

**STATE OF ALASKA ITB NUMBER 2024-1100-0334
AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE**



Department of Fish and Game
Division of Administrative Services

THIS IS NOT AN ORDER

DATE AMENDMENT ISSUED: 9/13/2024

ITB TITLE: RV Kestrel 2024 Shipyard Services

ITB OPENING DATE AND TIME: September 17, 2024, 2:00 PM AKST

The following questions have been submitted and ADF&G's answers are below:

Q1: *Can you please verify that the attached State Bid Bond form is what is to be used for the RV Kestrel Bid Submittal?*

A1: Yes, this can be used (please see attached document). ADF&G will accept bid bonds on ADOT forms or from bonding company forms.

Q2: *The contractor is requesting a one week bid extension from September 17th to September 24th. This extension will be necessary for contractor to disseminate responses in order to provide a comprehensive proposal to the State of Alaska.*

A2: This request is denied. ADF&G is on a tight timeline and issued a week extension already during this solicitation advertisement. Vessel work needs to begin November 1, 2024.

Q3: *Sec. 3.01 states that signature of the bid by the bidder certifies that the bidder complies with a number of US laws. Does a bidder from Canada have to make that certification?*

A3: All bids must be signed. If a company is located in Canada, and the work is being performed in Canada, US Labor laws may not apply. However, it would be wise to consult with your attorney to ascertain which laws may or may not apply to you, and those laws can be called out in the contract exceptions if your company is susceptible for award.

Q4: *The contingent work items state "if time and funding allows". The following Work items will not be covered under the 45-day Period of Performance. These will need to be negotiated before starting any of the contingent work items. Is this correct? 1. NEW GALLEY FLOORING; 2. REBUILD/PAINT DECK CRANE; 3. PROPELLER LINE CUTTERS*

A4: ADF&G wants any contingency items to be done within the 45-day period, rather than negotiating them for beyond that time. "If time and funding allows" means that if the contingent work can be completed within the 45 day period, then that is optimal, otherwise they are left and not completed.

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Q5: *Work item 10: Rebuild Lo-Rez Flexible Couplings & 6HLF Couplings requires the couplings be delivered to Canada for inspection and reconditioning. Sec 2.08 Contract Performance Location states that all services are to be provided under this contract by the contractor and all subcontractors shall be performed in the United States. If the bidder cannot certify that all work will be performed in the United States, the bidder must contact the procurement officer in writing to request a waiver at least 10 days prior to the deadline for receipt of bids. Does this not apply for this work item?*

A5: A waiver request for this work is required. Waiver requests can be submitted to dfg.contracting@alaska.gov or eric.verrelli@alaska.gov prior to the deadline of receipt of bids.

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STATE OF ALASKA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC FACILITIES

BID BOND

For

Project Name and Number

DATE BOND EXECUTED: _____

PRINCIPAL (Legal name and business address):

TYPE OF ORGANIZATION:

	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual	<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership
	<input type="checkbox"/> Joint Venture	<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation
STATE OF INCORPORATION:		

SURETY(IES) (Name and business address):

A.	B.	C.
PENAL SUM OF BOND:		DATE OF BID:

We, the PRINCIPAL and SURETY above named, are held and firmly bound to the State (State of Alaska), in the penal sum of the amount stated above, for the payment of which sum will be made, we bind ourselves and our legal representatives and successors, jointly and severally, by this instrument.

THE CONDITION OF THE FOREGOING OBLIGATION is that the Principal has submitted the accompanying bid in writing, date as shown above, on the above-referenced Project in accordance with contract documents filed in the office of the Contracting Officer, and under the Invitation for Bids therefor, and is required to furnish a bond in the amount stated above.

If the Principal's bid is accepted and he is offered the proposed contract for award, and if the Principal fails to enter into the contract, then the obligation to the State created by this bond shall be in full force and effect.

If the Principal enters into the contract, then the foregoing obligation is null and void.

PRINCIPAL

Signature(s)	1.	2.	3.
Name(s) & Title(s) (Typed)	1.	2.	3.

Corporate Seal

See Instructions on Reverse

CORPORATE SURETY(IES)

Surety A	Name of Corporation	State of Incorporation	Liability Limit \$
Signature(s)	1.	2.	Corporate Seal
Name(s) & Titles (Typed)	1.	2.	

Surety B	Name of Corporation	State of Incorporation	Liability Limit \$
Signature(s)	1.	2.	Corporate Seal
Name(s) & Titles (Typed)	1.	2.	

Surety C	Name of Corporation	State of Incorporation	Liability Limit \$
Signature(s)	1.	2.	Corporate Seal
Name(s) & Titles (Typed)	1.	2.	

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This form shall be used whenever a bid bond is submitted.
2. Insert the full legal name and business address of the Principal in the space designated. If the Principal is a partnership or joint venture, the names of all principal parties must be included (e.g., "Smith Construction, Inc. and Jones Contracting, Inc. DBA Smith/Jones Builders, a joint venture"). If the Principal is a corporation, the name of the state in which incorporated shall be inserted in the space provided.
3. Insert the full legal name and business address of the Surety in the space designated. The Surety on the bond may be any corporation or partnership authorized to do business in Alaska as an insurer under AS 21.09. Individual sureties will not be accepted.
4. The penal amount of the bond may be shown either as an amount (in words and figures) or as a percent of the contract bid price (a not-to-exceed amount may be included).
5. The scheduled bid opening date shall be entered in the space marked Date of Bid.
6. The bond shall be executed by authorized representatives of the Principal and Surety. Corporations executing the bond shall also affix their corporate seal.
7. Any person signing in a representative capacity (e.g., an attorney-in-fact) must furnish evidence of authority if that representative is not a member of the firm, partnership, or joint venture, or an officer of the corporation involved.
8. The states of incorporation and the limits of liability of each surety shall be indicated in the spaces provided.
9. The date that bond is executed must not be later than the bid opening date.