Guam shall be used to determine wages, which shall be paid to employees pursuant to this Article. Should any contract contain a renewal clause, then at the time of renewal adjustments, there shall be made stipulations contained in that contract for applying the Wage Determination, as required by this Article, so that the Wage Determination promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor on a date mos recent to the renewal date shall apply.	t
	§ 5802. Benefits.	
	In addition to the Wage Determination detailed in this Article, any contract to which this Article applies shall also contain provisions mandating health and similar benefits for employees covered by this Article, such benefits having a minimum value as detailed in the Wage Determination issued and promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor, and shall contain provisions guaranteeing a minimum of ten (10) paid holidays per annum per employee.	3
	That the offeror is in full compliance with 5 GCA § 5801 and § 5802, as may be applicable to the procurement referenced herein;	
	Signature of Individual if Proposer is a Sole Proprietorship;  Partner, if the Proposer is a Partnership;	
	Officer, if the Proposer is a Corporation	
SUB	CRIBED AND SWORN to before me thisday of, 2018.	
	Notary Public In and for the Territory of Guam My Commission Expires:	

## **SPECIAL PROVISIONS**

## Restriction Against Sex Offenders Employed by Service Providers to Government of Guam from Working on Government of Guam Property

GCA 5 §5253 Restriction Against Contractors Employing Convicted Sex Offenders from Working at Government of Guam Venues:

- (a) No person convicted of a sex offense under the provisions of Chapter 25 of Title 9 Guam Code Annotated, or an offense as defined in Article 2 of Chapter 28, Title 9 GCA in Guam, or an offense in any jurisdiction which includes, at a minimum, all of the elements of said offenses, or who is listed on the Sex Offender Registry, and who is employed by a business contracted to perform services for an agency or instrumentality of the government of Guam, shall work for his employer on the property of the Government of Guam other than public highway.
- (b) All contracts for services to agencies listed herein shall include the following provisions: (1) warranties that no person providing services on behalf of the contractor has been convicted of a sex offense under the provisions of Chapter 25 of Title 9 GCA or an offense as defined in Article 2 of Chapter 28, Title 9 GCA, or an offense in another jurisdiction with, at a minimum, the same elements as such offenses, or who is listed on the Sex Offender Registry; and (2) that if any person providing services on behalf of the contractor is convicted of a sex offense under the provisions of Chapter 25 of Title 9 GCA or an offense as defined in Article 2 of Chapter 28, Title 9 GCA or an offense in another jurisdiction with, at a minimum, the same elements as such offenses, or who is listed on the Sex Offender Registry, that such person will be immediately removed from working at said agency and that the administrator of said agency be informed of such within twenty-four (24) hours of such conviction.
- (c) Duties of the General Services Agency or Procurement Administrators. All contracts, bids, or Requests for Proposals shall state all the conditions in § 5253(b).
- (d) Any contractor found in violation of § 5253(b), after notice from the contracting authority of such violation, shall, within twenty-four (24) hours, take corrective action and shall report such action to the contracting authority. Failure to take corrective action within the stipulated period may result in the temporary suspension of the contract at the discretion of the contracting authority.

SOURCE: Added by P.L. 28-024:2 ((Apr. 21, 2005). Amended by P.L. 28-098:2 (Feb. 7, 2006).

		an individual; partnership;	Date
SUBCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this	_day of	, 20	·
Notary Public			

