Interagency Readiness Solutions, LLC (IRS) is a Native Hawaiian Organization (NHO) owned 8(a), small disadvantaged business that specializes in providing professional services, program and project management, training/curriculum development and presentation, technical and subject matter consultation services. While IRS was originally established and operated as a Service Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB) in 2009, it entered the NHO 8(a) program in March 2016. Headquartered in St. Augustine Florida, IRS' core capabilities include a wide range of human resource, program and project management, Emergency Management (EM), Defense Support of Civil Authorities (DSCA), and Homeland Defense training and education, readiness and exercise support services that ultimately protect lives and property and enhance the operational readiness of the States, the Nation and our interagency partners.

As either a prime and subcontractor, Team IRS personnel have or currently provide professional services to Army Installation Management Command (IMCOM), National Guard Bureau (NGB), US Food and Drug Administration (FDA), the National Guard of the States and Territories, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), Regional Training Institute-Florida in support of Headquarters Department of the Army (HQDA) Protection Division, Joint Task Force Civil Support (JTF-CS) and other DoD, federal, state and local partners.

IRS' Experience and Past Performance: Our team's exemplary reputation is based on relevant, real-world experience and outstanding past performance that includes:

- Prime Contractor for Emergency Management Training and Exercise Support Services for Army Installation Management Command (IMCOM) Protection Division, Fort Sam Houston, TX
- Prime Contractor for Florida National Guard Army Emergency Management Training Program in support of Florida Regional Training Institute / Headquarters Department of the Army (HQDA) G3/5/7
- Prime Contractor for US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) National Incident Management System (NIMS) Support Services
- National Guard Joint Force Headquarters (JFHQs) State "all-hazards" planning, training and HSEEP aligned exercise support services
- Emergency Operations Center (EOC) / Joint Operations Center (JOC) Staffing, staff management, basic and advanced training and professional development
- Doctrinally and experientially based JFHQs / JTF-State Battle Staff and Dual Status Command (DSC) organization, leader training, exercise design and conduct
- Defense Support of Civil Authorities (DSCA) planning, consultation, and full-spectrum exercise development and conduct; all-hazards, on-site Pre and Post-Event Command and Control (C2) and Mission Command consultation support services
- National Guard Family Assistance Center (FAC), Survivor Outreach Services (SOS) and Military Funeral Honors (MFH) support services as well as a wide range of management, logistical, operations, financial, and administrative past performance

Our team's experience and performance demonstrate our ability to provide highly relevant professional services and proven readiness solutions, at the very best value. We are a full-service provider of organizational solutions, offering uniquely customized services that meet the budget and timeline demands of each of our clients.

Our Mission: To be a solutions centric company in which our employees value their role in exceeding customer expectations through Innovation, Experience, and Leadership

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Capabilities Statement

Contracting Information: As a Native Hawaiian Organization (NHO) owned 8(a), IRS offers significant contracting efficiencies, defined by law and regulation, to help Department of Defense (DoD) agencies resolve urgent and dynamic requirements. Through our ability to receive sole-source contracts above the 8(a) ceiling, IRS offers significant time and cost effectiveness to the government's contracting process. Coupled with the ingenuity and agility associated with small firms, NHO 8(a)s, such as IRS, have proven to be attractive vendors and business partners.

Applicable Federal Acquisition Regulations

No Sole Source Dollar Threshold - 13CFR124.506(b)(2). The DoD may award a direct award 8(a) contract to a concern owned and controlled by an NHO where the anticipated value of the procurement exceeds the applicable competitive thresholds if the SBA has not already accepted this requirement into the 8(a) BD program as a competitive procurement. NHOs provide a unique competitive advantage in being able to receive DoD direct awards of any size. This decreases time and cost in the procurement process and allows clients to work one on one with firms to ensure the needs of the government are met.

A Non-Protestable Sole Source Award -13CFR124.517(a). The eligibility of a Participant (NHO owned 8(a)) for a sole source or competitive 8(a) requirement may not be challenged by another Participant or any other party, either to SBA or any administrative forum as part of a bid or other contract protest.

The 5% Subcontracting Bonus- DFARS 252.226-7001. A DoD contractor who subcontracts with a firm that is 51% Native Hawaiian owned and recognized Native Hawaiian as defined by 25 USC 422(9) is entitled to receive an incentive payment equal to 5% of the amount of the subcontract award.

<u>Economically Disadvantaged - 13CFR124.110(c).</u> An NHO that meets the requirements set forth in paragraph (c)(1) & (c)(2) of this section is deemed economically disadvantaged.

Contracting with Interagency Readiness Solutions, LLC

Contracting with IRS is faster and less costly than traditional procurement methods. This process facilitates the ability to negotiate a fair and reasonable price in less time and fewer uncertainties than competitive bidding processes.

Basic Steps:

- 1. Develop a Statement of Work
- 2. Contact the SBA for acceptance of IRS direct award
- 3. Prepare an RFP and issue to IRS as an NHO owned 8(a)
- 4. IRS submits proposal in response to the RFP
- 5. Negotiate contract and award to IRS

IRS is an NHO 8(a) SDB with an active/current SAM registration. DUNS: 832138718 | CAGE Code: 5QXC5 | Primary NAICS: 541990

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