

CUC-RFQ-STS-PWR-SPN-26-103

Emergency Procurement for the Provision of Services for Super Typhoon Sinlaku Restoration to CUC's Electrical Transmission and Distribution Systems

QUESTIONS & RFI

PROSPECTIVE BIDDER: IB ABEL

DATE: June 5, 2026

What is truck crewing? 3 man crew? 4?

CUC RESPONSE: The contractor will be determining the staffing of its crews.

Is CUC taking care of lodging and food?

CUC RESPONSE: Contractor will be providing these requirements and will propose a price under Item 1F.

It says 8 buckets, 2 pressure diggers and 2 digger Derrik- the number don't add up to number of men.

CUC RESPONSE: Minimum of 4 line crew per bucket truck, 2 operators and 2 assistant for auger trucks

Are there going to be multiple RFP's for this event? Should we expect longer than two months And the PO's will be rewarded every two months until completion ?

CUC RESPONSE: CUC would issue another RFQ/P if the requirements for emergency requirements are still needed.

Are the units needed for pricing for material?

CUC RESPONSE: For comparison of pricing, unit pricing is needed.

Can we do 100 total right away or minimum 50 guys? not 30-40?

CUC RESPONSE: This scope of the project does not require more lineworkers than is indicated in the solicitation.

If we don't fill out the units or material are we disqualified?

CUC RESPONSE: Each offer would be evaluated for the availability of materials per line item. If you do not have pricing or materials for line item 2, for example, then put "not bid".

Timing lead for mobilization?

CUC RESPONSE: Mobilization will begin immediately upon issuance of the Notice to Proceed (NTP). The final contract requires five CUC signatures, and the contractor will countersign last. Under an expedited process, this could be completed within two days, depending on factors such as the clarity of the offers submitted, which may speed up contract processing and award

Is the unit price just to purchase the materials ?

CUC RESPONSE: The unit price is for all items.

The RFQ does not have a clear unit of measurement for the labor and equipment resources. What unit of measurement, hourly, daily, etc. should we use to fill out the pricing form?

CUC RESPONSE:

- **Mobilization/demobilization should be for the full performance period and in one lump sum.**
- **Contractors may propose hourly, daily, weekly, or monthly rates, provided the pricing structure is clearly stated in the offer. For example: 8 bucket trucks at \$10,000 biweekly, or 2 auger trucks at \$1,000 per day.**
- **30-40 indicates the range of linemen a contractor may propose: a minimum of 30 and a maximum of 40 for the performance period. For example, 30 linemen for 30 days at \$200 per day, or 40 linemen for 30 days at \$180 per**

day. The number of linemen proposed should align with the associated travel, transportation, and lodging costs.

The RFQ refers to 113 material line items. Is the Expectation that the restoration contractor is to provide materials or can this be excluded from our Scope?

CUC RESPONSE: Each offer would be evaluated for the availability of materials per line item. If you do not have pricing or materials for line item 2, for example, then put "not bid" and the same for all the other line items to be clear of the intent of the offer and quote.

The RFQ states on page 39, firm fixed price. Is this contract for a firm fixed lump sum price or an hourly labor and equipment rate? If it's for a firm fixed price, what duration should be anticipated?

CUC RESPONSE:

On page 3 of this solicitation, it states:

Adjustment of Items Should extra work be required, certain work be omitted, or should the quantities of certain items of work be increased or decreased by written order or approval by the Contracting Officer, adjustment in contract price will be made in accordance with the provisions of the Contract and based on the unit pricing set in the offer.

The indication of firm fixed price is aligned with what unit prices are provided for by the contractor on Appendix 2. If Contractor price is per hour, then it is fixed at that hourly rate for the duration of the contract. If a lineman is at the jobsite 4 hours, CUC will pay the fixed hourly rate in the quote x 4 hours for that lineman performance.