

**SOLICITATION/CONTRACT/ORDER FOR COMMERCIAL ITEMS  
OFFEROR TO COMPLETE BLOCKS 12, 17, 23, 24, & 30**

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2. CONTRACT NO. GS02F0010J	3. AWARD/EFFECTIVE DATE See Block 31c	4. ORDER NO. NRC-HQ-11-F-38-0001 NRC-HQ-12-F-38-0019	5. SOLICITATION NUMBER	6. SOLICITATION ISSUE DATE
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7. FOR SOLICITATION INFORMATION CALL:	a. NAME Erika Eam	b. TELEPHONE NO. (No Collect Calls) 301-492-3492	8. OFFER DUE DATE/LOCAL TIME
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9. ISSUED BY U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Div. of Contracts Attn: Erika Eam, 301-492-3492 Mail Stop: TWB-01-B10M Washington, DC 20555	CODE 3100	10. THIS ACQUISITION IS <input type="checkbox"/> SMALL BUSINESS <input type="checkbox"/> HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS <input type="checkbox"/> SERVICE-DISABLED VETERAN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS <input type="checkbox"/> UNRESTRICTED OR <input type="checkbox"/> SET ASIDE: _____ % FOR: <input type="checkbox"/> WOMEN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS (WOSB) ELIGIBLE UNDER THE WOMEN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAM NAICS: 611430 <input type="checkbox"/> EDWOSB <input type="checkbox"/> B(A) SIZE STANDARD: \$7 Million
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11. DELIVERY FOR FOB DESTINATION UNLESS BLOCK IS MARKED <input type="checkbox"/> SEE SCHEDULE	12. DISCOUNT TERMS	13a. THIS CONTRACT IS A RATED ORDER UNDER DPAS (15 CFR 700) <input type="checkbox"/>	13b. RATING N/A	14. METHOD OF SOLICITATION <input type="checkbox"/> RFQ <input type="checkbox"/> IFB <input type="checkbox"/> RFP
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15. DELIVER TO U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  Washington DC 20555	CODE	16. ADMINISTERED BY U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Div. of Contracts Mail Stop: TWB-01-B10M  Washington, DC 20555	CODE 3100
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17a. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR CODE MANAGEMENT CONCEPTS, INC.  8230 LEESBURG PIKE STE  TYSONS CORNER VA 221822639 TELEPHONE NO.	FACILITY CODE	18a. PAYMENT WILL BE MADE BY Department of Interior / NBC NBCPayments_NBCDenver@NBC.gov Attn: Fiscal Services Branch - D2770 7301 W. Mansfield Avenue Denver CO 80235-2230	CODE 3100
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<input type="checkbox"/> 17b. CHECK IF REMITTANCE IS DIFFERENT AND PUT SUCH ADDRESS IN OFFER	18b. SUBMIT INVOICES TO ADDRESS SHOWN IN BLOCK 18a UNLESS BLOCK BELOW IS CHECKED <input type="checkbox"/> SEE ADDENDUM
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19. ITEM NO.	20. See CONTINUATION Page SCHEDULE OF SUPPLIES/SERVICES	21. QUANTITY	22. UNIT	23. UNIT PRICE	24. AMOUNT
	<p>This Task Order is being issues pursuant to NRC-HQ-11-F-38-0001 to support the Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer (formerly known as the Office of Human Resources Training Development (HRTD). The Task Order is for the customization and presentation of courses under the topic area of "Communications". The courses are to be presented at the Professional Development Center (PDC) located in Bethesda, MD, as well as NRCs Regional locations.</p> <p>The period of performance for this Task Order is date of award (Block 31c) to March 31, 2013.</p> <p>Cost: Not-To-Exceed \$203,540.00</p> <p>(Use Reverse and/or Attach Additional Sheets as Necessary)</p>				

25. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA See CONTINUATION Page B&R#: 2012-84-51-H-192; Job Code: T8488; BOC: 252A; Appr. No.: 31X0200; DUNS#: 08235562; NAICS Code: 611430 Amount Obligated: \$203,540.00	26. TOTAL AWARD AMOUNT (For Govt. Use Only)  \$203,540.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> 27a. SOLICITATION INCORPORATES BY REFERENCE FAR 52.212-1, 52.212-4, FAR 52.212-3 AND 52.212-6 ARE ATTACHED. ADDENDA	<input type="checkbox"/> ARE <input type="checkbox"/> ARE NOT ATTACHED.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 27b. CONTRACT/PURCHASE ORDER INCORPORATES BY REFERENCE FAR 52.212-4, FAR 52.212-6 IS ATTACHED. ADDENDA	<input type="checkbox"/> ARE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARE NOT ATTACHED

