

Ms. Heather Crain
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**RE: RFP NO. 75482034 – REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) FOR ENVIRONMENTAL
CONSULTING SERVICES**

Dear Ms. Crain:

Ramboll Americas Engineering Solutions, Inc. (Ramboll) is pleased to present this proposal to provide environmental services to the Livingston Parish Government to support the implementation of various grant projects funded through the Louisiana Division of Administration, Office of Community Development (OCD) utilizing Community Development Block Grant-Mitigation (CDBG-MIT) funds for mitigation projects under the Louisiana Watershed Initiative. As may be requested, Ramboll would be pleased to provide further environmental services to Livingston Parish Government in connection with the Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA) Programs - Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC), Flood Mitigation Assistance Program (FMA), and the HUD Community Development Block Group Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR), and other similar grant and disaster recovery programs.

Ramboll's staff includes a distinctively qualified team of professionals to assist the Livingston Parish Government with National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) compliant environmental reviews in accordance with 24 CFR Part 58 as required for projects funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Community Development Block Grant-Mitigation (CDBG-MIT), as well as stakeholder engagement, environmental studies and permitting.

Our technical proposal demonstrates our background and vast experience, our approach and methodology for the services anticipated, and the unmatched qualifications of our proposed staff. The majority of our staff are local and includes highly experienced NEPA and environmental practitioners who have been successfully providing the requested services to similar clients over the last fifteen (15) plus years, relying on our technical expertise, the quality of work products as well as our timeliness of delivery on complex assignments. Our proposed schedule and completion timeframes, exhibit how our team can add value to the Parish and the engineering team's operations. We propose to negotiate a financial compensation that is highly competitive on both an hourly rate basis and fixed sum basis for the various types of services and deliverables.

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As required in the RFP, Ramboll affirms the following:

- Ramboll has a full understanding of the types of environmental services pertinent to the CDBG funded activities subject 24 CFR Part as well as potential additional programs.
- Ramboll and our compendium of technical professionals are properly licensed and credentialed to practice in the State of Louisiana.
- Ramboll has not engaged in any unethical practices within the last five (5) years.
- Ramboll acknowledges and accepts complete responsibility for the entire contract, if awarded, including payment of any and all charges resulting from the contract.
- The letter and RFP response is made under signature of an individual who is authorized to provide information of this nature in the name of the Respondent submitting to the RFP.

Ramboll is a proven and trusted advisor. Our qualifications are demonstrated by the fact that we have been providing these same services in Louisiana since 2007 with a solid track record of outstanding performance, judgment, integrity, and economy. We envision ourselves as extensions of the Livingston Parish Government's staff and team members, proud to have served the citizens of Louisiana in a professional and expeditious manner. While the timeliness, quality and compliance history of our environmental reviews and various types of environmental reports are well known within LA OCD and HUD, we are committed to exceed your expectations for consulting services and compliance in support of the parish's mitigation projects. What sets Ramboll apart in terms of added value is our proven ability to provide regulatory, strategic and innovative solutions to unforeseen events and challenges. As an authorized agent of Ramboll Americas Engineering Solutions, Inc., I am pleased to submit this response to Livingston Parish RFP No. 75482034, documenting our capabilities and offering our services to the Livingston Parish Government.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Burke J. Brooks, III".

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