

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT	1. CONTRACT ID CODE	PAGE OF PAGES
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2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO.	3. EFFECTIVE DATE	4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO.	5. PROJECT NO. (If applicable)
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6. ISSUED BY	CODE	7. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than Item 6)	CODE
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8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (No., street, county, State and ZIP Code)	(X)	9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO.
		9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11)
		10A. MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT/ORDER NO.
		10B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11)
CODE		FACILITY CODE

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 extended, 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 _____ copies 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 your 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)

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

CHECK ONE	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)

E. IMPORTANT: Contractor is not, is required to sign this document and return _____ copies to the issuing office.

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

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 (Type or print)
15B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR	16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
(Signature of person authorized to sign)	(Signature of Contracting Officer)
15C. DATE SIGNED	16C. DATE SIGNED

INSTRUCTIONS

Instructions for items other than those that are self-explanatory, are as follows:

(a) Item 1 (Contract ID Code). Insert the contract type identification code that appears in the title block of the contract being modified.

(b) Item 3 (Effective date).

(1) For a solicitation amendment, change order, or administrative change, the effective date shall be the issue date of the amendment, change order, or administrative change.

(2) For a supplemental agreement, the effective date shall be the date agreed to by the contracting parties.

(3) For a modification issued as an initial or confirming notice of termination for the convenience of the Government, the effective date and the modification number of the confirming notice shall be the same as the effective date and modification number of the initial notice.

(4) For a modification converting a termination for default to a termination for the convenience of the Government, the effective date shall be the same as the effective date of the termination for default.

(5) For a modification confirming the contracting officer's determination of the amount due in settlement of a contract termination, the effective date shall be the same as the effective date of the initial decision.

(c) Item 6 (Issued By). Insert the name and address of the issuing office. If applicable, insert the appropriate issuing office code in the code block.

(d) Item 8 (Name and Address of Contractor). For modifications to a contract or order, enter the contractor's name, address, and code as shown in the original contract or order, unless changed by this or a previous modification.

(e) Item 9, (Amendment of Solicitation No. - Dated), and 10, (Modification of Contract/Order No. - Dated). Check the appropriate box and in the corresponding blanks insert the number and date of the original solicitation, contract, or order.

(f) Item 12 (Accounting and Appropriation Data). When appropriate, indicate the impact of the modification on each affected accounting classification by inserting one of the following entries.

(1) Accounting classification _____
Net increase \$ _____

(2) Accounting classification _____
Net decrease \$ _____

NOTE: If there are changes to multiple accounting classifications that cannot be placed in block 12, insert an asterisk and the words "See continuation sheet".

(g) Item 13. Check the appropriate box to indicate the type of modification. Insert in the corresponding blank the authority under which the modification is issued. Check whether or not contractor must sign this document. (See FAR 43.103.)

(h) Item 14 (Description of Amendment/Modification).

(1) Organize amendments or modifications under the appropriate Uniform Contract Format (UCF) section headings from the applicable solicitation or contract. The UCF table of contents, however, shall not be set forth in this document

(2) Indicate the impact of the modification on the overall total contract price by inserting one of the following entries:

(i) Total contract price increased by \$ _____

(ii) Total contract price decreased by \$ _____

(iii) Total contract price unchanged.

(3) State reason for modification.

(4) When removing, reinstating, or adding funds, identify the contract items and accounting classifications.

(5) When the SF 30 is used to reflect a determination by the contracting officer of the amount due in settlement of a contract terminated for the convenience of the Government, the entry in Item 14 of the modification may be limited to --

(i) A reference to the letter determination; and

(ii) A statement of the net amount determined to be due in settlement of the contract.

(6) Include subject matter or short title of solicitation/contract where feasible.

(i) Item 16B. The contracting officer's signature is not required on solicitation amendments. The contracting officer's signature is normally affixed last on supplemental agreements.

1. The specifications and drawings for Invitation No. DACW64-03-B-0006, Dredging Middle Reach, Neches River Channel in Jefferson and Orange Counties, Texas, Sabine-Neches Waterway, Texas, advertised 20 December 2002 and for which bids are rescheduled to be opened 28 January 2003, are hereby modified as follows:

**QUESTIONS FROM KING FISHER MARINE SERVICE, INC. AND ANSWERS
BY THE GALVESTON DISTRICT TEAM.**

QUESTION 1: Is it possible for both Options 1 and 2 to be awarded.

ANSWER 1: Refer to Amendment No. 0002, dated 15 January 2003, Page A0002-2, FAR 217-7, OPTION FOR INCREASED QUANTITY-SEPARATELY PRICED LINE ITEM (MAR 1999), which states: "The Contracting Officer will exercise either Option No. 1 or Option No. 2 by written notice to the Contractor at the time of award."

QUESTION 2: How is the apparent low bidder determined?

ANSWER 2: Refer to Amendment No. 0002, dated 15 January 2003, Bidding Schedule Page 00010-4, Paragraph 3, EVALUATION OF OPTIONS (JUL 1999) (FAR 52.217-5), which states: "Except when it is determined in accordance with FAR 17.206(b) not to be in the Government's best interests, the Government will evaluate offers for award purposed by adding the total price for all Options to the total price for the basic requirement."

QUESTION 3: The majority of the material in the borrow area will be inundated during the project. How can the contractor dry this material?

ANSWER 3: The Contractor shall use acceptable construction methods in order to dry the material in the borrow area for embankment construction.

QUESTION 4: Which structures get entirely painted from the concrete foundation to the top of the spillway per this specification?

ANSWER 4: This has been clarified below in this Amendment No.0003.

(a) Specifications.

(1) Amendment No.0001, Page A0001-2, Item (8). - After the phrase: "an elevation of 2 feet above the required levee repair height," add the following sentence: "The repair shall also include sandblasting of the entire structure, painting, and providing new weir boards."

(2) Amendment No.0002, Page A0001-2, Item (8). - Delete Subparagraph 1.3.2 and substitute the following:

“1.3.2 Existing Drop-outlet Structure in Placement Area No. 18 shall be sandblasted in its entirety and painted. The Contractor shall also provide new weir boards.”

(3) Page 02482-10, Subparagraph 3.4.2.3 - In the twelfth line delete the following phrase, “repaired, and maintained as necessary.”

(4) Page 02700-2, Subparagraph 1.3.2 (Issued with Amendment No. 0001) - At the end of this Subparagraph insert the following new Subparagraph 1.3.3:

“1.3.3 The existing Drop-outlet Structure in Placement Area No. 25B shall be cleaned of obstructions within the pipe to provide flow and the Contractor shall provide new weir boards for this structure.”