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 28. CONTRACTOR IS REQUIRED TO SIGN THIS DOCUMENT AND RETURN 1 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	<input type="checkbox"/> 29. AWARD OF CONTRACT: REF. _____ OFFER DATED _____ YOUR OFFER ON SOLICITATION (BLOCK 5), INCLUDING ANY ADDITIONS OR CHANGES WHICH ARE SET FORTH HEREIN IS ACCEPTED AS TO ITEMS:
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30a. SIGNATURE OF OFFEROR/CONTRACTOR 	31a. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER) 
30b. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (TYPE OR PRINT) KATHARINE M. JOHNSON, EXEC. DIR	31b. NAME OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (TYPE OR PRINT) Erika Eam Contracting Officer
30c. DATE SIGNED 5.18.12	31c. DATE SIGNED 5/18/2012

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**A.1 PRICE/COST SCHEDULE**

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES/SVCS	QTY UNIT	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
1	Instructor			
2	Course Designer/Developer			
3	Project Manager			
4	Communicating with Emotional Intelligence			
5	Civility: Building a Respectful Workplace			
6	Difficult Conversations			
7	Travel			
			GRAND TOTAL ---	\$203,540.00
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ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA:

ACRN APPROPRIATION	REQUISITION NUMBER	AMOUNT
1 2012-84-51-H-192-JCN-T8488-BOC-252A-APPNUMBER-31X0200	HR-12-239 P	\$203,540.00

**A.2 DELIVERY SCHEDULE**

ITEM NUMBER	QUANTITY	DATE OF DELIVERY
1		August 2012
2		August 2012
3		August 2012
4		September 2012
5		October 2012
6		December 2012
7		March 2013

## A.3 STATEMENT OF WORK

### “CUSTOMIZED COMMUNICATION COURSES”

#### 1. OBJECTIVE AND PURPOSE

To mitigate the adverse impact of organizational change, decreasing resources and low morale, the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) organization is seeking to provide a series of classroom training courses to help employees gain key skills to help themselves and others. To that end, the NRC requires the delivery of three classroom training courses on the following topic areas: Communicating with Emotional Intelligence, Civility: Building a Respectful Workplace, and Difficult Conversations.

Each course must be delivered to each of the four NRC regional offices and at the Professional Development Center in Bethesda, MD for Headquarters employees. To expedite the delivery of this training, each course must be a customized version of an existing communication COTS course from the Management Concepts course catalog.

This task order will enable NRC to quickly and effectively teach employees the skills they need to understand themselves and others, identify strategies for managing composure and reducing conflict, and express and communicate these strategies in a manner that enhances harmony and productivity in the workplace.

#### 2. BACKGROUND AND SCOPE

The NRC is an independent Federal agency whose mission is to license and regulate the Nation's civilian use of byproduct, source, and special nuclear materials in order to protect public health and safety, promote the common defense and security, and protect the public and the environment from the effects of radiation. NRCs staff license and inspect nuclear reactors, materials, and waste facilities to ensure compliance with applicable codes and standards during all phases of construction, testing, and decommission operation.

NRC's Human Resources Training & Development (HRTD) is responsible for efficiently and effectively training NRC employees. HRTD interacts with all NRC offices and regions. HRTD is frequently requested to provide training support services including instructional design and courseware development services for NRC offices and regions.

#### 3. SCOPE OF WORK (TRAINING NEED)

How we communicate or interact with others—whether it is socially, personally, or in the workplace—is essential in determining how healthy our relationships will be. Communication is a huge part of workplace harmony because once a person learns how to recognize their own state and the states of others, they can then learn how to communicate (verbally and non-verbally) in a manner that successfully builds relationships, overcomes challenges, defuses conflict, reduces stress, and achieves identified goals.

The three courses—Communicating with Emotional Intelligence, Civility: Building a Respectful Workplace, and Difficult Conversations—shall be delivered as a set of 3 courses that link and build upon one another. The overall purpose of the courses, both individually and collectively, is to give NRC employees the tools they need to understand themselves and others, identify strategies for managing composure and reducing conflict, and express and communicate these strategies in a manner that enhances harmony and productivity in the workplace.

#### 4. DELIVERABLES

The contractor must deliver the following.

