

Question #	Document Reference	Question	Answer
1	RFP	As a Small Business offeror are we authorized to use a Large Business as a teammate that is not included on our BOA Attachment 0002?	No. An offeror shall use those teammates approved in their BOA Attachment 0002.
2	RFP	If a Small Business offeror is partnering with a Large Business, is the Large Business required to award all of the 39% Small Business goal to a Small Business? Can all of the 39% goal be awarded to a single Small Business?	It is the offeror's goal to award all or as much as possible of the 39% goal to Small Business. Yes, an offeror can award all 39% of the Small Business Participation goal to a single Small Business.
3	RFP	If a Small Business is not on the Large Business BOA Team, can the Small Business still be awarded the full 39%?	Yes, if it is for the purpose of meeting the Small Business Participation goal.
4	RFP	The current EAGLE evaluation method does not leave room for an offeror to demonstrate their efficiencies and innovative business methods.	An offeror can demonstrate their efficiencies through their proposed staffing and management approach, however the offeror must still meet the minimum FLC1 hours.
5	RFP	Is the Small Business requirement based on the total contract value or Small Business dollars?	The Small Business Participation goal of 39% is based on total contract value.
6	RFP	If a ship is deployed to an AOR for download, does the "fixed cell," warm-base, deploy with the ship?	Split operations will be necessary even if a simultaneous ship cycle is not occurring. Certain tasks will still need to be performed at ASLAC such as COSIS, receiving, shipping, environmental management, HAZMAT reporting, planning for future maintenance cycles, etc.
7	RFP	Is there going to be a future MRAP mission?	For the purpose of this solicitation, offerors shall propose to the requirements portrayed in the solicitation.
8	PWS Para. 5.10 Reimbursable Work	Does the Government assist in bringing additional cost-reimbursable work during periods where there is not a ship maintenance cycle?	Yes, the Government may assist with acquiring cost-reimbursable work from other Government activities during periods where there is no ship maintenance cycle. This will be further clarified in the final RFP.
9	PWS Para. 5.10 Reimbursable Work	Does ASLAC perform commercial work?	No, but in the past the contractor has been encouraged to bring in commercial work if it fits within the existing mission. Commercial work would be contingent upon higher headquarters coordination and approval.
10	Attachment 0002 - Staffing/Labor Mix	The modified best value approach does not allow an offeror to demonstrate all their capabilities since evaluation of the technical proposal is on an acceptable/unacceptable basis. How/where can an offeror demonstrate their unique approach?	An offeror can demonstrate their efficiencies through their proposed staffing and management approach, however the offeror must still meet the minimum FLC1 hours. (See answer to Question 4)
11	RFP	Is the manning solution at the offeror's discretion?	Yes; however, offeror's shall keep in mind the minimum FLC1 hour requirement as well as ensuring that its staffing solution provides all the required skill sets to perform the PWS requirements.
12	RFP	Since a grade is given to the Small Business component of the offeror's proposal, what is the evaluation of the criteria for a small business if the offeror themselves is a Small Business?	The evaluation criteria is the same for all offerors submitting a proposal in response to the RFP.
13	PWS Para. 5.10 Reimbursable Work	Is it acceptable to market the industrial capability of the Government organization (ASLAC) to industry to help attract more cost-reimbursable work to fill unused capacity during periods when there is no ship maintenance cycle?	Yes. See response to question 8.

14	RFP, Section A	Can the Government provide a more detailed definition of what is a subcontractor than that given in Section A of the Draft RFP?	The Government will further review the definition of a subcontractor and make appropriate revisions to that language in the final RFP.
15	RFP	Will costs for training such as contingency training, i.e. annual training be billable to the contract?	The definition for ODCs will be further clarified in the final RFP.
16	PWS Para. 1.3.6.13 Unforecasted Support Requirements	Is there any way to forecast to a degree those unforecasted support requirements outlined in the PWS?	This statement in the PWS is to make clear to the offeror that this is a requirement with a fluctuating workload. Any changes would be negotiated.
