

**NMUSAF SOLICITATION 19-001
PROPOSAL INFORMATION**

PROPOSAL NUMBER: NMUSAFS 19-001

SOLICITATION SUMMARY: The items below are offered in exchange for items/services (or value thereof) that will benefit the USAF's National Historical Collection.

The National Museum of the United States Air Force (NMUSAF) is authorized by Title 10 of the US Code Section 2572 to offer items not needed by the museum for items or services that will benefit the USAF's National Historical Collection. The NMUSAF may disposition excess museum items through a documented exchange process, but not by direct sale.

Items and services of interest may include: rare aircraft, engines, other artifacts; or restoration, transportation, conservation, or educational items or services.

PROPERTY OFFERED:

1943 Fairchild PT-26 (M-62A-4, S/N FC-120) aircraft project, owned by the National Museum of the United States Air Force (NMUSAF) and determined excess to collection needs. Aircraft has a Ranger engine and is not airworthy or suitable for flight purposes. Legacy maintenance log books are available for the aircraft upon physical inspection.

1949 Consolidated Vultee L-13A (S/N 47-323) aircraft project, owned by the National Museum of the United States Air Force (NMUSAF) and determined excess to collection needs. Aircraft has a Franklin engine and is not airworthy or suitable for flight purposes. Legacy maintenance log books are available for the aircraft upon physical inspection.

1947 Luscombe 8A (S/N 4812) aircraft project, owned by the National Museum of the United States Air Force (NMUSAF) and determined excess to collection needs. Aircraft has a Continental engine and is not airworthy or suitable for flight purposes. No maintenance log books are available for the aircraft.

1941 Ercoupe 415-C (S/N 86) aircraft project, owned by the National Museum of the United States Air Force (NMUSAF) and determined excess to collection needs. Aircraft has a Continental engine and is not airworthy or suitable for flight purposes. No maintenance log books are available for the aircraft.

1976 Corben Super Ace aircraft project, owned by the National Museum of the United States Air Force (NMUSAF) and determined excess to collection needs. Aircraft has an automotive engine and is not airworthy or suitable for flight purposes. No maintenance log books are available for the aircraft.

CLOSING DATE/TIME: 26 April 2019, 1600 Hours Daylight Savings Time (4:00 PM EDT)

PROPOSAL SUBMISSION (Phone, Fax, and Email proposals are not acceptable):

Bidders should submit proposals on the form provided (see Attachment 1), signed by the Bidder or an authorized representative. Proposals should include a monetary value for the item(s) offered or propose an item/service with an estimated monetary value for the item(s) offered, and must also include:

- Completed DLA Form 1822, "End Use Certificate" (EUC) (see Attachment 2). The EUC must be fully completed by all applicants for property classified as United States Munitions List items (USML)/Commerce Control List Items (CCLI) prior to acceptance by the U.S. Government and constitutes an integral part of this bid. The information given must be true and correct and will become a part of this contract. Every block **MUST** have an entry. Refer to Attachment 3 for further instructions.

- Copy (front and back) of one of the following personal identification of the individual signing EUC: U.S. government I.D., U.S. passport, valid driver's license, state government ID card, green card, visa, naturalization papers.

DISCLAIMER: NMUSAF requires that a EUC be accomplished regardless of classification of property offered for exchange, for accountability and records purposes.

Proposal submissions should be clearly marked as "NMUSAFS 19-001" and mailed to the following address: NMUSAF/MU, 1100 Spaatz Street, Wright-Patterson AFB OH 45433-7102.

Proposals must be valid for a six-month period commencing on 26 April 2019.

INSPECTION: The Bidder is invited, urged, and cautioned to inspect the property prior to submitting an exchange bid. Property will be staged and accessible for physical inspection. **Property will be available for inspection by appointment on 4-5, 11-12, & 18-19 April 2019.**

TO SCHEDULE APPOINTMENT: Please contact Luke Liming at luke.liming@us.af.mil or (937) 255-4754 to set up an appointment date/time to inspect the aircraft. Email contact is preferable when scheduling. Please put "NMUSAFS 19-001" in the subject line of your email.

PHYSICAL LOCATION: National Museum of the USAF, Wright-Patterson AFB OH.

CONDITION OF PROPERTY: All property listed is offered for exchange "as is" and "where is". The Government makes no warranty, express or implied, as to quantity, kind, character, quality, weight, size, or description of any of the property, or its fitness for any use or purpose.