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1. Initial meeting(s) to discuss the project scope, the NRC's training needs, possible course content, identification of Management Concept off-the-shelf courses and content that can be could customized to meet the needs, tentative project timelines and other applicable discussion point as needed.
2. A proposal that includes course descriptions, course outline, and other applicable project logistics and pricing for the task based on this SOW, meeting described in deliverable #1 above, and the current course delivery between the NRC and Management Concepts. (Note: The Contracting Officer Representative (COR) must approve the proposed course description and outlines in the proposal before customization or redesign of the course can begin.)
3. Delivery of the following three courses. The exact content and customization needs of each course are to be determined after issuance of the task order.
  - Communicating with Emotional Intelligence (2 days)
  - Civility: Building a Respectful Workplace (2 days)
  - Difficult Conversations (2 days)
4. A draft set of course materials for NRC review prior to publication or course delivery to ensure the content, scenarios; exercises are appropriately customized to meet the NRC's identified training needs. (Note: The COR must approve all draft materials before delivery.)
5. One NRC feedback/review session once materials are in final draft form. All feedback from NRC will be consolidated into one documented and provided to our project manager. One round of revisions will be conducted before materials are prepared for production. (Note: Any revisions needed after the first offering of each course will be discussed and priced via a modification to the initial task order.)
6. Each course will feature a participant workbook featuring important content that supports the experiential, facilitated nature of the courses, as well as exercises that are tailored from the podium to meet the unique needs and context of NRC.
7. The initial number of sessions is as follows.
  - Communicating with Emotional Intelligence (2 days): 3 classes in DC, 4 classes in the regions
  - Civility: Building a Respectful Workplace (2 days): 3 classes in DC, 4 classes in the regions
  - Difficult Conversations (2 days): 3 classes in DC, 4 classes in the regions

#### **4. REQUIREMENTS**

- Contractor shall use the principles of instructional systems design (ISD) as the standard for the customization of each course.
- Contractor shall work efficiently, effectively, and cooperatively with the NRC COR, his or her designee, or a NRC Subject Matter Expert (SME) as needed within the allotted timeframe of the project, and as directed by the NRC COR.
- Contractor shall provide one qualified instructor per delivery. The COR must approve all course instructors associated with this project. If a scheduled course must be cancelled because the contractor fails to provide a qualified instructor, the contractor shall reschedule the course at a mutually agreeable date without additional cost to the NRC.

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- The contractor shall have the use of the Government Furnished Material (GFM) that will be used to develop training products. The contractor will have use of the GFM for the project duration. All GFM shall be returned upon completion of the project.
- MC will retain ownership over course content that is modified.
- All cancellations or rescheduling requests will follow the Cancellation and Rescheduling Policies of the master HRTD course delivery contract between NRC and management Concepts.
- The maximum number of students shall be no less than 20 per class.

**7. GOVERNMENT FURNISHED MATERIALS (GFM)**

The NRC will provide the classrooms and basic class supplies for each training session, rosters, and course evaluations. As needed, NRC will provide access to NRC subject matter experts and NRC specific content to be used in the course materials or to customize the course materials.

**8. PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE**

The period of performance shall be from the effective date of this contract until March 30, 2013. It is estimated that design will occur during June-August 2012. Courses will be customized and delivered as per the following order and schedule. Exact dates to be determined. (Note: Dates are subject to change.)

- Communicating with Emotional Intelligence delivery: June - September 2012
- Civility: Building a Respectful Workplace (2 days) delivery: July – October 2012
- Difficult Conversations (2 days) delivery: August – December 2012

**9. TRAVEL**

Travel will be needed to deliver one session of each title to the four NRC regional offices (Philadelphia, PA; Lisle, IL; Atlanta, GA and Arlington TX). Travel costs shall be reimbursed as per government regulations and the specifications in the course delivery between the NRC and Management Concepts. As much as possible, the contractor will combine trips and sessions to maximize cost effectiveness and save government resources.

**10. POINTS OF CONTACT**

NRC COR POC:

Material delivered to PDC c/o Headquarters: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Professional Development Center  
11555 Rockville Pike  
Rockville, MD 20852-2738  
ATT: Dennise Orlando, Mail Stop GW4 A1

Courier or direct delivery to PDC Project Officer: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Dennise Orlando  
Professional Development Center  
7201 Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 425  
Bethesda, MD 20814-4810  
(301) 492-2002

Contact and addresses information for each region shall be provided by the NRC COR prior to the region's first course delivery date.

## TASK ORDER TERMS AND CONDITIONS

NOT SPECIFIED IN THE CONTRACT

### A.4 PACKAGING AND MARKING (AUG 2011)

(a) The Contractor shall package material for shipment to the NRC in such a manner that will ensure acceptance by common carrier and safe delivery at destination. Containers and closures shall comply with the Surface Transportation Board, Uniform Freight Classification Rules, or regulations of other carriers as applicable to the mode of transportation.