17	PWS Para 1.3.7.3.7 Licensing/Certification Program	In reference to PWS paragraph, 1.3.7.3.7 Government-owned and Government leased, contractor operated vehicles. It states that the driver training and the CDL license is at the Contractor's expense. Is it an ASC requirement that the contractors must have a CDL?	The Offeror must adhere to all applicable laws (Federal, State and local) during the performance of the PWS requirements and hire personnel with the appropriate credentials to perform the effort.
18	PWS Para 1.7.6 Facilities and Government Property Support	In reference to PWS paragraph, 1.7.6., what is the frequency of facility checks? This is not outlined in the PWS.	Facility checks are a daily requirement. This will be further clarified in the final PWS.
19	RFP	Is the Government going to allow the contractor to use the facility and GFE if other cost-reimbursable work is obtained?	Yes. But for the purposes of this RFP propose to the requirements provided in the RFP. This will be further clarified in the final RFP.
20	PWS Para. 5.10 Reimbursable Work	Will cost-reimbursable work be a separate contract? Does the contractor have to use the same rates proposed in the initial task order proposal for the cost-reimbursable work?	Cost-reimbursable work within scope of the requirement will be performed under the awarded contract and will be negotiated and funded by the customer at the time of execution.
21	RFP	What methodology and reference will the Government use to evaluate the acceptability of the SCA labor chosen for the FLC2 work?	It will be based upon the Independent Government Estimate and the requirements portrayed in the PWS.
22	RFP	In regards to the small business contracting plan, is meeting one percentage goal of the identified small business categories and not meeting other category goals detrimental to the offeror's proposal?	The Government will evaluate what the offeror is proposing and what the offeror has done in their past performance in the area of Small Business Participation.
23	RFP	There was much confusion over the workload data because it did not correspond with the PWS.	The Government will review the PWS and workload data to ensure that those documents crosswalk to one another. If revisions are necessary, the revised document(s) will be provided in the final RFP
24	Exhibit G, TE 1G-APS3-007-Facilities Asset Inventory	During the site visit tour there were several buildings that we just drove by that were indicated as having maintenance operations. This creates an acquisition environment of a pass-through situation for the incumbent because only the incumbent is knowledgeable of what is inside these buildings. This is a detriment to competition. Furthermore, it was very difficult to write down the specifics of the buildings we did walk through, such as how many bays there were, and square footage of the buildings. It would be helpful to receive a facilities listing.	The Government will review Exhibit G, TE 1G-APS3-007 - FACILITIES ASSET INVENTORY to determine if further clarification is required. If revisions are necessary, the revised document(s) will be provided in the final RFP

25	RFP	The workload data and current CLIN structure does not correspond to the PWS.	The Government will review the PWS and workload data to ensure that those documents crosswalk to one another. If revisions are necessary, the revised document(s) will be provided in the final RFP
26	RFP	Are there limits with adding Small Businesses to meet the Small Business requirement if the offeror is already a small business?	There are no limits with the number of Small Businesses used to meet the Small Business Participation goal.
27	RFP	Is the 109-day ship maintenance cycle considered a surge requirement?	No. A surge requirement is an unforecasted mission, whereas the ship maintenance cycle is a ramp-up in planned mission.
28	RFP	Does ASLAC perform canvas tent and tarp repair?	No.
29	Exhibit K - TE 3G-APS3-001 GFP Listing	We did not see a GFP List?	The GFP is provided as Exhibit K, if an Offeror did not receive, please notify the Government and it will resend this document.
30	PWS, Para. 5.10 Reimbursable Work	Will there be opportunities to seek out other work to help fill the unused capacity when there is not a ship maintenance cycle?	The Government requests that offerors propose only for the RFP requirements as stated in the RFP and supporting documents. Post-award the contractor will have the opportunity to seek out cost-reimbursable work. This will be further clarified in the final RFP.
31	Section B, Attachment 0005 - Cost/Price Matrix	Will the transition CLIN be evaluated and is it a FFP CLIN?	The transition-in CLIN is a FFP CLIN and will be evaluated.
32	Section M, M.5.2 Past Performance Factor	In regards to Past Performance, does the Government look at all contract references provided?	The Government evaluates all recent and relevant contract references the Offeror has provided on its BOA Attachment 0006 BOA Annual Review, and found within PPIRS. Recency and relevancy are defined for each unique task order under Section M.
