MEPNN Supplier Scouting Opportunity Synopsis

Section 1: General Information

Scouting Number	2025-137
Item to be Scouted	Preformed Seals
Days to be scouted	15
Response Due By	05/16/2025
Description	Preformed compressible joint seal.
State item to be used in	New Mexico

Section 2: Technical Information

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Type of supplier being sought	Contract manufacturer
Reason	BABA
Describe the manufacturing processes (elaborate to provide as much detail as possible)	Premanufactured mold.
Provide dimensions / size / tolerances / performance specifications for the item	See attached PDF specification for information. Section 3.04 of the accompanying document references the preformed seals.
List required materials needed to make the product, including materials of product components	See attached PDF specification for information. Section 3.04 of the accompanying document references the preformed seals.
Are there applicable certification requirements?	No
Are there applicable regulations?	No
Are there any other stndards, requirements, etc.?	No
Additional Technical Comments	N/A

Section 4: Business Information

Estimated potential business volume	1 unit
Estimated target price / unit cost information (if unavailable explain)	\$10,000
When is it needed by?	Project dependent over next 8 years.
Describe packaging requirements	Per manufacturer requirements. Assume palletized or boxed product.
Where will this item be shipped?	Clovis, NM

Additional Comments

Is there other information you would like to include?	Agency Providing Funds: Bureau of Reclamation: Albuquerque Area Office
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SECTION 07 92 00 JOINT SEALANTS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 REFERENCES

- A. The following is a list of standards which may be referenced in this section:
 - 1. ASTM International (ASTM):
 - a. C661, Standard Test Method for Indentation Hardness of Elastomeric-Type Sealants by Means of a Durometer.
 - b. C834, Standard Specification for Latex Sealants.
 - c. C920, Standard Specification for Elastomeric Joint Sealants.
 - d. C1193, Standard Guide for Use of Joint Sealants.

1.02 BUILD AMERICA BUY AMERICA (BABA)

A. This section contains materials that shall comply with the Build America Buy America requirements of this Contract.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. Action Submittals:
 - 1. Product Data: Manufacturer's product literature identifying products proposed for use.
- B. Informational Submittals:
 - 1. Installation instructions.
 - 2. Documentation showing applicator qualifications.
 - 3. Manufacturer's Certificate of Compliance, in accordance with Section 01 61 00, Common Product Requirements.
 - 4. Special guarantee.
 - 5. Certificate of compliance with Build America, Buy America Act. Refer to Section 01 33 00, Submittal Procedures.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Applicator Qualifications: Minimum of 5 years' experience installing sealants in projects of similar scope.

1.05 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

A. Ambient Temperature: Between 40 degrees F and 80 degrees F (4 degrees C and 27 degrees C) when sealant is applied. Consult manufacturer when sealant cannot be applied within these temperature ranges.

1.06 SPECIAL GUARANTEE

- A. Product: Furnish manufacturer's extended guarantee or warranty, with Owner named as beneficiary, in writing, as special guarantee. Special guarantee shall provide for correction or, at the option of the Owner, removal and replacement of Work specified in this section found defective during a period of 3 years after the date of Substantial Completion. Duties and obligations for correction or removal and replacement of defective Work shall be as specified on the Drawings.
- B. Conditions: No adhesive or cohesive failure of sealant.
- C. Sealed Joints: Watertight and weathertight with normal usage.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 SEALANT MATERIALS

- A. Characteristics:
 - 1. Uniform, homogeneous.
 - 2. Free from lumps, skins, and coarse particles when mixed.
 - 3. Nonstaining, nonbleeding.
 - 4. Hardness of 15 minimum and 50 maximum, measured by ASTM C661 method.
 - 5. Immersible may be substituted for nonimmersible.
- B. Color: Unless specifically noted, match color of the principal material adjoining area of application.
- C. Type 1—Silicone, Nonsag, Nonimmersible:
 - 1. Silicone base, single-component, moisture curing; ASTM C920, Type S, Grade NS, Class 25.
 - 2. Capable of withstanding movement up to 50 percent of joint width.
 - 3. Manufacturers and Products: Dow Corning Corp.; No. 790.
- D. Type 2—Multipart Polyurethane, Self-leveling, Immersible:
 - 1. Polyurethane base, multicomponent, chemical curing; ASTM C920, Type M, Grade P, Class 25.
 - 2. Capable of being continuously immersed in water.