(b) On the front of the package, the Contractor shall clearly identify the contract number under which the product is being provided.

(c) Additional packaging and/or marking requirements are as follows: NA

### A.5 BRANDING (AUG 2011)

The Contractor is required to use the official NRC branding logo or seal on any publications, presentations, products, or materials funded under this contract, to the extent practical, in order to provide NRC recognition for its involvement in and contribution to the project. If the work performed is funded entirely with NRC funds, then the contractor must acknowledge that information in its documentation/presentation.

Access the following websites for branding information and specifications:  
<http://www.internal.nrc.gov/ADM/branding/> and Management Directive and Handbook 3.13 -

(internal NRC website): <http://www.internal.nrc.gov/policy/directives/toc/md3.13.htm>

(external public website): <http://pbadupws.nrc.gov/docs/ML1122/ML112280190.pdf>

### A.6 PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE (AUG 2011)

This contract shall commence on 06-01-2012 and will expire on 03-31-2013.

### A.7 ELECTRONIC PAYMENT (AUG 2011)

The Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 requires that all payments except IRS tax refunds be made by Electronic Funds Transfer. Payment shall be made in accordance with FAR 52.232-33, entitled "Payment by Electronic Funds- Central Contractor Registration".

To receive payment, the contractor shall prepare invoices in accordance with NRC's Billing Instructions. Claims shall be submitted on the payee's letterhead, invoice, or on the Government's Standard Form 1034, "Public Voucher for Purchases and Services Other than Personal," and Standard Form 1035, "Public Voucher for Purchases Other than Personal - Continuation Sheet." The preferred method of submitting invoices is electronically to the Department of the Interior at [NRCPayments\\_NBCDenver@nbc.gov](mailto:NRCPayments_NBCDenver@nbc.gov). If the contractor submits a hard copy of the invoice, it shall be submitted to the following address:

Department of the Interior  
National Business Center  
Attn: Fiscal Services Branch - D2770

7301 West Mansfield Avenue  
Denver, CO 80235-2230

## **A.8 COMPLIANCE WITH U.S. IMMIGRATION LAWS AND REGULATIONS (AUG 2011)**

NRC contractors are responsible to ensure that their alien personnel are not in violation of United States immigration laws and regulations, including employment authorization documents and visa requirements. Each alien employee of the Contractor must be lawfully admitted for permanent residence as evidenced by Permanent Resident Form I-551 (Green Card), or must present other evidence from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security/U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services that employment will not affect his/her immigration status. The U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services provides information to contractors to help them understand the employment eligibility verification process for non-US citizens. This information can be found on their website, <http://www.uscis.gov/portal/site/uscis>.

The NRC reserves the right to deny or withdraw Contractor use or access to NRC facilities or its equipment/services, and/or take any number of contract administrative actions (e.g., disallow costs, terminate for cause) should the Contractor violate the Contractor's responsibility under this clause.

## **A.9 WHISTLEBLOWER PROTECTION FOR NRC CONTRACTOR AND SUBCONTRACTOR EMPLOYEES (AUG 2011)**

(a) The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) contractor and its subcontractor are subject to the Whistleblower Employee Protection public law provisions as codified at 42 U.S.C. 5851. NRC contractor(s) and subcontractor(s) shall comply with the requirements of this Whistleblower Employee Protection law, and the implementing regulations of the NRC and the Department of Labor (DOL). See, for example, DOL Procedures on Handling Complaints at 29 C.F.R. Part 24 concerning the employer obligations, prohibited acts, DOL procedures and the requirement for prominent posting of notice of Employee Rights at Appendix A to Part 24 entitled: "Your Rights Under the Energy Reorganization Act".

(b) Under this Whistleblower Employee Protection law, as implemented by regulations, NRC contractor and subcontractor employees are protected from discharge, reprisal, threats, intimidation, coercion, blacklisting or other employment discrimination practices with respect to compensation, terms, conditions or privileges of their employment because the contractor or subcontractor employee(s) has provided notice to the employer, refused to engage in unlawful practices, assisted in proceedings or testified on activities concerning alleged violations of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (as amended) and the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974 (as amended).

(c) The contractor shall insert this or the substance of this clause in any subcontracts involving work performed under this contract.

## **A.10 AUTHORITY TO USE GOVERNMENT PROVIDED SPACE AT NRC HEADQUARTERS (AUG 2011)**

Prior to occupying any government provided space at NRC HQs in Rockville Maryland, the Contractor shall obtain written authorization to occupy specifically designated government space, via the NRC Contracting Officer's Representative (COR), from the Chief, Space Design Branch, ADSPC. Failure to obtain this prior authorization can result in one, or a combination, of the following remedies as deemed appropriate by the Contracting Officer.

