



Climate Finance for Development Accelerator (CFDA)

Indefinite Quantity Subcontract (IQS) Request for Proposals (RFP) # 2023-0008-RFP

Coastal Resilience, Carbon, and Conservation Finance Facility (C3F) Anchor Partner

Amendment No. 1

WHEREAS, Chemonics intention for this amendment is to amend 2023-0008-RFP, so unilaterally ordered and notice issued to those affected Offerors, and is effective August 2, 2023

I. BACKGROUND

- A. On July 17, 2023, Chemonics issued 2023-0008-RFP for the provision of an organization (referred to as the “Anchor Partner”) to lead the Coastal Resilience, Carbon, and Conservation Finance Facility (C3F) – a blue carbon and coastal resilience activity managed by CFDA – and to coordinate an associated community of practice.
- B. Chemonics hereby issues Amendment No. 1 to the RFP to revise language in the RFP in line with responses to questions received by prospective offerors by July 26, 2023 at 11:59pm EDT.

II. THE TEXT OF THE RFP IS MODIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

- A. By deleting the following text from page 6 of Section I.1 Chronological List of Proposal Events:**

“RFP released: July 17, 2023”

And replacing the text with:

“Original RFP issuance date: July 17, 2023
Amendment date: August 2, 2023”

- B. By deleting the following text from page 14 of Section II.2 Scope of Work:**

“The Anchor Partner should focus approximately 75 percent of its effort on leading C3F and approximately 25 percent of its effort on coordinating the community of practice.”

And replacing the text with:

“The Anchor Partner should focus approximately 75 percent of its effort on leading C3F and **no more than** 25 percent of its effort on coordinating the community of practice.”

- C. By deleting the following text from page 15 of Section II.2 Scope of Work:**

“2. Conduct remote rapid opportunity screening to evaluate, at a high-level, the feasibility of possible blue carbon and coastal resilience investments highlighted by Missions. The selected offeror will work with at least four USAID Missions to remotely conduct rapid opportunity screening (ROS).”

And replacing the text with:

“2. Conduct remote rapid opportunity screening to evaluate, at a high-level, where investible blue carbon or other coastal resilience projects could be developed. The selected offeror will work with at least four USAID Missions to remotely conduct rapid opportunity screening (ROS). The Anchor Partner will conduct one rapid opportunity screening per Mission.”

D. By deleting the following text from page 16 of Section II.2 Scope of Work:

“Offerors are encouraged to propose a strategy for the community of practice that aligns with the available financial resources (approximately 25 percent of the total subcontract value) and is complementary to C3F.”

And replacing the text with:

“Offerors are encouraged to propose a strategy for the community of practice that aligns with the available financial resources and is complementary to C3F. The budget for the community of practice must not exceed 25 percent of STO 1.

E. By deleting the following text from page 17 of Section II.5 Expected Deliverables:

Community of Practice		
7. Community of Practice Strategy	Brief 3-5 page slide deck strategy that aligns with the available financial resources (approximately 25 percent of the total subcontract value) and is complementary to C3F.	Within 45 days of award

And replacing the text with:

Community of Practice		
7. Community of Practice Strategy	Brief 3-5 page slide deck strategy that aligns with the available financial resources (no more than 25 percent of the total subcontract value) and is complementary to C3F.	Within 45 days of award

F. By adding Annex 5 – Indefinite Quantity Subcontract (Terms and Conditions)

See pages 39-67 of the RFP.

III. CONCLUSION

All other terms and conditions of the RFP remain in effect.

- End of Modification -