STATE OF ALASKA

Department of Health Division of Public Assistance



EIS Modernization Consulting

RFP 2024-1600-0039

Amendment #2

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This amendment is being issued to revise the deadline for receipt of proposals to 15:00 Alaska Time on September 1, 2023.

It also serves to answer questions submitted by potential offerors.

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Questions submitted by potential offerors and answers from the State:

#	RFP Section	Issue, Question or Comment	State Response
15	1.01	Which vendor is responsible for maintenance, operations, and enhancements of ARIES?	Redmane is responsible for maintenance and operations. Future enhancements will be procured via the competitive RFP process.
16	1.01	Is there a separate Technical Assistance Contractor than the one listed above?	Public Consultant Group, PCG, is the IV&V vendor.

17	1.04	Could experience of the proposed staff be leveraged to meet the experience?	No.
18	3.01	"Project Management Support of all DPA PMO activities" – how many state FTEs are dedicated to the EIS- M PMO team?	9 FTEs
19	3.01	"QA Test Planning and Execution activities guidance and assistance" - is there a dedicated State QA Test/Planning and Execution (QAT) Manager/Lead and testers responsible for execution of QAT? Is there a separate UAT testing phase other than QAT?	Yes, there is a dedicated State QA Lead and dedicated state testers. No.
20	3.01	"Provide assistance securing initial and ongoing system Authority to Operate from the following Federal Partners" and "Periodic formal security and privacy assessments and required documentation, providing input into lessons learned documentation at appropriate key milestones throughout the Project" – How many state FTEs are dedicated to the EIS-M Security and Privacy team?	Security is a shared vendor and state responsibility and is baked into our DevSecOps procedures. Security is the responsibility of the entire product team.

End of Amendment #2