33	RFP	What does the Government expect to see in the 15 pages allotted for the technical portion of the proposal given the amount of material included with the APS-3 Draft RFP ?	Offerors shall propose to the requirements of the RFP. The Government expects the Offeror to demonstrate it has an understanding of the requirements of this effort.
34	RFP	How can an offeror truly present an accurate picture of their proposed solution for such a large requirement given the 15 page limit for technical proposals?	The Government has reviewed the page limits required in the Staffing and Management Plan (SMP) and has determined 15 pages is appropriate. Offerors shall propose to the requirements of the RFP.
35	RFP	How can offerors present a detailed solution when the PWS is 130 pages and there is only 15 pages allotted for the technical proposal?	The modified best value strategy is a condensed approach. Offerors shall propose to the requirements of the RFP.
36	RFP	Can offerors use the cost proposal to further detail their technical solution?	No. Any content related to the offeror's technical proposal shall not be in other parts of the proposal, such as the cost proposal.
37	RFP	Can the Government increase the page limit allotted for the technical proposal?	No. The Government has reviewed the page limits required in the Staffing and Management Plan (SMP) and has determined 15 pages is appropriate. Offerors shall propose to the requirements of the RFP.

38	RFP	Can the contractor provide updated references for this task order?	No. However, the Government will be conducting its BOA annual review for all BOA holders within the Jul-Sep timeframe at which time offerors can submit additional references.
39	Section M, M.5.2 Past Performance Factor	Is the Government performing past performance using only the references the offeror has submitted?	No. Submittal of additional past performance references will not be allowed with the task order proposal. Additional past performance references shall be submitted during the BOA Annual Review process which will be completed by the end of September. Therefore, any new references submitted at that time will be available for the Past Performance evaluation on this task order. Per M.5.2.1, "The Government will assess the contract references provided in the Offeror's BOA proposal, the BOA annual review process, and task order proposals to data, and other information available from sources other than those identified by the Offeror, against the past performance evaluation criteria set forth below."
40	Attachment 0010 - Teaming Matrix	If the offeror adds subcontractors to their teaming arrangement can references for these subcontractors be submitted?	No, see response to question 41.
41	Past Performance Factor	Is there a way that the offeror can submit past performance references for those small businesses that we are using to meet the small business subcontracting goals? We want to demonstrate the excellent capabilities of our proposed small businesses.	Submittal of additional past performance references will not be allowed with the task order proposal. Additional past performance references shall be submitted during the BOA Annual Review process which will be completed by the end of September. Therefore, any new references submitted during the annual review process will be available for the Past Performance evaluation on this task order.
42	Small Business Participation Factor, Section L.5.5 Small Business Participation Factor and Section M.5.4	Does the Small Business goal of 39% encompass the percentage goals for each type of small business or are these percentage goals in addition to 39% Small Business goal?	The total Small Business Goal of 39% includes the percentage goals for each type of small business.
43	Exhibit C - TE-1G-APS3-003 APS3 Logistics Concept of Operations	Is there any way that the Government can further detail/explain the workflow during a ship maintenance cycle?	Please refer to the site visit ASLAC briefing, PWS 1.2.3 and Exhibit C TE-1G-APS3-003 APS3 LOGISTICS CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS.
44	RFP	Is it possible for the Government to provide a maintenance work order?	Please reference DA Form 2404 regarding maintenance work orders.
45	Exhibit K - TE 3G-APS3-001 GFP Listing	The GFE list does not clearly identify all the equipment.	The Government will review and modify the GFE list as necessary to ensure provided equipment is clearly identified. If revisions are required, a revised list will be provided with the final RFP.
46	PWS, Para. 5.9 Ammunition Operations	Is the Ammo portion of the ship maintenance cycle going to be part of this requirement?***	*** Due to OPSEC concerns, this answer will not be posted to the web. This answer was provided to all BOA holder's POCs via email on 21 July 2014.*** [REDACTED]
47	Attachment 0017 - Incentive Fee Plan	The incentive fee plan appears to be difficult to manage. Will this be changed?	There are no plans to change the Incentive Fee Plan at this time.
