

Q2 2013 Quarterly Industry Meeting Center for IT Schedule Program

March 14, 2013



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Q2 2013 Quarterly Industry Meeting Kay Ely Director, Office of IT Schedule Programs

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### Today's Agenda

- GSA's Mission and Priorities
- ➤ IT Schedule 70: Leading By Example
- ➤ GSA: "Government's Savings Agency"
- > Q&A



### **GSA's Mission Statement**

"The mission of GSA is to deliver the best value in real estate, acquisition, and technology services to government and the American people"







### **GSA's Priorities**



Delivering Better Value & Savings



Making a More Sustainable Government



Serving Our Partners



Leading with Innovation



Expanding Opportunities For Small Business



Building a Stronger GSA



## Where are we Going in IT Schedule 70?

- Increase direct customer engagement
- Increase pricing visibility
- Continuing Low/No Sales Compliance Review
- Support strategic sourcing initiatives
- Enhancing small business participation
- Preparing for our transition to 18<sup>th</sup> and F





### Success through Partnership

- Customer Engagement
- Information Sharing





IT Schedule 70: Leading by Example Angela D. Jones
Director, IT Market Development Division

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## Making a More Sustainable Government

- Solicitation Refresh 31 released January 14, 2013 incorporated several clauses for sustainability
- GSA Advantage! Environmental Programs
- EPEAT Registry for Imaging: http://www.epeat.net
- Reducing GSA's carbon footprint Move to 18<sup>th</sup> and F



Making a More Sustainable Government



## **Leading with Innovation**

- Mobility/Telework
  - eContracting
  - Digitization
- Move to cloud
  - Gmail
  - Google Drive (file sharing)
- Expanding outreach
  - On Demand training
  - Webinars
  - Interact





## **Building a Stronger GSA**

- "Portfolio Approach" = Total Solution
  - ITS has added Acquisition Solution Architects
  - Utilize technology to share information within FAS and ITS
- Training
  - Professional development opportunities for our team



Building a Stronger GSA



## **Serving our Partners**

- Working with Industry to serve our Customers
- Increase our presence at Small Business Outreach events
- Building a more robust outreach program with vendors to set our vendors up for success
- State and Local Outreach Initiative
- > ITS Call Center



Serving Our Partners



### **More Support**

- IT Schedule 70 Helpline
  - IT.Center@gsa.gov
  - 1-877-446-4870
  - www.gsa.gov/schedule70
- Vendor Support Center
  - www.vsc.gsa.gov
- Regional GSA OSBUs
  - www.gsa.gov/smallbizsupport
- GSA Mission and Priorities
  - http://www.gsa.gov/portal/conte nt/100735

- GSA Interact Communities: Interact.gsa.gov
  - IT Schedule 70: https://interact.gsa.gov/group/it-schedule-70
  - Training : https://interact.gsa.gov/group/training
  - GSA State and Local: https://interact.gsa.gov/group/state-local
  - GSA Multiple Award Schedules: https://interact.gsa.gov/groups/multipleaward-schedules



GSA: Government's Savings Agency
Dennis Harrison
Director, Contract Cost & Price Analysis Division

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### **Delivering Better Value and Savings**

- Demand-Based Model: Indefinite hold
- MAS Modernization: Look at overall picture
  - Leverage the value of the program
  - Focus on data driven pricing, flexible contracting, enhanced customer service
- Pricing: Aggressively look at the price variability across Schedules/SINs
- Low/No Sales:
  - Better communications
  - Low/No Sales review process includes standard notifications providing outreach guidance



Delivering Better Value & Savings



### **Expanding Opportunities for Small Businesses**

- FAR Clauses are now included in our solicitation and contracts to facilitate small business set-asides
- New clause added to solicitation to accelerate payments to Small Business subcontractors (FAR 52.232-99)
- Websites are now updated to include information for vendors and customers for small business setasides
- Vendor Support Center (vsc.gsa.gov) provides training opportunities



Expanding
Opportunities
For Small
Business



## **Policy Update**

- Solicitation Refresh 31 released January 14, 2013
- Mass Modification A308 released January 15, 2013
- Key changes:
  - Streamlined solicitation to be more in-line with other GSA MAS solicitations
  - New pricelist clause no longer a set template
  - Added required environmental Ts&Cs; EPEAT
  - Updated SIN description for 132-53 Wireless Services: Clarified TAA for no-cost service-enabling devices
  - Added FAR 52.232-99 to accelerate payments to Small Business subcontractors





### **Questions?**

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