

The Office of Naval Research (ONR) intends to issue Request for Proposal No. N00014-14-R-0004 for the continued operation of the Manufacturing Technology (ManTech) Program Naval Shipbuilding and Advanced Manufacturing Center of Excellence.

The ONR ManTech program has established Centers of Excellence (COE) in various technology areas in order to assist in the selection, development, and execution of ManTech projects. These COEs serve as focal points for the development and technology transfer of new and or improved manufacturing processes or products. Navy ManTech has an ongoing effort to develop and deploy shipbuilding and ship repair technology for key navel platforms. The following website provides additional information on the current center, information on active projects, and technical reports on completed projects: www.cnst.us. It is anticipated that the solicitation will result in an IDIQ contract with a minimum contract guarantee of \$125,000 and a maximum value of \$99,000,000. The ordering period will be 60 months. The North American Classification System Code (NAICS) is 541712.

It is anticipated that the RFP will be made available electronically on FedBizOpps. At this time, the solicitation is expected to be released on or about March 25, 2014 with a closing date or or about April 28, 2014. A set-aside is not anticipated for this action.

Interested parties are solely responsible for monitoring the above mentioned website for posting of the solicitation and any amendments thereto. The closing date will be established in the released RFP. Offerors must be registered in the System for Award Management (SAM) database to be considered for award. See www.sam.gov for further information and instructions on how to register:

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