## SECTION 3.0: FORM OF CONTRACT

## CONTRACT FOR TECHNICAL AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

THIS CONTRACT is made and entered into on the day of, 2018, by CONSULTANT NAME, hereinafter called the CONSULTANT, and the Guam Power Authority, hereinafter called GPA.
GPA engages the CONSULTANT to perform professional services for a project known and described as "Robotic Process Automation", GPA-RFP-18-005, hereinafter called the "Project".
<u>RECITALS</u>
WHEREAS, the Guam Power Authority (GPA), is a public corporation of the Government of Guam authorized to conduct its own procurement; and
WHEREAS, the GPA strategic plan contains initiatives to create a culture based on customer services excellence at the Authority; and
WHEREAS, GPA seeks to enter into a contract for <b>Robotic Process Automation</b> with a Consultant wherein such services can be provided to the Authority for the benefit of its customers; and
WHEREAS, the services to be rendered are of a special and temporary nature and are determined to be in the best public interest to be performed under contract by technical personnel other than employees in the services of GPA; and
NOW, THEREFORE, the Guam Power Authority and the Consultant for the considerations set forth, agree as follows:
SECTION I - SERVICES OF THE CONSULTANT
The CONSULTANT shall perform the following professional services in accordance with the degree of care and skill that a registered professional in Guam would exercise under similar conditions:
<ul> <li>A. The CONSULTANT shall provide services as described in the detailed scope of work provided in the Scope of work in GPA-RFP-18-005.</li> <li>B. The CONSULTANT has assigned as the Project Manager for this Contract. Prior written approval is required in the event the CONSULTANT needs to change the Project Manager. The CONSULTANT shall submit the qualifications of the proposed substituted personnel to GPA for approval.</li> <li>C. The CONSULTANT shall submit all final documents in both hard copy and electronic format. All documents shall be Microsoft Office compatible or in an alternate format approved by GPA. The software version used shall be compatible to current GPA standards.</li> </ul>
SECTION II - PERIOD OF SERVICE
GPA and the CONSULTANT agree this CONTRACT will be effective commencing, 2018 for a three year period (36 months) from the date of award of the contract with an option to extend the contract for two additional one-year periods, subject to the availability of funds, and may, by mutual written agreement, be renewed at the same terms and conditions for additional periods subject to availability of funding.
SECTION III - CONSULTANT'S COMPENSATION
A. The total compensation to Consultant for services in this CONTRACT is the lump sum of:

B. GPA shall pay the CONSULTANT using a method mutually agreed upon by GPA and the successful Offeror.

## **SECTION IV - CONSULTANT'S STATUS**

Consultant agrees that there shall be no employee benefits occurring from this Agreement, such as:

- A. Insurance coverage provided by GPA;
- B. Participation in the Government of Guam retirement system;
- C. Accumulation of vacation or sick leave;
- D. There shall be no withholding of taxes by GPA;
- E. That it is expressly understood and agreed that, in the performance of services under this Agreement, CONSULTANT and its employees shall at all times act as independent contractors with respect to GPA, and not as an employee or agent of GPA. Further, it is expressly understood and agreed by the parties that nothing contained in this Agreement shall be construed to create a joint venture, partnership, association, or other affiliation or like relationship is and shall remain that of independent parties to a contractual relationship set forth in this Agreement.

## SECTION V - GUAM POWER AUTHORITY'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. GPA shall designate a Project Manager during the term of this CONTRACT. The Project Manager has the authority to administer this CONTRACT and shall monitor compliance with all terms and conditions stated herein. All requests for information from or a decision by GPA on any aspect of the work shall be directed to the Project Manager.
- B. GPA shall review submittals by the CONSULTANT and provide prompt responses to questions and rendering of decisions pertaining thereto, to minimize delays in the progress of the CONSULTANT'S work. GPA will keep the CONSULTANT advised concerning the progress of GPA's review of the work. The CONSULTANT agrees that GPA's inspection, review, acceptance or approval of CONSULTANT'S work shall not relieve CONSULTANT'S responsibility for errors or omissions of the CONSULTANT or its sub-consultant(s).

## SECTION VI - INVOICING AND PAYMENT TERMS & CONDITIONS

All Invoices shall include supporting documents (i.e. timesheets, shipping invoices, consumable listings). All supporting documents must be reviewed and approved by GPA Project Manager prior to invoice submittal for charges. All invoices will be paid NET 30 Days from date invoice is received at the GPA Accounting Department. Payment shall be made using a method mutually agreed upon by the Guam Power Authority and the CONSULTANT.

## **SECTION VII - TERMINATION**

GPA, at its sole discretion, may terminate this CONTRACT for convenience or abandon any portion of the Project for which services have not been performed by the CONSULTANT, upon thirty (30) days written notice delivered to CONSULTANT personally, via email, or by certified mail at the address provided.

Immediately after receiving such notice, the CONSULTANT shall discontinue advancing the services under this CONTRACT and proceed to close said operations under this CONTRACT. The CONSULTANT shall appraise the services it has completed and submit an appraisal to GPA for evaluation. GPA shall have the right to inspect the CONSULTANT'S work to appraise the services completed.

In the event of such termination or abandonment, the CONSULTANT shall be paid for services performed prior to receipt of said notice of termination including reimbursable expenses then incurred.

GPA shall make final payment within thirty (30) days after the CONSULTANT has delivered the last of the partially completed items and the final fee has been agreed upon.

In the event this CONTRACT is terminated, GPA shall have the option of completing the work, or entering into a CONTRACT with another party for the completion of the work according to the provisions and agreements herein.