- (1) Rental charge for the space occupied will be deducted from the invoice amount due the Contractor
- (2) Removal from the space occupied
- (3) Contract Termination

**A.11 GREEN PURCHASING (JUN 2011)**

(a) In furtherance of the sustainable acquisition goals of Executive Order 13514, "Federal Leadership in Environmental, Energy, and Economic Performance" products and services provided under this contract/order shall be energy- efficient (Energy Star or Federal Energy Management Program (FEMP) designated), water-efficient, biobased, environmentally preferable (e.g., Electronic Product Environmental Assessment Tool (EPEAT) certified), non-ozone depleting, contain recycled content, or are non-toxic or less toxic alternatives, where such products and services meet agency performance requirements. <http://www.fedcenter.gov/programs/eo13514/>

(b) The contractor shall flow down this clause into all subcontracts and other agreements that relate to performance of this contract/order.

**A.12 USE OF AUTOMATED CLEARING HOUSE (ACH) ELECTRONIC PAYMENT/REMITTANCE ADDRESS (AUG 2011)**

The Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 requires that all Federal payments except IRS tax refunds be made by Electronic Funds Transfer. It is the policy of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to pay government vendors by the Automated Clearing House (ACH) electronic funds transfer payment system. Item 15C of the Standard Form 33 may be disregarded.

**BILLING INSTRUCTIONS FOR  
FIXED-PRICE TYPE CONTRACTS (JULY 2011)**

**General:** During performance and through final payment of this contract, the contractor is responsible for the accuracy and completeness of data within the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database and for any liability resulting from the Government's reliance on inaccurate or incomplete CCR data.

The contractor shall prepare invoices/vouchers for payment of deliverables identified in the contract, in the manner described herein. FAILURE TO SUBMIT INVOICES/VOUCHERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF THE INVOICE/VOUCHER AS IMPROPER.

**Standard Forms:** Payment requests for completed work, in accordance with the contract, shall be submitted on the payee's letterhead, invoice/voucher, or on the Government's Standard Form 1034, "Public Voucher for Purchases and Services Other than Personal," and Standard Form 1035, "Public Voucher for Purchases Other than Personal-- Continuation Sheet."

**Electronic Invoice/Voucher Submissions:** The preferred method of submitting invoices/vouchers is electronically to the U.S. Department of the Interior's National Business Center, via email to: [NRCPayments\\_NBCDenver@NBC.gov](mailto:NRCPayments_NBCDenver@NBC.gov).

**Hard-Copy Invoice/Voucher Submissions:** If you submit a hard-copy of the invoice/voucher, a signed original and supporting documentation shall be submitted to the following address:

Department of the Interior  
National Business Center  
Attn: Fiscal Services Branch - D2770  
7301 West Mansfield Avenue  
Denver, CO 80235-2230

**Purchase of Capital Property:** (*\$50,000 or more with life of one year or longer*)

Contractors must report to the Contracting Officer, electronically, any capital property acquired with contract funds having an initial cost of \$50,000 or more, in accordance with procedures set forth in NRC Management Directive (MD) 13.1, IV, C – "Reporting Requirements" (revised 2/16/2011).

**Agency Payment Office:** Payment will continue to be made by the office designated in the contract in Block 12 of Standard Form 26, Block 25 of Standard Form 33, or Block 18a of Standard Form 1449, whichever is applicable.

**Frequency:** The contractor shall submit invoices/vouchers for payment once each month, unless otherwise authorized by the Contracting Officer.

**Format:** Invoices/Vouchers shall be submitted in the format depicted on the attached sample form entitled "Invoice/Voucher for Purchases and Services Other Than Personal". Alternate formats are permissible only if they address all requirements of the Billing Instructions. The instructions for preparation and itemization of the invoice/voucher are included with the sample form.

**Task Order Contracts:** The contractor must submit a separate invoice/voucher for each individual task order with pricing information. This includes items discussed in paragraphs (a) through (p) of the attached instructions. In addition, the invoice/voucher must specify the contract number, and the NRC-assigned task/delivery order number.

Final vouchers/invoices shall be marked "FINAL INVOICE" or "FINAL VOUCHER".

**Currency:** Invoices/Vouchers must be expressed in U.S. Dollars.

Supersession: These instructions supersede previous Billing Instructions for Fixed-Price Type Contracts (June 2008).

