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Public Notice

The Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) public meetings regarding the TNRCC's proposed remedies for two State Superfund Sites located north of Phalba, in southwestern Van Zandt County – the JCS Company State Superfund Site, located on County Road 2415, and the Jerrell B. Thompson State Superfund Site, located on County Road 2410 – HAVE BEEN POSTPONED.

The public meetings originally scheduled for Thursday, July 31, 1997, at 7:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. at Canton City Hall will be rescheduled at a later date. Notice of the rescheduling of the public meetings will be published in the *Texas Register* and the *Canton Herald*.

A file containing documents pertaining to both sites has been established at the Van Zandt County Public Library, 317 First Monday Lane in Canton, and is available for public reference.

For further information, please contact Bruce McAnally, TNRCC Community Relations Unit, in Austin at 1-800-633-9363.

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Panhandle Regional Planning Commission

Consultant Proposal Request

Notice of Invitation for Proposal

Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (PRPC) announces its Consultant Proposal Request pursuant to Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, Article 8252-11c, under the negotiation method to perform auditing. PRPC is soliciting proposals to perform services which will include three annual audits in accordance with the provisions of the Single Audit Act.

Detailed information regarding the project is set forth in the Request for Proposal Instructions which will be available on or after July 29, 1997, at the following location: Cindy Boone, CPA Director of Finance, Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, P.O. Box 9257, Amarillo, TX 79105

The deadline for submission of proposals in response to this request will be 5:00 p.m., on Friday August 15, 1997.

PRPC reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals submitted. PRPC is under no legal requirement to execute a resulting contract on the basis of this advertisement and intends the material provided only as a means of identifying the various contractual alternatives. PRPC will base its choice on demonstrated competence, qualifications, and evidence of superior conformance with criteria.

This RFP does not commit PRPC to pay any costs incurred prior to the execution of a contract. Issuance of this material in no way obligates PRPC to award a contract or pay any cost incurred in the preparation of a response. PRPC specifically reserves the right to vary all provisions set forth at any time prior to execution of a contract where PRPC feels it to be in its own best interest.

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Texas Department of Public Safety

Request for Proposals

INTRODUCTION: The Governor's Division of Emergency Management (DEM), is requesting proposals for Hazardous Materials Equipment purchase grants to be awarded to local jurisdictions to aid them in establishing a hazardous materials response team.

DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITIES: Jurisdictions may be provided a reimbursement for the purchase of hazardous materials response suits and detection equipment or the items will be provided to them at the option of the State. The jurisdiction will need to equip the team for response to hazardous materials incidents, which includes decontamination equipment, control and containment equipment, and items necessary to plug, patch, and otherwise stop the leak. Eligible purchases include:

Detection equipment may include but not limited to equipment that detects for combustible gas, oxygen deficiency, carbon monoxide, sulfur dioxide, nitrous oxide, nitrogen peroxide, hydrogen sulfide, chlorine and toxicological agents. Note that are some detectors that will perform multiple functions that are available.

Chemical protective suits include an assortment of Level A suits that will best meet the needs of the local jurisdiction.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS: Each proposal must be initiated by a local jurisdiction (City/County) or department that the hazmat team will be formed within. The requester must arrange for a city or county to serve as its fiscal agent for management of any and all Moines awarded under this grant.

CERTIFICATION: The fiscal agent must provide certification to commit funds for this project. The certification must be in the form of an enabling resolution from the county or authorization to commit funds from the city as appropriate.

BUDGET LIMITATIONS: Total funding for these grants comes from a grant to the State of Texas from the Federal Emergency Management Agency. At least Sixty Thousand dollars is available for distribution to local jurisdictions. Grants will be awarded based on population, HazMat risk, need, and cost effectiveness as judged by DEM.

CONTRACT PERIOD. Grant contracts begin as early as September 1, 1997 and end September 30, 1997.

FINAL SELECTION. The DEM shall review the proposals. DEM shall award the grants so as to maximize the benefits to the public.