## **SECTION VIII - CHANGES**

GPA may at any time, by written order, make any changes or deletions in the services to be performed hereunder. If such changes or deletions cause an increase or decrease in the cost of doing work under this Agreement, or in the time required for this performance, an equitable adjustment shall be made as agreed to by the parties and the Agreement shall be modified in writing accordingly.

## **SECTION IX - ASSIGNMENT OF AGREEMENT**

Consultant may not assign this Agreement, or any sum becoming due to under the provisions of this Agreement, without the prior written consent of GPA.

## **SECTION X - FORCE MAJEURE**

Neither party shall be liable for any delay in meeting or failure to meet its obligations under this Agreement due to a force majeure.

## **SECTION XI -TAXES**

OFFEROR shall be liable for Guam Gross Receipt Taxes and all other applicable taxes and duties. Guam Power Authority shall have no tax liability under this contract. Specific information on taxes may be obtained from the Director of the Guam Department of Revenue and Taxation.

GPA is a government agency exempted from ALL government taxes as stipulated in the Guam Code Annotated.

## SECTION XII – NOTICES

Any notice, demand or other document required or permitted to be delivered hereunder shall be in writing and may be delivered personally (not to include facsimile transmission) or shall be deemed to be delivered when received postage prepaid, registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the parties at their respective address as specified herein:

TO: Name and Address

COPY: If applicable, Name and address

FAX: Fax number

TO: Guam Power Authority

P.O. Box 2977

Hagatna, Guam 96932-2977

ATTN: General Manager FAX: (671) 646-3165

## SECTION XIII – GOVERNING LAW

The validity of this Agreement and any of its terms or provisions, as well as the rights and duties of the parties to this Agreement, shall be governed by the laws of Guam.

## <u>SECTION XIV - SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACT PROVISIONS</u>

The supplemental contract provisions to this CONTRACT are attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth.

## **SECTION XV - INDEMNIFICATION**

The CONSULTANT shall indemnify and hold GPA harmless from any claim, liability or product liability, loss, damage, demand, cause of action or suit, expense or reasonable fee of legal counsel arising out of or in connection with the goods or services the CONSULTANT provides.

## **SECTION XVI - DISPUTES**

All controversies between GPA and the CONSULTANT which arise under, or are by virtue of this CONTRACT and which are not resolved by mutual agreement shall be resolved under Guam Procurement Law and the Government Claims Act, and pursuant to the laws of Guam.

## **SECTION XVII - RELEASE OF INFORMATION**

The CONSULTANT shall not release any information, including the contract price; concerning this project or any part thereof in any form, including advertising, news releases, or professional articles, without written permission from GPA.

## **SECTION XVIII - INSURANCE**

	CONTRACT until he has obtained reasonable insurance for s Liability up to the statutory limits. The CONSULTANT shall ork.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have execute The CONSULTANT warrants that the person who is signauthorized to do so and to execute all other documents no	gning this CONTRACT on behalf of the CONSULTANT is
OFFEROR TITLE COMPANY NAME FEDERAL I.D. NO. /SOCIAL SECURITY NO.	DATE
JOHN M. BENAVENTE, P.E. GENERAL MANAGER GUAM POWER AUTHORITY	DATE
D. GRAHAM BOTHA, ESQ. STAFF ATTORNEY GUAM POWER AUTHORITY	DATE

## 4 SOLICITATION AND TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

## Guam Power Authority Robotic Process Automation

## General:

The Guam Power Authority was created in 1968 as a public corporation and autonomous instrumentality of the Government of Guam. Since that time the Authority has maintained and expanded the island wide power system on Guam. The Authority has 420 megawatts of generation capacity, 663 miles of transmission and distribution lines, 29 substations, \$909 million in assets, and \$333 million in annual revenues. GPA currently serves approximately 51,000 customers with the U.S. Navy being the largest representing about 17% of revenues.

The Guam Power Authority was changed into a public corporation of the Government of Guam in 2002 and is governed by a five member elected Commission – the Consolidated Commission on Utilities (CCU). The CCU retains contracting authority, establishes policies and has control over the selection of top management of the Authority.

The Authority is regulated by the Guam Public Utilities Commission – a rate setting body made up of Commissioners appointed by the Governor of Guam. The PUC has established rules of operation that are similar to those of other jurisdictions within the United States. The PUC has broad regulatory authority over GPA including approval of any contracts that might have an impact on GPA's rates.

## Purpose:

The Guam Power Authority (GPA) is soliciting proposals from interested and qualified individuals or firms to implement Robotic Process Automation (RPA) solution to support automation of tasks and processes.