**INVOICE/VOUCHER FOR PURCHASES AND SERVICES OTHER THAN PERSONAL  
(SAMPLE FORMAT - COVER SHEET)**

**1. Official Agency Billing Office**

Department of the Interior  
National Business Center  
Attn: Fiscal Services Branch - D2770  
7301 West Mansfield Avenue  
Denver, CO 80235-2230

**2. Invoice/Voucher Information**

a. Payee's DUNS Number or DUNS+4. The Payee shall include the Payee's Data Universal Number (DUNS) or DUNS+4 number that identifies the Payee's name and address. The DUNS+4 number is the DUNS number plus a 4-character suffix that may be assigned at the discretion of the Payee to identify alternative Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) accounts for the same parent concern.

b. Payee's Name and Address. Show the name of the Payee as it appears in the contract and its correct address. Where the Payee is authorized to assign the proceeds of this contract in accordance with the clause at FAR 52.232-23, the Payee shall require as a condition of any such assignment, that the assignee shall register separately in the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database at <http://www.ccr.gov> and shall be paid by EFT in accordance with the terms of this contract. See Federal Acquisition Regulation 52.232-33(g) Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer - Central Contractor Registration (October 2003).

c. Contract Number. Insert the NRC contract number (including Enterprise-wide Contract (EWC)), GSA Federal Supply Schedule (FSS), Governmentwide Agency Contract (GWAC) number, or Multiple Agency Contract (MAC) number, as applicable.

d. Task Order Number. Insert the task/delivery order number (If Applicable). **Do not include more than one task order per invoice or the invoice may be rejected as improper.**

e. Invoice/Voucher. The appropriate sequential number of the invoice/voucher, beginning with 001 should be designated. Contractors may also include an individual internal accounting number, if desired, in addition to the 3-digit sequential number.

f. Date of Invoice/Voucher. Insert the date the invoice/voucher is prepared.

g. Billing Period. Insert the beginning and ending dates (day, month, year) of the period during which deliverables were completed and for which payment is requested.

h. Description of Deliverables. Provide a brief description of supplies or services, quantity, unit price, and total price.

- i. Work Completed. Provide a general summary description of the services performed or products submitted for the invoice period and specify the section or Contract Line Item Number (CLIN) or SubCLIN in the contract pertaining to the specified contract deliverable(s).
- j. Shipping. Insert weight and zone of shipment, if shipped by parcel post.
- k. Charges for freight or express shipments. Attach prepaid bill if shipped by freight or express.
- l. Instructions. Include instructions to consignee to notify the Contracting Officer of receipt of shipment.
- m. For Indefinite Delivery contracts, the final invoice/voucher shall be marked "FINAL INVOICE" or "FINAL VOUCHER".
- n. Total Amount Billed. Insert columns for total amounts for the current and cumulative periods.
- o. Adjustments. Insert columns for any adjustments, including outstanding suspensions for deficient or defective products or nonconforming services, for the current and cumulative periods.
- p. Grand Totals.

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The contractor shall prepare invoices/vouchers for reimbursement of costs in the manner and format described herein. FAILURE TO SUBMIT INVOICES/VOUCHERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE INSTRUCTIONS WILL RESULT IN REJECTION OF THE INVOICE/VOUCHER AS IMPROPER.

**Standard Forms:** Claims shall be submitted on the payee's letterhead, invoice/voucher, or on the Government's Standard Form 1034, "Public Voucher for Purchases and Services Other than Personal," and Standard Form 1035, "Public Voucher for Purchases Other than Personal--Continuation Sheet."

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**Purchase of Capital Property:** (*\$50,000 or more with life of one year or longer*)

Contractors must report to the Contracting Officer, electronically, any capital property acquired with contract funds having an initial cost of \$50,000 or more, in accordance with procedures set forth in NRC Management Directive (MD) 13.1, IV, C – "Reporting Requirements" (revised 2/16/2011).

**Agency Payment Office:** Payment will continue to be made by the office designated in the contract in Block 12 of the Standard Form 26, or Block 25 of the Standard Form 33, whichever is applicable.

**Frequency:** The contractor shall submit claims for reimbursement once each month, unless otherwise authorized by the Contracting Officer.

**Format:** Invoices/Vouchers shall be submitted in the format depicted on the attached sample form entitled "Invoice/Voucher for Purchases and Services Other Than Personal". Alternate formats are permissible only if they address all requirements of the Billing Instructions. The instructions for preparation and itemization of the invoice/voucher are included with the sample form.

**Task Order Contracts:** The contractor must submit a separate invoice/voucher for each individual task order with detailed cost information. This includes all applicable cost elements and other items discussed in paragraphs (a) through (q) of the attached instructions. In addition, the invoice/voucher must specify the contract number, and the NRC-assigned task/delivery order number.