48	RFP	Is the base year at a warm base level of effort?	Yes, the base year workload data is for warm base operations.

49	Attachment 0002 - Staffing Labor Mix	Is the workload data provided for Option Year 1 consistent throughout the remaining option years?	For proposal purposes, the workload data for Option Year 1 will be consistent for Option Years 2-4.
50	Attachment 0002 - Staffing Labor Mix	Do you expect a surge in addition to the provided FTEs?	The APS-3 requirement is a fluctuating mission. For the purposes of this solicitation, an offeror is to propose to the requirements as stated in the RFP.
51	RFP	Would the Government expect the contractor to ramp-up above the provided requirements?	The APS-3 requirement is a fluctuating mission. For the purposes of this solicitation, an offeror is to propose to the requirements as stated in the RFP.
52	Small Business Participation Factor, Section L.5.5 Small Business Participation Factor and Section M.5.4	How does a contractor receive credit for the current requirement proposal for intending to use small businesses to meet future ramp-up requirements?	The offeror will be responsible for proposing both the base (warm) and option (ramp-up). Therefore, it should include its future small business needs to meet those requirements in its proposal.
53	RFP	What would be the ideal staffing mix for a small business when there is not one clear lane that could be staffed by the small business?	It is up to each offeror to determine what their ideal staffing mix is for small business.
54	RFP	The workload data is not aligned with the PWS, nor does it align with the maintenance, transportation, and supply requirements.	The Government will review the PWS and workload data to ensure that those documents crosswalk to one another. If revisions are necessary, the revised document(s) will be provided in the final RFP
55	Attachment 0002 - Staffing Labor Mix	Does the Government expect to change the workload data?	No. For proposal purposes the Government does not expect the workload to change. However, during execution, workload changes can be expected and each option period will be separately negotiated with the Contractor based on the workload.
56	RFP	How is the Government going to protect themselves against cost realism? The modified best-value approach is driven by low-price. This could result in "buy-in" situations. For example, an offeror may propose zero fee.	The Government will be conducting a cost realism analysis of those technically acceptable proposals that move to Step 3.
57	RFP	Is the maintenance scheduler an ODC?	The Government will be further clarifying the definition of ODCs for this requirement in the final RFP.
58	RFP	Will the four, ten-hour work days currently used by the offeror and ASLAC remain through the new contract?	Yes, unless a change to schedule is determined to better serve the mission.
59	RFP	What can the offeror do to make the Government's life easier?	The offerors should propose to only the requirements of the RFP and ensure all strict compliance areas are satisfied.
60	RFP	Is the current shipboard personnel bonus effective at retaining personnel?	The Government cannot discuss the current contract.
61	PWS Para. 5.1.1	Can the Government identify what the scheduling system should be or should be able to interface with? Or is the contractor beginning from ground zero?	PWS Paragraph 5.1.1 describes the required features for the automated scheduling system.
62	RFP	It appears that the contractor will be transitioning-in during a maintenance cycle with the current award date and transition period dates outlined in the ACC-RI brief, is this correct?	The Notice to Proceed will not necessarily be released immediately after contract award.

63	RFP	Are there differences in the standard work week when there is a maintenance cycle versus a warm-base period?	The 4 day work week of 40 hrs. is standard through the ship maintenance cycle unless a change would better serve the mission.
64	Exhibit D - TE 1G-APS3-004 APS-3 Ship Schedule	The current ship schedule reads that there is no download for the ASF-III Ship 1 and 2.	The schedule provided with the draft RFP indicates downloads for AFS-III, Ship 1 in Jan FY18; for ASF-III, Ship 2 downloads are scheduled in May FY18.
65	RFP	We recommend that the Government provide two organizational charts to reflect the differences between the warm base and Option Year 1 workload data. One organizational chart may not correctly capture these differences.	It is the Offeror's responsibility to communicate its Organization Structure IAW with the RFP. Two organizational charts are permitted to depict an Offeror's organization during a warm base period and another depicting the organization during a full mission workload period. The Government will be increasing the page limitation for this requirement from 4 pages to 6 pages accordingly.
66	PWS Para. 1.4.3	Does the offeror need to be compliant with ISO 9000 or be certified? This is not clear in the PWS.	The Government will revise PWS Paragraph 1.4.3 in the final PWS to clarify this discrepancy.