## Scope of Work

The Robotic Process Automation solution support automation task and process with the following capabilities:

- A. A RPA platform with an easy-to-use process definition function to record/configure the process automation in a non-invasive manner (mimicking end users)
- B. Support multiple automation run options (unattended, attended, scheduled, etc.) ensuring security and audit compliance
- C. Maintenance of RPA configuration (includes RPA process, user administration) and scheduler of the bots
- D. Operationalization of the Bot and automated processes including monitoring and load balancing
- E. Reporting and analytics
- F. Training and skill transfer to GPA staff on bot development, maintenance and operations
- G. All other works deem necessary by GPA

GPA has identified three (3) use cases that have been identified as part of the initial implementation. The proposed solution must be scalable and flexible to automate other processes.

When it is implemented, it should meet the following objectives:

- A. Eliminate or reduce the time and effort needed by GPA staff for repetitive tasks required for various business processes across the agency thus enabling GPA staffs to focus more on value add and strategic work.
- B. Increase productivity and improve turnaround time.
- C. Reduce errors in tasks

## System Requirement/Compatibility

The Robotic Process Automation solution should be compatible with the following:

- A. GPA's current applications which will be part of the support automation task and process with the following capabilities.
- B. The tool should be secure and with the capability to encrypt data.
- C. Provide tools and utilities for the RPA and implement the same in production, development and test environments.
- D. There should be identifiable components for building and accustoming, testing, releasing and controlling processes. There should be the ability to schedule/re-schedule processes and runtime resources.
- E. Reporting and analytics to be provided in respect of the processes automated, which will require data extraction from multiple systems.
- F. The solution should adhere to the security policies set up by GPA.
- G. The PROPONENT should ensure availability of standard reports as well as new reports, such that any precise activity at a moment can be easily audited.

## Software

The PROPONANT will acquire the software(s) with the following specifications:

- A. Software will be operational for a period of one (1) year from date of project start.
- B. Licensing should be transferable to GPA after the completion of the project.
- C. Listed holder and contract person for the software will be a GPA authorized representative.
- D. Software should be compatible with current GPA Servers and Workstations that will be utilized on the project.

## Deliverables

- A. Documentation on software and related programming.
- B. Documented process workflows before/after Automation.
- C. Any license keys/software that is required or part of the project.

## Information Security

The PROPONENT will abide by GPA's Information Security Policy and maintain all Data received as Confidential.

## SECTION 5.0: EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

## 5.1 EVALUATION COMMITTEE

GPA will convene an evaluation committee comprised of 3 to 5 members to evaluate the proposals based on the established criteria. The evaluation committee will develop a list of qualified firms, rank the firms, and select the most qualified to negotiate the scope of required services and related fees. Successful negotiations will result in a task based contract.

## 5.2 CONTENTS OF THE PROPOSAL

At a minimum, the proposal shall contain:

- A. The name of the Offeror, the location of the Offeror's principal place of business, and, if different, the place of performance of the proposed contract; and
- B. Submit a resume in response to the RFP demonstrating the abilities, qualifications, academic and professional experience and credentials of the key personnel that would be assigned to perform the services.
- C. A list of other projects for which services similar in scope, size and discipline for the required services, which the individual substantially performed or accomplished in the past two years. The projects described should only contain services as indicated on the Scope of Work.
- D. Evidence that the Offeror is licensed to do business on Guam

## 5.3 EVALUATION CRITERIA

A committee will convene after the deadline for receipt of submittals to evaluate the respondents' qualifications based on but not limited to the following criteria:

<u>Criteria</u>	<u>Weight</u>
Approach to the scope of the work	30%
Qualification of the vendor	
Strength and stability of the vendor	20%
2) Strength, stability, experience and technical competence of the sub-	
consultants	
3) Project organization and planning	
4) Adequacy of labor staff commitment	
Qualification and experience of project team	
<ul> <li>Qualifications, education and experience of key personnel</li> </ul>	20%
• Identified key personnel & level of involvement in performing related	
work	
Product maturity, years in market and market share (number of clients using the product)	20%

Related experience	10%
Experience in providing services similar to those requested in RFP	
Experience with working with public agencies	
Assessment of client references	

A team composing of three (3) to five (5) members will be chosen by the Authority to evaluate the proposals based on the above criteria. Each team member will rank each OFFEROR based on points received from the total weighted criteria. A final ranking will be determined by consolidating the team members' ranking.