**Billing of Costs after Expiration of Contract:** If costs are incurred during the contract period and claimed after the contract has expired, you must cite the period during which these costs were incurred. To be considered a proper expiration invoice/voucher, the contractor shall clearly mark it "EXPIRATION INVOICE" or "EXPIRATION VOUCHER".

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Final invoices/vouchers shall be marked "FINAL INVOICE" or "FINAL VOUCHER".

**Currency**: Invoices/Vouchers must be expressed in U.S. Dollars.

**Supersession**: These instructions supersede previous Billing Instructions for Labor Hour/Time and Materials Type Contracts (June 2008).

**INVOICE/VOUCHER FOR PURCHASES AND SERVICES OTHER THAN PERSONAL  
(SAMPLE FORMAT - COVER SHEET)**

**1. Official Agency Billing Office**

Department of the Interior  
National Business Center  
Attn: Fiscal Services Branch - D2770  
7301 West Mansfield Avenue  
Denver, CO 80235-2230

**2. Invoice/Voucher Information**

- a. Payee's DUNS Number or DUNS+4. The Payee shall include the Payee's Data Universal Number (DUNS) or DUNS+4 number that identifies the Payee's name and address. The DUNS+4 number is the DUNS number plus a 4-character suffix that may be assigned at the discretion of the Payee to identify alternative Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) accounts for the same parent concern.
- b. Payee's Name and Address. Show the name of the Payee as it appears in the contract and its correct address. If the Payee assigns the proceeds of this contract as provided for in the assignment of claims terms of this contract, the Payee shall require as a condition of any such assignment, that the assignee shall register separately in the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database at <http://www.ccr.gov> and shall be paid by EFT in accordance with the terms of this contract. See Federal Acquisition Regulation 52.232-33(g) Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer - Central Contractor Registration (October 2003).
- c. Contract Number. Insert the NRC contract number (including Enterprise-wide Contract (EWC)), GSA Federal Supply Schedule (FSS), Governmentwide Agency Contract (GWAC) number, or Multiple Agency Contract (MAC) number, as applicable.
- d. Task Order Number. Insert the task/delivery order number (If Applicable). **Do not include more than one task order per invoice or the invoice may be rejected as improper.**
- e. Invoice/Voucher. The appropriate sequential number of the invoice/voucher, beginning with 001 should be designated. Contractors may also include an individual internal accounting number, if desired, in addition to the 3-digit sequential number.
- f. Date of Invoice/Voucher. Insert the date the invoice/voucher is prepared.
- g. Billing period. Insert the beginning and ending dates (day, month, year) of the period during which costs were incurred and for which reimbursement is requested.
- h. Labor Hours Expended. Provide a general summary description of the services performed and associated labor hours utilized during the invoice period. Specify the Contract Line Item Number (CLIN) or SubCLIN, as applicable, and information pertaining to the contract's labor categories/positions, and corresponding authorized hours.
- i. Property. For contractor acquired property, list each item with an initial acquisition cost of \$50,000 or more and provide: (1) an item description, (2) manufacturer, (3) model number, (4) serial number, (5) acquisition cost, (6) date of purchase, and (7) a copy of the purchasing document.
- j. Shipping. Insert weight and zone of shipment, if shipped by parcel post.
- k. Charges for freight or express shipments. Attach prepaid bill if shipped by freight or express.

l. Instructions. Include instructions to consignee to notify the Contracting Officer of receipt of shipment.

m. For Indefinite Delivery contracts, the final invoice/voucher shall be marked "FINAL INVOICE" or "FINAL VOUCHER".

n. Direct Costs. Insert the amount billed for the following cost elements, adjustments, suspensions, and total amounts, for both the current billing period and for the cumulative period (from contract inception to end date of this billing period).

(1) Direct (Burdened) Labor. This consists of salaries and wages paid (or accrued) for direct performance of the contract itemized, including a burden (or load) for indirect costs (i.e., fringe, overhead, General and Administrative, as applicable), and profit component, as follows:

<u>Labor</u> <u>Category</u>	<u>Hours</u> <u>Billed</u>	<u>Burdened</u> <u>Hourly Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Cumulative</u> <u>Hours Billed</u>
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(2) Contractor-acquired property (\$50,000 or more). List each item costing \$50,000 or more and having a life expectancy of more than one year. List only those items of equipment for which reimbursement is requested. For each such item, list the following (as applicable): (a) an item description, (b) manufacturer, (c) model number, (d) serial number, (e) acquisition cost, (f) date of purchase, and (g) a copy of the purchasing document.

