The US Coast Guard is developing the requirements for a total small business set aside BPA for its Business and Logistics Management Support Services effort. The Coast Guard has been conducting market research to identify and assess sources that can provide up-to-date Business and Logistics Management Support Services (BL/MSS) and released a draft Statement of Work in late May for comment. It looks like this will be a 10-year multiple award contract via a BPA to at least three, but no more than five, small businesses, including at least two from different socioeconomic categories. The period of performance will consist of a five-year base period and five-year option periods.

This effort appears to be the consolidation of two existing contracts with expiration dates in late 4QFY24 and mid-year FY25. All work will be completed under NAICS 541611, Administrative Management and General Management Consulting Services with a size standard of $24.5 million.

Total spend on the two existing contracts has been $87M but this award is estimated to be worth as much as $500M and even higher.

The scope of this effort is to provide for non-personal services for a number of areas to include Project Management and Support, Strategic Planning, Portfolio Management, Business Process Planning, Process Development, Process Integration Planning, Facilities Planning, and Marketing and Communications Planning Services, among others.

Key personnel requirements are expected to include a Program Manager, a Project Management Consultant with PMP certification and ITIL Training, and based upon Task Order requirements, a Lean Six Sigma Master Black Belt, a Senior Business Consultant, a Senior Logistics Consultant, and a Logistician.

The acquisition timeline looks like the following:

* Government Accepting 20-minute Phone Calls Only to Discuss Innovative/Creative Solutions in mid-August.
* A draft solicitation in late August.
* It currently looks as though the final RFP will be released in September but that appears to be an aggressive timeline that will most likely slip.
* Contract award in April of 2024.

Keep your eye on SAM for this one under Notice ID BLMSSFY2405292023.