

May 3, 2017

**CONTRACT NO. 4400010654
RETAINER CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL SUBSURFACE UTILITY
ENGINEERING (SUE) SERVICES
STATEWIDE**

Q1. Can sub-consultants provide some equipment and personnel for this contract?

A1. No. Per the advertisement, “Sub-Consultants will not be considered in this selection. If there is any conflicting language in this advertisement, the immediately preceding sentence controls.”

Q2. MPR No. 1 and No. 2 are asking for a Principal/Responsible member to be a PE and PLS (respectively). Is there any particular reasoning for this? It seems as though these two could be combined to state that the prime must employ a PE or PLS who is a Principal/responsible member?

A2. Being that this advertisement does have surveying as one of the scope elements it is normal for a PLS to be a Principle or a responsible member of the firm.

Same can be said for the SUE portion, but some elements of SUE are considered as design functions therefore a P.E. should be Principle or a responsible member of the firm.