67	RFP	Is there a USAMMA mission for this requirement?	No.
68	RFP	Is there IT mission for this requirement?	No.
69	RFP	What is the IT mission for this requirement?	There is no separate IT mission.
70	RFP	Is there an EVMS requirement for this mission?	No, but there are CDRLs that require similar information. For example, CDRL A0005.
71	PWS Para. 1.7.17	Does the contractor provide security for the Wharf (Gate 9)? The security requirements are not clear in the requirement.	Please reference PWS paragraph 1.7.17 regarding Post 9 security requirements.
72	Attachment 0002 - Staffing/Labor Mix	The minimum level of effort is not clear. Does the Government intend for all offerors to bid at the same level of effort?	The Government intends for all offerors to submit bids meeting the minimum FLC1 hours. An increase from the minimum is at the offeror's discretion.
73	PWS Para. 5.10	We are not 100% clear on how to handle the sag/surge when there is/ is not a ship maintenance cycle?	Per PWS Paragraph 5.10, the contractor is encouraged to acquire cost-reimbursable work to fill unused capacity during periods when there is no ship maintenance cycle. The Contractor is expected to staff according to the workload level.
74	Attachment 0002 - Staffing/Labor Mix and Exhibit D - TE 1G-APS3-004 APS-3 Ship Schedule	Can the Government clarify the reason for the variances in shipboard hours between the base period and option year 1?	Please refer to the ship schedule for clarification.
75	RFP	How will the Government ensure cost reasonableness since the proposals are initially being ranked by price?	A cost realism analysis will be performed on offerors proposals of those technically acceptable proposals that move to Step 3.
76	Section M, M.4 Evaluation Methodology, Step 2	The way in which an offeror moves onto each step in the evaluation process was not clear, i.e. 5 or only 20%. What happens if there are 50 proposals, will it be five or 20% of the 50 proposals?	The Government will evaluate 5 or 20% (whichever is greater) of the proposals after proposals are listed according to total proposed price. For example, if 50 proposals were received, 10 proposals (20% of 50) would be evaluated.
77	RFP	Even though South Carolina is a right to work state and a CBA is not applicable, does the contract awardee have to honor a CBA if one currently exists for the current contract?	A CBA does not exist for the current contract.

78	RFP	How long does it take to download a ship?***	*** Due to OPSEC concerns, this answer will not be posted to the web. This answer was provided to all BOA holder's POCs via email on 21 July 2014.*** [REDACTED]
79	RFP	Are the load plans similar and consistent throughout the ship maintenance cycles?	The equipment to be downloaded/uploaded will vary but the process will be similar.
80	RFP and PWS Para. 5.11	Do shipboard personnel work a standard work week?	Shipboard personnel work a standard 40 hr. week.
81	RFP and PWS Para. 5.11	How many shipboard personnel are there?	The Contractor shall propose staffing for this requirement. Information from the current contract cannot be addressed.
82	RFP and PWS Para. 5.11	Do Shipboard personnel get the opportunity to physically leave the ship for purposes of taking leave?	The capability of physically leaving the ship exists most of the time. Ships are docked upon arriving at their destination.
83	RFP	In 2013, there were numerous newspaper articles that reported a sizeable workforce reduction at the ASLAC Goose Creek operation. Sequestration was referenced to be the cause. Have staffing levels and tempo of operations returned to pre-sequestration levels?	The Government cannot discuss the current contract.
84	General	Are funding issues still an area of concern?	At this time there are no funding issues.
85	Exhibit B - TE 1G-APS3-002 Minimum Functional Labor Category 1 Hours, RFP Section A - Supplemental Information, CLIN-Services-Period of Performance	Reference TE 1G-APS3-002 Minimum Functional Labor Category 1 hours for APS-3 Charleston, and RFP Section A - Supplemental Information, CLIN-SERVICES-PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE: Section A indicates a 365-day Base Period that includes a 60-day Transition Period. The referenced technical exhibit reflects limited minimum hours for the base period (i.e. less than 200,000 hrs.) for the maintenance, supply, and transportation functions compared to the option years (greater than 700,000 hrs.). If the base period is 365 days why doesn't the technical exhibit reflect minimum hours for numerous shop/function requirements for the three functional areas?	The TE 1G-APS3-002 does not include hours for the Transition Period and therefore it only represents a 10-month period of time for the Base Period. The level of workload determines the number of productive hours needed. See Exhibit D TE 1G-APS3-004 APS3 SHIP SCHEDULE.
