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STATE OF MONTANA
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL ADDENDUM
RFP NO.: 10-1658L
TO BE OPENED: WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2009
TITLE: BROADBAND MAPPING - MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

ADDENDUM NO. 2

To All Offerors:

Attached is a federal change to the NTIA's State Broadband Data and Development Grant Program. The Federal Register notification, dated September 10, 2009, identifies program changes related to its plan for grant funding. The notice states NTIA has, at this time determined, it will fund mapping and data collection efforts for two years rather than five years. NTIA will assess lessons learned, determine best practices, and investigate opportunities for improved data collection after the two year period before obligating funding for subsequent years.

This update does not change the RFP Scope or the two-year Initial Term. However, it reinforces the language within Section 1.1 that future renewals are contingent upon available funding and adds the provision that renewals are also contingent on the NTIA's assessment as stated above.

All other terms of the subject "Request for Proposal" are to remain as previously stated.

Acknowledgment of Addendum:

The offeror for this solicitation must acknowledge receipt of this addendum. This page must be submitted at the time set for the proposal opening or the proposal may be disqualified from further consideration.

I acknowledge receipt of Addendum No. 2.

Signed: _____

Company Name: _____

Date: _____

Sincerely,

Jill M. Lotter,
Contracts Officer

species-specific dealer-reported information. Reducing the number of unknown and improperly identified sharks will improve quota monitoring and the data used in stock assessments. These workshops will train shark dealer permit holders or their proxies to properly identify Atlantic shark carcasses.

Protected Species Safe Handling, Release, and Identification Workshops

Since January 1, 2007, shark limited access and swordfish limited access permit holders who fish with longline or gillnet gear, have been required to submit a copy of their Protected Species Safe Handling, Release, and Identification Workshop certificate in order to renew either permit (71 FR 58057; October 2, 2006). These certificate(s) are valid for three years. As such, vessel owners who have not already attended a workshop and received a NMFS certificate, or vessel owners whose certificate(s) are due to expire in 2009, must attend one of the workshops offered in 2009 to fish with, or renew, their swordfish and shark limited access permits. Additionally, new shark and swordfish limited access permit applicants who intend to fish with longline or gillnet gear must attend a Protected Species Safe Handling, Release, and Identification Workshop and submit a copy of their workshop certificate before either of the permits will be issued.

In addition to certifying permit holders, all longline and gillnet vessel operators fishing on a vessel issued a limited access swordfish or limited access shark permit are required to attend a Protected Species Safe Handling, Release, and Identification Workshop and receive a certificate. The certificate(s) are valid for three years. Vessels that have been issued a limited access swordfish or limited access shark permit may not fish unless both the vessel owner and operator have valid workshop certificates onboard at all times. Approximately 70 free Protected Species Safe Handling, Release, and Identification Workshops have been conducted since 2006.

Workshop Dates, Times, and Locations

1. October 14, 2009, from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., Hilton Garden Inn, 1101 U.S. Highway 231, Panama City, FL 32405.
2. October 28, 2009, from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., Hilton Garden Inn, 5353 North Virginia Dare Trail, Kitty Hawk, NC 27949.
3. November 11, 2009, from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., Hilton Garden Inn (at Providence airport), 1 Thurber Street, Warwick, RI 02886.
4. November 18, 2009, from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., Magnolia Plantation Hotel, 16391 Robinson Road, Gulfport, MS 39503.
5. December 1, 2009, from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., Days Inn (Midtown), 3224 South U.S. Highway 1, Fort Pierce, FL 34982.
6. December 16, 2009, from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., Holiday Inn, 3845 Veterans Memorial Highway, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779.

Registration

To register for a scheduled Protected Species Safe Handling, Release, and Identification Workshop, please contact Angler Conservation Education at (386) 852–9137, 1640 Mason Avenue, Daytona Beach, FL 32117.

