BAA Call N00014-23-S-BC07 Special Program Announcement for Office of Naval Research Research Opportunity: Space Industry Day

I. INTRODUCTION

This announcement describes a technology area, entitled Space Industry Day under the N00014-23-S-B001, Long Range Broad Agency Announcement for Navy and Marine Corps Science and Technology which can be found at https://www.nre.navy.mil/work-with-us/funding-opportunities/announcements. The submission of proposals, their evaluation and the placement of research contracts or agreements will be carried out as described in the above Long Range Broad Agency Announcement.

The purpose of this announcement is to focus attention of the scientific community on (1) the area to be studied, (2) Industry day for dialogue amongst those interested in this arena.

II. TOPIC DESCRIPTION

The Office of Naval Research (ONR) is seeking potential performers who are interested in pursuing future Research, Development, Testing & Evaluation (RDT&E) opportunities in Command, Control, Communications, Computers and Cyber (C5) functions associated with Intelligence, Surveillance, Reconnaissance, and Targeting (ISRT) applications from the space domain. To this end, ONR is interested in leveraging prior and current Science & Technology (S&T) investments made by our Industry partners independently, or in cooperation with US Government Agencies, or Service Laboratories.

The intent of this future S&T opportunity is to research, design, build rapid prototypes, and demonstrate innovative C5ISRT payloads that advance the state-of-the-art, and enable new warfighting capabilities for US Naval Forces. Specific program objectives, strategic goals, performer participation, and technology transition opportunities will be presented during an Industry Day hosted in the Washington, DC metro area.

III. Industry Day

ONR will hold an Industry Day on 02 May 2023 at 08:30-11:30, and a repeat presentation at 13:30-16:30. There is no registration fee for participation; however, individuals attending must have TS/SCI clearances and submit attendance requests. Industry participants may only attend one session, not both.

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- First Main Presentation: 02-May-2023 from 08:30-11:30 ET
- Second (Repeat) Main Presentation: 02-May-2023 from 13:30-16:30 ET
- 30 min 1v1 Q&A Sessions (first-come/first-serve basis): 03-May-2023 from 0800-16:30 ET
- Classification-level: TS/SCI
- Location: Johns Hopkins University (JHU) Advanced Physics Laboratory (APL), 11100 Johns Hopkins Road, Laurel, MD 20723-6099
- VAR Submission Instructions: Will need to register for Industry Day in order to receive submission instructions (CUI-level info)

Submit attendance requests to:

Kirk Ledbetter at JHU APL (<u>Kirk.Ledbetter@jhuapl.edu</u>) copy, <u>drew.mitsch@jhuapl.edu</u>, <u>heather.bulkin@jhuapl.edu</u>, Stephen.t.hughes.civ@us.navy.mil and charles.s.stein2.civ@us.navy.mil:

- Last Name, First Name, Citizenship, Organization
- > Email address & phone number

APL will pass VAR submission info & location directly to the individuals.

- Registration Deadline: 26-Apr-2023, 1700 ET
- VAR Submission Deadline: 26-Apr-2023, 1700 ET

Attendance is limited to 50 attendees per session, and will need to limit attendance to no more than four (4) participants per company. However, the Govt reserves the right to reduce if necessary in order to accommodate additional companies.

IV. Submission instructions and deadlines

During Industry day dates, times, and plans will be discussed and all submissions must be through the instructions within the ONR BAA N00014-23-S-BC07.

V. Small Business Subcontracting

As indicated in ONR Broad Agency Announcements large businesses and non-profit organizations must submit a subcontracting plan along with their research proposal. While large businesses and non-profits are responsible for making these subcontracting arrangements, ONR will help facilitate prime contractor/small business contracting connections by posting to the ONR external website contact information of small businesses that have indicated their subcontracting interests and technological niche for prime contractor consideration for this

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program. This is not an endorsement, but an effort by ONR to help bring these parties together to provide superior solutions.

If you are a small business, and your company is interested in subcontracting activities with large businesses and/or non-profits considering your technology for this program, please provide the following information by email, to the ONR Small Business Director at ellen.simonoff@navy.mil with the subject line, "SN N00014-23-S-BC07". Provide this information:

- 1) Company Name and Website
- 2) Individual (POC) name and POC email address
- 3) Business Size and socio-economic category
- 4) Brief Technology Description (no more than 3 sentences)
- 5) Technology Key Words (no more than 10 words)

Note: Do not include ANY proprietary or CLASSIFIED information. This information will be posted on the ONR website under this BAA call and will available to the public.

VI. POINTS OF CONTACT

In addition to the points of contact listed in N0014-23-S-BC007 the specific points of contact for this announcement are listed below:

Technical Points of Contact:

Shane Stein, Program Officer, charles.s.stein2.civ@us.navy.mil

Business Point of Contact/Contracting Officer:

Stephen Hughes, Contracting Officer, Stephen.t.hughes.civ@us.navy.mil

VII. SUBMISSION OF QUESTIONS

Questions procedures will be documented during the industry day.