

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SOLE-SOURCE CONTRACT

INTENDED SOURCE: Arbinger Institute

RFQ: 75N96021Q00034

PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE: July 1, 2021- December 31, 2021

PLACE OF PERFORMANCE: Virtual

DESCRIPTION OF REQUIREMENT:

This contract action is for the acquisition of services for which the Government intends to solicit and negotiate with only one source under a GSA schedule in accordance with the authority of Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Subpart 8.405-6 – Limiting Sources. The National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS), Office of Acquisitions (OA) intends to award a sole source GSA task order to Arbinger Institute, 686 N Arbinger Way, Ste 200, Farmington, UT 84025 USA for outward mindset training. The NIEHS Division of Extramural Research and Training (DERT) leadership team seek training to learn to overcome an inward mindset. Arbinger Institute is the sole provider outward mindset training.

The applicable North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code for this acquisition is 611430 Professional and Management Development Training and a size standard of \$12 Million.

NIEHS will solicit and negotiate directly with Arbinger Institute and no solicitation will be issued. This notice of intent is not a request for competitive proposals or quotations; however, if an interested party believes they can meet the above requirement, it may submit a statement of capabilities. The statement of capabilities must be submitted in writing and must contain material in sufficient detail to allow the Government to determine if the party can perform the requirement. A determination by the Government not to compete this proposed requirement based on responses to this notice is solely within the discretion of the Government. All interested parties must express their interest and capabilities in writing via email to elizabeth.mcewen@nih.gov within ten (10) days after the date of publication of this notice. No faxed documents will be accepted. If no responsive statements are received within ten (10) days, an award will be made to Arbinger Institute.

Approval

Elizabeth McEwen, Contracting Officer

Date