Registration Materials

To ensure that workshop certificates are linked to the correct permits, participants will need to bring the following items with them to the workshop:

Individual vessel owners must bring a copy of the appropriate permit(s), a copy of the vessel registration or documentation, and proof of identification.

Representatives of a business owned or co-owned vessel must bring proof that the individual is an agent of the business (such as articles of incorporation), a copy of the applicable permit(s), and proof of identification.

Vessel operators must bring proof of identification.

Workshop Objectives

The protected species safe handling, release, and identification workshops are designed to teach longline and gillnet fishermen the required techniques for the safe handling and release of entangled and/or hooked protected species, such as sea turtles, marine mammals, and smalltooth sawfish. The proper identification of protected species will also be taught at these workshops in an effort to improve reporting. Additionally, individuals attending these workshops will gain a better understanding of the requirements for participating in these fisheries. The overall goal of these workshops is to provide participants with the skills needed to reduce the mortality of protected species, which may prevent additional regulations on these fisheries in the future.

Grandfathered Permit Holders

Participants in the industry-sponsored workshops on safe handling and release of sea turtles that were held in Orlando, FL (April 8, 2005) and in New Orleans, LA (June 27, 2005) were issued a NOAA workshop certificate in December 2006 that is valid for three years. These workshop certificates may be expiring in 2009. Vessel owners and operators whose certificates expire prior to permit renewal in 2009 must attend a workshop, successfully complete the course, and obtain a new certificate in order to renew their limited access shark and limited access swordfish permits. Failure to provide a valid NOAA workshop certificate could result in a permit denial.

Dated: September 3, 2009.

Alan D. Risenhoover,

Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Telecommunications and Information Administration

[Docket No. 0908061222–91268–03]

RIN 0660–ZA29

State Broadband Data and Development Grant Program

AGENCY: National Telecommunications and Information Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of funds availability; clarification of period of performance.

SUMMARY: The National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA), U.S. Department of Commerce, publishes this Notice to provide clarification regarding the period of performance for awards under the State Broadband Data and Development Grant Program as set forth in the Notice of Funds Availability and Solicitation of Applications (NOFA) published on July 8, 2009.

DATES: NTIA implements this notice as of September 10, 2009. All amended budgets *must* be submitted to NTIA no later than 11:59 p.m. ET on September 15, 2009, as more fully described in this Notice.

ADDRESSES: All amended budgets must be submitted through the online Grants.gov system. NTIA requests that Applicants also submit a courtesy copy to *broadbandmapping@ntia.doc.gov*.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Anne W. Neville, Program Director, State Broadband Data and Development Grant Program, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW., Room 4716, Washington, DC

20230; by telephone at (202) 482–4949 or via electronic mail at *broadbandmapping@ntia.doc.gov.* Information about the State Broadband Data and Development Grant Program can also be obtained electronically via the Internet at *http://www.broadbandusa.gov/broadband_mapping.htm.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On July 8, 2009, NTIA published a Notice of Funds Availability (NOFA) in the **Federal Register** to announce the availability of funds for the State Broadband Data and Development Grant Program pursuant to the authority provided in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act), Public Law 111–5, 123 Stat. 115 (2009), and the Broadband Data Improvement Act (BDIA), Title I, Public Law 110–385, 122 Stat. 4096 (2008).[1] In the NOFA, NTIA provided that the period of performance for awards under the Program would be five years from the date of award.[2]

NTIA's highest priority with respect to this Program is to facilitate the development and maintenance of a national broadband map. The Agency seeks to develop the map in such a way that encourages continually improved data collection efforts while maintaining fiscal responsibility, resulting in a map that meets the requirements of Congress and the needs of all stakeholders, including policymakers and consumers. To that end, NTIA has determined that it will at this time fund mapping and data collection efforts for two years and will assess lessons learned, determine best practices, and investigate opportunities for improved data collection prior to obligating funding for subsequent years. NTIA now clarifies that the initial period of performance for funds allocated to Broadband Mapping purposes will be two (2) years from the date of award and any subsequent funding will be subject to and contingent upon the agency's review of program priorities and the availability of funds.

