

 LANDER UNIVERSITY	Invitation for Bid Amendment 1	Solicitation Number Date Issued Procurement Officer Phone E-Mail Address	IFB-ZK-560-04-08-2025 04/03/25 Zach Kennedy (864)-388-8242 zkennedy@lander.edu
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DESCRIPTION: Cooling Tower and Closed Loop Water Testing, Monitoring, and Treatment Services

The Term "Offer" Means Your "Bid" or "Proposal". Your offer must be submitted in a sealed package. Solicitation Number & Opening Date must appear on package exterior. See "Submitting Your Paper Offer or Modification" provision.

SUBMIT YOUR SEALED OFFER TO EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING ADDRESSES:	
MAILING ADDRESS: Lander University Procurement Services CPO 6023 Greenwood, SC 29649	PHYSICAL ADDRESS: 204 W Henrietta Ave Building FO, Room 210 Greenwood, SC 29649

SUBMIT OFFER BY (Opening Date/Time): 04/08/2025 11:00 AM EST (See "Deadline For Submission Of Offer" provision)

QUESTIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY: ~~03/31/2025 11:00 EST~~ (See "Questions From Offerors" provision)

NUMBER OF COPIES TO BE SUBMITTED: One Original and one (1) copy

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CONFERENCE TYPE: *Site Visit DATE & TIME: By appointment, contact Glenn Shaw 864-388-8260 As appropriate, see "Conferences - Pre-Bid/Proposal" & "Site Visit" provisions	LOCATION: Not Applicable
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AWARD & AMENDMENTS	The award, this solicitation, and any amendments will be posted 04/15/2025 at the following web address: http://www.lander.edu/solicitations
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You must submit a signed copy of this form with Your Offer. By submitting a bid or proposal, You agree to be bound by the terms of the Solicitation. You agree to hold Your Offer open for a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days after the Opening Date.		
NAME OF OFFEROR (Full legal name of business submitting the offer)	OFFEROR'S TYPE OF ENTITY: (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Sole Proprietorship <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation (tax-exempt) <input type="checkbox"/> Corporate entity (not tax-exempt) <input type="checkbox"/> Government entity (federal, state, or local) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ (See "Signing Your Offer" provision.)	
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE (Person signing must be authorized to submit binding offer to enter contract on behalf of Offeror named above.)		
TITLE (Business title of person signing above)		
PRINTED NAME (Printed name of person signing above)		
Instructions regarding Offeror's name: Any award issued will be issued to, and the contract will be formed with, the entity identified as the offeror above. An offer may be submitted by only one legal entity. The entity named as the offeror must be a single and distinct legal entity. Do not use the name of a branch office or a division of a larger entity if the branch or division is not a separate legal entity, i.e., a separate corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship, etc.		
STATE OF INCORPORATION (If offeror is a corporation, identify the state of Incorporation.)		
TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NO. (See "Taxpayer Identification Number" provision)	STATE VENDOR NO. (Register to Obtain S.C. Vendor No. at www.procurement.sc.gov)	

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<p>HOME OFFICE ADDRESS (Address for offeror's home office / principal place of business)</p>	<p>NOTICE ADDRESS (Address to which all procurement and contract related notices should be sent.) (See "Notice" clause)</p> <p>_____ Area Code - Number - Extension Facsimile</p> <p>_____ E-mail Address</p>
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<p>PAYMENT ADDRESS (Address to which payments will be sent.) (See "Payment" clause)</p> <p>____ Payment Address same as Home Office Address</p> <p>____ Payment Address same as Notice Address (check only one)</p>	<p>ORDER ADDRESS (Address to which purchase orders will be sent) (See "Purchase Orders and "Contract Documents" clauses)</p> <p>____ Order Address same as Home Office Address</p> <p>____ Order Address same as Notice Address (check only one)</p>
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<p>ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF AMENDMENTS Offerors acknowledges receipt of amendments by indicating amendment number and its date of issue. (See "Amendments to Solicitation" Provision)</p>							
Amendment No.	Amendment Issue Date	Amendment No.	Amendment Issue Date	Amendment No.	Amendment Issue Date	Amendment No.	Amendment Issue Date

<p>DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT PAYMENT (See "Discount for Prompt Payment" clause)</p>	<p>10 Calendar Days (%)</p>	<p>20 Calendar Days (%)</p>	<p>30 Calendar Days (%)</p>	<p>_____ Calendar Days (%)</p>
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PREFERENCES - A NOTICE TO VENDORS (SEP. 2009): On June 16, 2009, the South Carolina General Assembly rewrote the law governing preferences available to in-state vendors, vendors using in-state subcontractors, and vendors selling in-state or US end products. This law appears in Section 11-35-1524 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. A summary of the new preferences is available at www.procurement.sc.gov/preferences. **ALL THE PREFERENCES MUST BE CLAIMED AND ARE APPLIED BY LINE ITEM, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER AWARD IS MADE BY ITEM OR LOT. VENDORS ARE CAUTIONED TO CAREFULLY REVIEW THE STATUTE BEFORE CLAIMING ANY PREFERENCES. THE REQUIREMENTS TO QUALIFY HAVE CHANGED. IF YOU REQUEST A PREFERENCE, YOU ARE CERTIFYING THAT YOUR OFFER QUALIFIES FOR THE PREFERENCE YOU'VE CLAIMED. IMPROPERLY REQUESTING A PREFERENCE CAN HAVE SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES.** [11-35-1524(E)(4)&(6)]

PREFERENCES - ADDRESS AND PHONE OF IN-STATE OFFICE: Please provide the address and phone number for your in-state office in the space provided below. An in-state office is necessary to claim either the Resident Vendor Preference (11-35-1524(C)(1)(i)&(ii)) or the Resident Contractor Preference (11-35-1524(C)(1)(iii)). Accordingly, you must provide this information to qualify for the preference. An in-state office is not required, but can be beneficial, if you are claiming the Resident Subcontractor Preference (11-35-1524(D)).

____ In-State Office Address same as Home Office Address

____ In-State Office Address same as Notice Address (check only one)

Solicitation Outline

I. Scope of Solicitation

II. Instructions to Offerors

A.General Instructions AMENDMENTS TO SOLICITATION (Modified): (a) The Solicitation may be amended at any time prior to opening. All actual and prospective Offerors should monitor the following web site for the issuance of Amendments: www.lander.edu/solicitations (b) Offerors shall acknowledge receipt of any amendment to this solicitation (1) by signing and returning the amendment, (2) by identifying the amendment number and date in the space provided for this purpose on Page Two, (3) by letter, or (4) by submitting a bid that indicates in some way that the bidder received the amendment. (c) If this solicitation is amended, then all terms and conditions which are not modified remain unchanged. [02-2A005-1] See questions and answers below.

B.Special Instructions Amendment 1 must be acknowledged

III. Scope of Work / Specifications

IV. Information for Offerors to Submit

V. Qualifications

VI. Award Criteria

VII. Terms and Conditions

A.General

B.Special

VIII.Bidding Schedule / Cost Proposal

IX. Attachments to Solicitation

AMENDMENT #1 – QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:

Question: Who is the current vendor for this contract and what is the total contract value?

Answer: We are not under a current contract.