

**Request for Proposals**  
**Alabama State Port Authority - RFP Number: ASPA 42-017**  
**CRANES & HEAVY STRUCTURAL ON-CALL ENGINEERING SERVICES**

The Alabama State Port Authority (ASPA) is seeking the services of a professional licensed engineering firm to provide on-call engineering services for its cranes, large bulk handling equipment and heavy structural items. The services of the engineering firm will focus primarily on ASPA's McDuffie Coal Handling Terminal, Pinto Steel Slab Handling Facility and the General Cargo & Intermodal Department's Container and Gottwald heavy cargo cranes. To facilitate the review and award, the Request for Qualifications (RFQ) and Request for Proposals (RFP) are combined into one step, hereinafter referred to as Request for Proposal (RFP).

These professional engineering services are required for multiple specific task orders issued as a need arises throughout the duration of the Agreement. The Agreement will be treated as a Yearly Service Contract with four (4) possible annual renewals (maximum 5 year total duration). The limiting value of the annual service period will be \$200,000.

Samples of potential task orders include but are not limited to:

- Engineering Studies for facility development, operational improvements and equipment purchases
- Preparation of crane and specialized large equipment procurement specifications
- Damage surveys of structural and mechanical equipment/structures
- Engineering services as necessary to restore damaged equipment and structures to safe operational mode
- Coordinating the installation/repair of operating equipment with plant and maintenance personnel and outside contractors
- Assisting with the start-up of new equipment and trouble-shooting problems with existing equipment
- Providing technical support for ASPA engineers, plant maintenance and plant production personnel
- Preparation of drawings and/or specifications for plant in-house fabrication work; outsourcing fabrication work; and construction contractor work
- Managing a project or task from conception to completion, or any portion thereof, including studies; cost estimating; equipment selection; schedule development and control; preparation of bid packages along with bid evaluation and selection; and construction, erection, installation and commissioning oversight.

Professional engineering firms interested in submitting a response to this RFP may obtain the full package for this solicitation by emailing a request to the POC, Peter Olivero, PE, Facilities Engineer at [polivero@asdd.com](mailto:polivero@asdd.com). Questions related to the RFP may be submitted to the Point of Contact (POC) no later than July 14, 2017. Answers will be posted by July 21, 2017. Responses to the RFP shall be submitted no later than 5:00 pm, CDT, July 28, 2017 to Peter Olivero, PE, Alabama State Port Authority, 1400 ASD Boulevard, Administration Building, Suite 216, Mobile, AL 36602.