NTIA will review and negotiate awards based on the five-year budget that applicants have already submitted. In light of this clarification, however, NTIA will allow an applicant to submit a new budget on SF 424A reflecting any revisions necessary for the first two years of the award period (2009–2010, 2010–2011). Any revised budget must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m. on September 15, 2009, through the online Grants.gov system. NTIA requests that Applicants also submit a courtesy copy to *broadbandmapping@ntia.doc.gov.*

The period of performance for funds allocated to Broadband Planning purposes will remain five (5) years from the date of award. All other requirements provided in the Notice published on July 8, 2009, remain unchanged.

Dated: September 4, 2009.

Lawrence E. Strickling,

Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information.

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[1] State Broadband Data and Development Grant Program, *Notice of Funds Availability and Solicitation of Applications,* 74 FR 32545 (July 8, 2009) (NOFA).

[2] 74 FR 32550.

COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Global Markets Advisory Committee Meeting

The Commission's Global Markets Advisory Committee will conduct a public meeting on September 30, 2009. The meeting will take place in the first floor hearing room of the Commission's Washington, DC headquarters, Three Lafayette Centre, 1155 21st Street NW., Washington, DC 20581 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. There will also be a live broadcast of the meeting via webcast. To view the live webcast from a desktop PC with Internet access go to *http://www.cftc.gov.*

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss global markets issues related to the Commission's regulatory responsibilities. The meeting will be chaired by Commissioner Jill Sommers who is Chairman of the Global Markets Advisory Committee.

The agenda will consist of the following:

- Opening Remarks from Commissioners/Introduction of GMAC Members.
- Update on IOSCO Issues.
- Bankruptcy Issues—CFTC/UK FSA/Lehman Brothers.
- Overview of Treasury Proposal to Regulate OTC Derivatives/CFTC Legislative Language.
- Presentation by UK FSA on OTC Derivatives.
- New Business.

The meeting is open to the public. Any member of the public who wishes to file a written statement with the committee should mail a copy of the statement to the *attention of:* Global Markets Advisory Committee, c/o Commissioner Jill Sommers, Three Lafayette Centre, 1155 21st Street NW., Washington, DC 20581, before the meeting. Members of the public who wish to make oral statements should inform Commissioner Sommers in writing at the foregoing address at least three business days before the meeting. Reasonable provision will be made, if time permits, for oral presentations of no more than five minutes each in duration.

For further information concerning this meeting, please contact Andrew Morton at 202–418–5030.

Issued by the Commission in Washington, DC on September 4, 2009.

David A. Stawick,

Secretary of the Commission.

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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

[CPSC Docket No. 09–C0034]

Hill Sportswear, Inc., Provisional Acceptance of a Settlement Agreement and Order

AGENCY: Consumer Product Safety Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: It is the policy of the Commission to publish settlements which it provisionally accepts under the Consumer Product Safety Act in the **Federal Register** in accordance with the terms of 16 CFR 1118.20(e). Published below is a provisionally accepted Settlement Agreement with Hill Sportswear, Inc., containing a civil penalty of $100,000.00. Commissioner Nancy Nord issued a statement that is available on the Commission's Web site, *http://www.cpsc.gov.*

DATES: Any interested person may ask the Commission not to accept this agreement or otherwise comment on its contents by filing a written request with the Office of the Secretary by September 25, 2009.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to comment on this Settlement Agreement should send written comments to the Comment 09–C0034, Office of the Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 4330 East-West Highway, Room 502, Bethesda, Maryland 20814–4408.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Seth B. Popkin, Lead Trial Attorney, Division of Compliance, Office of the General Counsel, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 4330 East-West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland 20814–4408; telephone (301) 504–7612 and Renee K. Haslett, Trial Attorney, (same address); telephone (301) 504–7673.