86	General	What elements of the current contract are going well that the Government would like to see carried over to the new contract?	The Government cannot discuss the current contract.
87	General	What elements of the current contract are not as sound as the Government would like to see that can be carried over to the new contract?	The Government cannot discuss the current contract.
88	RFP	There are numerous technical exhibits and attachments referenced in Section J, many of which have not been provided, i.e., Attachment 0017 - Incentive Fee Plan. Will the missing documents be provided prior to the final RFP release?	The Government will resend these missing documents.
89	RFP, Section J	Section J does not list a Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA), is there a CBA in place on the current contract?	A CBA does not exist for the current contract.
90	Exhibit D -TE 1G-APS3-004 APS3 Ship Schedule	Are staffing levels maintained at a steady rate or are there large variances in staffing levels throughout the year on the contract? If there are large variances, please describe.	Staffing levels will vary based on the workload. See Exhibit D -TE 1G-APS3-004 APS3 SHIP SCHEDULE.

91	Exhibit L - TE 5G-APS3-001 Workload Guidance for Shipboard Maintenance, TE 1G-APS3-002 Minimum Functional Labor Category 1 Hours	Reference Exhibit L, TE 5G-APS3-002 Workload Guidance for Shipboard Maintenance, and TE 1G-APS3-002 Minimum Functional Labor Category 1 Hours for APS-3 Charleston. Are the workload and corresponding man-hour requirements in Exhibit L accounted for in TE 1G-APS3-001?	Yes.
92	Exhibit V - SOP 56-1, page 6, paragraph O	Reference Exhibit V - SOP 56-1, page 6, paragraph O. How many personnel make up a contact team? How many contact teams typically support offload/upload operations?	This is at the contractor's discretion.
93	RFP	How often are offload/upload operations performed at the State Port Authority North Charleston terminal?***	*** Due to OPSEC concerns, this answer will not be posted to the web. This answer was provided to all BOA holder's POCs via email on 21 July 2014.*** [REDACTED]
94	PWS Para. 4.1 Contractor Supplied Facilities and Equipment - General, Exhibit K-TE 3G-APS3-0001 GFP Listing	PWS Section 4.1 states, "The Government will not provide individual tools to be used by maintenance personnel under this effort.," yet there are some individual tools listed in Exhibit K-TE 3G-APS3-0001 GFP Listing. Please clarify what equipment/property the Government will provide.	The Government will not provide general mechanics' tools but will provide special tools required for Army equipment. The exception is for shipboard operations. The Government will provide all mechanics' tools, both general and special, for the shipboard personnel. (see para. 5.11.6.1 of the PWS). The Government will review the GFE list for further clarification. If necessary, the Government will provide a revised GFE list in the final RFP.
95	RFP	It was stated during the briefings that numerous changes to the workload would be made post-award. This invites buying-in during the competition because it leads an offeror to believe that renegotiation will take place.	The Government will be conducting a cost realism analysis to ensure cost reasonableness.
96	PWS Para. 1.7 Security	The security requirement of the PWS is unclear?	The Government will review the PWS (specifically paragraph 1.7) and workload data to ensure that those documents crosswalk to one another. If revisions are necessary, the revised document(s) will be provided in the final RFP.
97	RFP and Past Performance	Will an offeror be allowed to submit additional references for this task order?	No. However, the Government has scheduled for July an annual review for all BOA holders at which time offerors can submit additional references.
98	Attachment 0003 - Performance Questionnaire	How does an offeror fill out Attachment 0003 if there is no negative past performance to report?	The offeror shall indicate that there is no negative past performance to report on the Attachment 0003 and submit Attachment 0003 for itself, any teammates and subcontractors as required per the Strict Compliance guidelines.
99	Exhibit B - TE 1G-APS3-002 Minimum Functional Labor Category 1 Hours	It appears that the FLC1 hours do not capture all business administration functions, IT Support, stratification...etc. These hours do not capture all the other functions that are needed for this requirement.	The Government is reviewing the Minimum Functional Labor Category 1 Hours (Exhibit B TE 1G-APS3-002) but Offerors must keep in mind that these hours are not the total hours required to perform the PWS requirements. A certain number of FLC2 hours will also be required based on the Offeror's organizational concept.
100	RFP	The RFP does not present a clear definition of the requirement.	The Government will re-examine the definition of the requirement to ensure clarity.

101	PWS Para. 1.4.3 ISO 9001:2008	Is the offeror to be ISO compliant or certified? This is not clear in the PWS.	The Government will revise Paragraph 1.4.3 of the final PWS to further clarify this.
102	Exhibit J - TE 1G-APS3-009 CDRL Table, CDRL A0005 Cost/Schedule Status Report	CDRL A0005 should be a cost performance report not a cost schedule report.	The Government will review this and clarify if needed.
103	Attachment 0017 - Incentive Fee Plan	The CPIF plan is too basic. It does not address how costs will be addressed/tracked. How will the Government accurately adjust cost over/under runs. For example, what if the contractor is operating a cost underrun and receives additional work adding to the cost of the contract. Will the contractor have to absorb the costs since it appears that they have not reached the price ceiling of the contract because they are operating at a cost underrun.	The baseline would be renegotiated to reflect the increase in work. The Government will add language to the CPIF plan provided in the final RFP that further clarifies this.
104	Attachment 0017 - Incentive Fee Plan	The current percentages established for performance in the CPIF plan make it more beneficial for the contractor to only meet the minimum % of performance to gain the most financial gain. Is this really a good idea?	The Government will further review the CPIF plan.
105	Section M, M.5.2.9 Performance Confidence	Is the bar to meet substantial past performance high?	It is in the Government's best interest to award to a contractor who has demonstrated substantial confidence in past performance.
106	Attachment 0002 - Staffing /Labor Mix	On the SMP Plan, there is nothing in there that will allow the contractor to demonstrate their unique technical approach?	Offerors have the flexibility to propose how to best staff, manage, direct, control, and/or oversee the contracted operations provided the terms of the solicitation are met. Task orders include FAR clause 52.248-1 VALUE ENGINEERING to encourage continued innovation after award.
107	RFP	The current RFP does not cultivate an environment where an offeror can demonstrate their company's unique processes/approach.	Please see answer to question 106 above.
108	Exhibit L - TE 5G-APS3-001 Workload Guidance for Shipboard Maintenance	It is unclear in the workload data how many WEM's are needed/wanted.	The number of WEMs needed is addressed in Exhibit H TE 1G-APS3-008 KEY & SPECIFIED NON-KEY POSITIONS
109	Appendix L, Exhibit N - TE 5G-APS3-003 WARM BASE TASKS	Warm Base requirements should be further detailed in Appendix L.	The Government will review Appendix L. Warm Base requirements are identified in Exhibit N - TE 5G-APS3-003 WARM BASE TASKS
110	PWS Para. 1.7 Security	It is unclear how many security guards the Government wants.***	*** Due to OPSEC concerns, this answer will not be posted to the web. This answer was provided to all BOA holder's POCs via email on 21 July 2014.*** ██ ██ ██ ██ ██
111	RFP	The RFP does not clearly capture the mission.	The Government will review this and clarify if needed.

112	PWS Para. 1.7.2 Contractor Personnel Security	Does the PWS identify which contractor employees require a security clearance?	Yes. Please refer to Paragraph 1.7.2 of the PWS. Also, the security clearances required for different types of employees are referenced throughout the PWS.
113	RFP	How can an offeror demonstrate the capabilities of a small business that is not performing 20% or more of the work?	Offerors are allowed to propose the use of Small business that is not performing 20% or more of the work; however those subcontractors/teammates will not be evaluated for Past Performance
114	Attachment 0017 - Incentive Fee Plan	Is proposed fee for CPIF CLINs a straight multiplication of the cost by 5%? Or do offerors propose a target fee between 0-5%?	Offerors are to propose a target fee based on their proposed target cost. The allowable range for the Cost Incentive fee is from 0% to 5% of the target cost. The Government will further review the CPIF Plan and will revise accordingly.
115	Exhibit H - 1G-APS3-008 Key and Specified Non- Key Positions	Tech Exhibit 1G-APS3-008 (key positions) states that all key and specified non-key positions "should be staffed as full-time positions." What is the number of hours per year expected for a full-time position that is key or specified non-key?	It is at the offeror's discretion to determine hours per year based upon their company's financial disclosure statement and business practice.
116	Attachment 0005 - Cost/Price Matrix	CLIN Structure. We understand that maintenance, supply and transportation labor has a target fee to support an incentive fee strategy. Why is the O&O CLIN different?	The O&O CLIN is a Cost Plus Fixed Fee CLIN since it is funded separately from the regular APS-3 mission work and the type of work does not lend itself to an incentive fee.
117	RFP	Does the offeror need to list the key and specified non-key personnel by name in the proposal? Is it required in the staffing and management plan to describe their experience or qualifications?	For the purpose of this evaluation, the Government is not asking for this information. The contract awardee is required to provide qualifications and experience per CDRL A0008 after contract award.
118	RFP	Does the contractor support O&O on Airbase?	Yes. O&O is supported on Joint Base Charleston (PWS Paragraph 5.7).
119	RFP	How often does the contractor receive an update on status of Ammo Containers being "worked" by Navy Munitions Team?	Communications with ASLAC and the Navy are on an as needed basis.
120	RFP	Do all COMMEL personnel work in Lot 456 LAM currently?	No. There are 2 COMMEL shops. One on Lot 456 LAM and Bldg. 318. However, the contractor may be required as necessary to perform this work elsewhere on ASLAC as required.
121	General	Will we receive a copy of the Attendance Roster?	Yes. Offerors will not receive a list of the individual attendees but will receive a list of the companies represented.
122	RFP	Wharf Staging Area: Is this used both for loading and unloading?***	*** Due to OPSEC concerns, this answer will not be posted to the web. This answer was provided to all BOA holder's POCs via email on 21 July 2014.*** ██████
123	RFP	Is there private housing on base for contractors?	No. Housing is only open to DA Civilians and retired military.
124	PWS Para. 5.11 Shipboard Operations	Will contractor's be required to travel/work on ships/vessel?	Please reference the Shipboard requirement in the PWS, Paragraph 5.11.
125	RFP	Besides the Naval Weapons Station and APS-3, where else will contractors be required to support this project?	There is a deployment requirement that could potentially be anywhere in the World as directed by the Department of the Army.

126	PWS, Section C-6 Publications and Forms	What is the Maintenance Readiness Rate needed to be maintained? FPY Rate: _____	Per Army Regulation 750-1 as referenced in the PWS under Section C-6, the Army standard for the Maintenance Readiness rate is 95%. Assuming FPY stands for First Pass Yield, the minimum rate is 95%.
127	Exhibit K - TE 3G-APS3-001 GFP Listing	GFE: Are we required to maintain rail cars and locomotives?	The contractor is required to maintain rail cars. They are part of the GFE List, Exhibit K. Locomotives do not require maintenance.
128	PWS Para. 5.1.1 Maintenance Scheduling	PWS 5.1.1. What is the name of the standard commercial scheduling software product?	There is no Government standard commercial scheduling software product per the PWS. See the Government response to question 61.
129	RFP	Does a CBA apply to this requirement? The CBA is referenced numerous times throughout the RFP?	There is no CBA for this requirement. The Government will correct this.
130	Exhibit B - TE 1G-APS3-002 Minimum Functional Labor Category 1 Hours	There does not appear to be any workload data for O&O CLIN listed in the Excel Pricing template. Please clarify?	The productive hours cited on Exhibit B - TE 1G-APS3-002 MINIMUM FUNCTIONAL LABOR CATEGORY 1 HOURS is to be considered the workload.
131	Exhibit B - TE 1G-APS3-002 Minimum Functional Labor Category 1 Hours	What is the warm base requirement? There is an attachment but no mention or reference to section L or in the workload data?	The requirement is detailed in Exhibit B - Minimum Functional Labor Category, base year minimum productive hours.
132	PWS Para. 5.5 Deployment Operations	What is the deployment requirement? Please clarify.	The deployment requirement is outlined in Paragraph 5.5. Deployment Operations.