

Special Notice 12-SS-0022

Description: NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SOLE SOURCE

The Office of Naval Research (ONR) intends to issue a fixed price purchase order to a single source under the authority of FAR 6.302-1(a)(2)(iii), Only One Responsible Source and No Other Supplies or Services will Satisfy Agency Requirements, on or about 01 AUG 2012 to Institute for the Future under Contract Number N00014-12-M-0416. The period of performance will be from date of award through 28 SEP 2012.

The prospective contractor shall develop how-to run your own Massive Multiplayer Online War Game Leveraging the Internet (MMOWGLI) documentation, and generate a report providing options and recommendations for the continued evolution of MMOWGLI via an open source community user/developer model.

ONR intends to award this requirement as a sole source to Institute for the Future because the Institute for the Future (IFTF) has been involved in MMOWGLI since 2010 and has experience with facilitating large scale MMOWGLI game play. This includes all of ONR's games conducted under the MMOWGLI program: ONR's Somali Piracy MMOWGLI (June 2011), ONR's Global Piracy MMOWGLI (November 2011), and ONR/Navy Task Force Energy's energy MMOWGLI (May 2012).

The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code for this requirement is 518210 with the size standard of \$25 million. This notice of intent is not a request for proposals or quotes; however, all responsible sources may submit a quotation and technical capabilities, which, if received within fifteen calendar days of publication of this notice, shall be considered by ONR. All responses must be submitted to the Government point of contact at the email address shown below. A determination by the Government not to open the requirement to competition based upon the responses to this notice is solely within the discretion of the Government.

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