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- 3. Manufacturers and Products:
 - a. BASF; MasterSeal, SL-2.
 - b. Sika Chemical Corp.; Sikaflex 2c SL.
- E. Type 3—Multipart Polyurethane, Nonsag, Immersible:
 - 1. Polyurethane base, multicomponent, chemical curing; ASTM C920, Type M, Grade NS, Class 25.
 - 2. Capable of being continuously immersed in water.
 - 3. Manufacturers and Products:
 - a. Tremco; Dymeric 240.
 - b. Sika Chemical Corp.; Sikaflex 2c NS.
- F. Type 4—Multipart Polyurethane, Nonsag, Nonimmersible:
 - 1. Polyurethane base, multicomponent, chemical curing; ASTM C920, Type M, Grade NS, Class 25.
 - 2. Manufacturers and Products:
 - a. Tremco; Dymeric 240.
 - b. Sika Chemical Corp.; Sikaflex 2c NS.
- G. Type 5—One-part Polyurethane, Immersible:
 - 1. Polyurethane base, single-component, moisture curing; ASTM C920, Type S, Grade NS or P, Class 25.
 - 2. Capable of being continuously immersed in water.
 - 3. Manufacturers and Products for Nonsag:
 - a. Sika Chemical Corp.; Sikaflex-1a.
 - b. Tremco; Vulkem 116.
 - 4. Manufacturers and Products for Self-leveling: Sika Chemical Corp.; Sikaflex 1c SL.
- H. Type 6—One-part Polyurethane, Nonimmersible:
 - 1. Polyurethane base, single-component, moisture curing; ASTM C920, Type S, Grade NS, Class 25.
 - 2. Manufacturers and Products: Tremco; Dymonic.
- I. Type 7—Multipart Polysulfide, Immersible:
 - 1. Polysulfide base, two-component, chemical curing; ASTM C920, Type M, Grade P or NS, Class 25.
 - 2. Capable of being continuously immersed in water.
 - 3. For use above grade and below grade.
 - 4. Manufacturers and Products: W. R. Meadows; Deck-O-Seal Gun Grade, two-part.

- J. Type 8—One-part Polysulfide, Nonsag, Nonimmersible:
 - 1. Polysulfide base, single-component, moisture curing; ASTM C920, Type S, Grade NS, Class 12 1/2.
 - 2. Capable of withstanding movement up to 20 percent of joint width.
 - 3. Manufacturer and Product: W. R. Meadows; Deck-O-Seal, one-part.
- K. Type 10—Sanitary Sealant:
 - 1. Silicone sealant similar to Type 1, above, formulated to resist mold growth and repeated exposure to high humidity while retaining adhesion, flexibility, and color.
 - 2. Manufacturers and Products: Dow Corning; 786.
- L. Type 11—Fire Penetration Seal:
 - 1. Manufacturers and Products:
 - a. 3M Corp.; Fire Barrier Sealant CP 25WB+.
 - b. Hilti USA; FS ONE MAX.

2.02 BACKUP MATERIAL

- A. Nongassing, extruded, closed-cell round polyurethane foam or polyethylene foam rod, compatible with sealant used, and as recommended by sealant manufacturer.
- B. Size: As shown or as recommended by sealant material manufacturer. Provide for joints greater than 3/16-inch wide.
- C. Manufacturers and Products: W.R. Meadows; Cera-Rod and Kool-Rod.

2.03 ANCILLARY MATERIALS

- A. Bond Breaker: Pressure sensitive tape as recommended by sealant manufacturer to suit application.
- B. Joint Cleaner: Noncorrosive and nonstaining type, recommended by sealant manufacturer; compatible with joint forming materials.
- C. Primer: Nonstaining type recommended by sealant manufacturer to suit application.

2.04 PREFORMED SEALS

- A. Preformed Compressible Joint Seals:
 - 1. Widths Up to 5 Inches:
 - a. BASF, Watson Bowman Acme Div.; Wabo Weatherseal II.

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- b. Emseal Joint Systems Limited; Colorseal.
- c. LymTal International; Iso-flex Joint System.
- 2. Other Widths: Series or model recommended by seal manufacturer.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL

- A. Use of more than one material for the same joint is not allowed unless approved by sealant manufacturer.
- B. Install joint sealants in accordance with ASTM C1193.
- C. Horizontal and Sloping Joints up to 1 Percent Maximum Slope: Use self-leveling (Grade P) joint sealant.
- D. Steeper Sloped Joints, Vertical Joints, and Overhead Joints: Use nonsag (Grade NS) joint sealant.
- E. Use joint sealant as required for the applicable application and as follows:

Joint Size	Sealant Type	
Less than 1"	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, or 10	
Less than 2"	1, 2, 3, 4, or 7	
Over 2"	Follow manufacturer's recommendation	

3.02 PREPARATION

- A. Verify that joint dimensions, and physical and environmental conditions, are acceptable to receive sealant.
- B. Surfaces to be sealed shall be clean, dry, sound, and free of dust, loose mortar, oil, and other foreign materials.
 - 1. Mask adjacent surfaces where necessary to maintain neat edge.
 - 2. Starting of work will be construed as acceptance of subsurfaces.
 - 3. Apply primer to dry surfaces as recommended by sealant manufacturer.
- C. Verify joint shaping materials and release tapes are compatible with sealant.
- D. Examine joint dimensions and size materials to achieve required width or depth ratios.
- E. Follow manufacturer's instructions for mixing multi-component products.

3.03 INSTALLATION

- A. Use joint filler to achieve required joint depths, to allow sealants to perform intended function.
 - 1. Install backup material as recommended by sealant manufacturer.
 - 2. Where possible, provide full length sections without splices; minimize number of splices.
 - 3. Tape sealant may be used as joint filler if approved by sealant manufacturer.
- B. