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June 14, 2024

- To: Interested Offerors
- Re.: Responses to Written Questions OPA-RFP-24-002 Website & Mobile Application Services

Hafa Adai! The Office of Public Accountability (OPA) is in receipt of written questions submitted by eWay Corp on June 11, 2024. The OPA's responses are noted below.

1. What is your budget for the project?

OPA Response: Please see the answer in Response to Written Questions #1. Our office spent \$17,760 (\$1,480 monthly) for our website and mobile application services last year. This will be a new contract, however, our budget for next year has not yet been approved by the Guam Legislature. Contract amounts for the next contract are subject to negotiations with the winning bidder.

2. Will you accept an electronic submission via email?

OPA Response: Please see item #9, Proposal Format and Content, in the RFP. All Proposals and Proposal Documents must be submitted in writing. Any proposals submitted after the above deadline will not be accepted. Submitted proposals must remain valid for at least ninety (90) days. In response to this RFP, both a sealed technical and a sealed price/fee proposal, containing the offerors' cost and pricing data, must be submitted concurrently.

3. Are you open to extending the deadline by a week to enable vendors' proposals?

<u>OPA Response</u>: We are unable to grant an extension at this time. The primary reason for this decision is that our current contract for these services is nearing its expiration. It is imperative that we adhere to the established timeline to ensure a timely completion of the procurement and prevent any potential interruption or transition of services.

This response does not revise any part of the Request for Proposals. The deadline for proposals remains at <u>no later than 3:00 p.m. Chamorro Standard Time, on Friday, June 14, 2024</u>.

Senseramente,

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