Bidder (Exchanger) is responsible for all efforts involving the movement (i.e., packaging, handling, shipping, transportation, and any related cleanup) of the property from the physical location to their facility. NMUSAF will provide a point of contact to the Exchanger to arrange access for movement.

TRADE SECURITY CONTROL REQUIREMENTS: The use, disposition, export and re-export of this property may be subject to all applicable U.S. laws and regulations. Export or re-export of this property may be subject to the requirements of the appropriate licensing agency. The Exchanger is responsible to determine what the applicable requirements may be and obtain any necessary authorizations or approvals from the office of Defense Trade Controls, Department of State; and/or the Bureau of Export Administration, Department of Commerce.

CONSIDERATION OF PROPOSALS: Proposals and modifications thereof, must be in the possession of the NMUSAF prior to 1600 hours (4:00 PM EDT) on 26 April 2019. The Bidder agrees that their proposal will not be withdrawn within the six-month period specified and that during such period their proposal will remain firm and irrevocable. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, including proposals under which a Bidder would take unfair advantage of the Government or other Bidders.

MODIFICATION OR WITHDRAWAL OF PROPOSALS: Proposals may be modified or withdrawn prior to the closing date by written or email notice and may also be withdrawn in person by a Bidder or their authorized representative, provided their identity is made known and they sign a receipt for the proposal.

CONSIDERATION OF LATE PROPOSALS OR MODIFICATIONS: Any proposals or modifications received after the closing date and time will NOT be considered.

ORAL STATEMENTS AND MODIFICATIONS: Any oral statement or representation by any representative of the Government, changing or supplementing this solicitation or any condition thereof, is unauthorized and shall confer no right upon the Bidder. Further, no interpretation of any provision of the exchange, including applicable performance requirements, shall be binding on the Government unless furnished or agreed to, in writing, by the Government.

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE: The NMUSAF notifies the successful Bidder whose proposal conforms to the solicitation and that it is most advantageous to the Government for its price and other factors considered. A written award is mailed (or otherwise furnished) to the successful Bidder (hereafter termed Exchanger) and shall be deemed to result in a binding contract without any further action by either party. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, including proposals under which a Bidder would take unfair advantage of the Government or other Bidders.

APPROVAL OF EXCHANGE: Upon award, the prospective Exchanger's End-Use Certificate (EUC) is processed through Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) for a Trade Security Control (TSC) assessment as needed. The Exchange is then coordinated with HQ Air Force Materiel Command (HQ AFMC) for approval.

EXCHANGE OF PROPERTY: Upon receipt of approval, NMUSAF provides an agreement which details the item(s) to be exchanged by the NMUSAF and items/services to be provided by the Exchanger, to the Exchanger for required signature(s).

When the Exchanger provides monies for items/services, the NMUSAF will require Exchanger to place all monies into an escrow account to be utilized by NMUSAF to purchase items and services that directly benefit the USAF's National Historical Collection. The Exchanger arranges an escrow account, with NMUSAF as the third-party beneficiary (see Attachment 4 for additional information).

Upon execution of exchange agreement and receipt of an original copy of exchange and applicable escrow agreements, NMUSAF will authorize release of property to Exchanger.

The exchange process from award of exchange to approval and release of property can take up to 6 months. These time frames are subject to change based on operational tempos.

DEFAULT: If the Exchanger breaches the contract, then the NMUSAF may send the Exchanger a 15-day written notice of default (calculated from date of mailing) to remedy the condition. Upon Exchanger's failure to cure such default within that period, the contract is terminated and the Exchanger shall lose all right, title and interest which they might otherwise have acquired in and to such property as to which a default has occurred.

TITLE: Title to the property awarded for the Exchange will pass to the Exchanger upon compliance with the terms and conditions of the exchange documentation.

POINT OF CONTACT: LUKE LIMING, NMUSAF Exchange Program, luke.liming@us.af.mil, (937) 255-4754.

OMBUDSMAN: An ombudsman may be made available for serious concerns, issues, disagreements, and/or recommendations that cannot be resolved with NMUSAF during the exchange process.

Attachments:

1. NMUSAFS 19-001 Proposal Form
2. DLA Form 1822 (EUC)
3. EUC Instructions
4. Escrow Arrangement Information