(3) Contractor-acquired property (under \$50,000), Materials, and Supplies. These are equipment other than that described in (2) above, plus consumable materials and supplies. List by category. List items valued at \$1,000 or more separately. Provide the item number for each piece of equipment valued at \$1,000 or more.

(4) Materials Handling Fee. Indirect costs allocated to direct materials in accordance the contractor's usual accounting procedures.

(5) Consultant Fee. The supporting information must include the name, hourly or daily rate of the consultant, and reference the NRC approval (if not specifically approved in the original contract).

(6) Travel. Total costs associated with each trip must be shown in the following format:

<u>Start Date</u>		<u>Destination</u>		<u>Costs</u>
From	To	From	To	\$

(Must include separate detailed costs for airfare, per diem, and other transportation expenses. All costs must be adequately supported by copies of receipts or other documentation.)

(7) Subcontracts. Include separate detailed breakdown of all costs paid to approved subcontractors during the billing period.

o. Total Amount Billed. Insert columns for total amounts for the current and cumulative periods.

p. Adjustments. Insert columns for any adjustments, including outstanding suspensions for unsupported or unauthorized hours or costs, for the current and cumulative periods.

q. Grand Totals.

**3. Sample Invoice/Voucher Information**

Sample Invoice/Voucher Information (Supporting Documentation must be attached)

This invoice/voucher represents reimbursable costs for the billing period from \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_.

		<u>Amount Billed</u>	
		<u>Current Period</u>	<u>Cumulative</u>
<b>(a)</b>	<b><u>Direct Costs</u></b>		
(1)	Direct burdened labor	\$ _____	\$ _____
(2)	Government property (\$50,000 or more)	\$ _____	\$ _____
(3)	Government property, Materials, and Supplies (under \$50,000 per item)	\$ _____	\$ _____
(4)	Materials Handling Fee	\$ _____	\$ _____
(5)	Consultants Fee	\$ _____	\$ _____
(6)	Travel	\$ _____	\$ _____
(7)	Subcontracts	\$ _____	\$ _____
	Total Direct Costs:	\$ _____	\$ _____
<b>(b)</b>	<b>Total Amount Billed</b>	\$ _____	\$ _____
<b>(c)</b>	<b>Adjustments (+/-)</b>	\$ _____	\$ _____
<b>(d)</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>	\$ _____	\$ _____

(The invoice/voucher format provided above must include information similar to that included below in the following to ensure accuracy and completeness.)

**SAMPLE SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

The budget information provided below is for format purposes only and is illustrative.

Cost Elements:

- 1) Direct Burdened Labor - \$4,800

<u>Hours</u>	<u>Burdened</u>	<u>Cumulative</u>		<u>Hours Billed</u>
<u>Category</u>	<u>Billed</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>	
Senior Engineer I	100	\$28.00	\$2,800	975
Engineer	50	\$20.00	\$1,000	465
Computer Analyst	100	\$10.00	\$1,000	320
			\$4,800	1,760 hrs.

Labor

*Burdened labor rates must come directly from the contract.*

- 2) Government-furnished and contractor-acquired property (\$50,000 or more) - \$60,000

Prototype Spectrometer - item number 1000-01 = \$60,000

- 3) Government-furnished and contractor-acquired property (under \$50,000), Materials, and Supplies - \$2,000

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10 Radon tubes @ \$110.00 = \$1,100  
6 Pairs Electrostatic gloves @ \$150.00 = \$ 900  
\$2,000

4) Materials Handling Fee - \$40

(2% of \$2,000 in item #3)

5) Consultants' Fee - \$100

Dr. Carney - 1 hour fully-burdened @ \$100 = \$100

6) Travel - \$2,640

(i) Airfare: (2 Roundtrip trips for 1 person @ \$300 per r/t ticket)

<u>Start Date</u>	<u>End Date</u>	<u>Days</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Cost</u>
4/1/2011	4/7/2011	7	Philadelphia, PA	Wash, D.C.	\$300
7/1/2011	7/8/2011	8	Philadelphia, PA	Wash, D.C.	\$300

(ii) Per Diem: \$136/day x 15 days = \$2,040

7) Subcontracting - \$30,000

Company A = \$10,000  
Company B = \$20,000  
\$30,000

(EX: Subcontracts for Companies A & B were consented to by the Contracting Officer by letter dated 6/15/2011.)

Total Amount Billed \$99,580  
Adjustments (+/-) - 0  
Grand Total \$99,580

**4. Definitions**

Material handling costs. When included as part of material costs, material handling costs shall include only costs clearly excluded from the labor-hour rate. Material handling costs may include all appropriate indirect costs allocated to direct materials in accordance with the contractor's usual accounting procedures.