AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT

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2. AMENDMENT/MOD NO.	3. EFFECTIVE DATE	4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO.	5. PROJECT NO
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6. ISSUED BY CODE	7. ADMINISTERED BY CODE
NASA-Ames Research Center Moffett Field, CA 94035-1000	

8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR *(No. Street, County, State and ZIP Code)*		
To All Offerors	(9)	9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO NNA14464770R
	X	9B. DATED *(SEE ITEM 11)* 9/17/15
	(10)	10A. MOD. OF CONTRACT/ORDER No
CODE / FACILITY CODE		10B. DATED *(SEE ITEM 13)*

11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS

The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offers IS NOT extended.
Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods:

(a) By completing Items 8 and 15, and returning one (1) copy of the amendment;
(b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or
(c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.

12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA *(if required)*

N/A

Financial Management

13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS, IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.

- [ ] A. THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO: *(Specify authority)* THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.
- [ ] B. THE ABOVE NUMBERED CONTRACT/ORDER IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES *(such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.)* SET FORTH IN ITEM 14, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF FAR 43.103(b).
- [ ] C. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF:
- [ ] D. OTHER *(Specify type of modification and authority)*

IMPORTANT: Contractor IS required to sign this document and return 1 copies to the issuing office.

14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION *(Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.)*

See continuation page.

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.

15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER *(Type or print)*		16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER	
15B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR *(Electronic Signature Applied)*	15C. DATE SIGNED	16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA MICHAEL HUTNIK (10/30/2015) *(Electronic Signature Applied)*	16C. DATE SIGNED

Continuation of SF 30, Block 14.

1. The purpose of Amendment 4 is to respond to a question received regarding the solicitation:

Question 1: Section L.7.(a).C.(1)(a)(vii) [Table L-5], and FAR 52.219-9 require subcontracting goals to be expressed in terms of percentages and dollar values subcontracted, where does the Government desire offerors to include this required cost data pertaining to the Small Business Subcontracting Plan?

Answer 1: Cost or Pricing Data is defined in FAR Part 2 as:

"Cost or pricing data" (10 U.S.C. 2306a(h)(1) and 41 U.S.C. chapter 35) means all facts that, as of the date of price agreement, or, if applicable, an earlier date agreed upon between the parties that is as close as practicable to the date of agreement on price, prudent buyers and sellers would reasonably expect to affect price negotiations significantly. Cost or pricing data are factual, not judgmental; and are verifiable. While they do not indicate the accuracy of the prospective contractor's judgment about estimated future costs or projections, they do include the data forming the basis for that judgment. Cost or pricing data are more than historical accounting data; they are all the facts that can be reasonably expected to contribute to the soundness of estimates of future costs and to the validity of determinations of costs already incurred. They also include, but are not limited to, such factors as-

(1) Vendor quotations;
(2) Nonrecurring costs;
(3) Information on changes in production methods and in production or purchasing volume;
(4) Data supporting projections of business prospects and objectives and related operations costs;
(5) Unit-cost trends such as those associated with labor efficiency;
(6) Make-or-buy decisions;
(7) Estimated resources to attain business goals; and
(8) Information on management decisions that could have a significant bearing on costs.
"Cost realism" means that the costs in an offeror's proposal-
(1) Are realistic for the work to be performed;
(2) Reflect a clear understanding of the requirements; and
(3) Are consistent with the various elements of the offeror's technical proposal."

The information requested in the subcontracting plan does not meet this definition and therefore no cost or pricing data is required per our original response. Please comply with the requirements of the RFP for Small Business Subcontracting Goals.

No change to RFP.

2. All other solicitation provisions remain unchanged.

End of Amendment 4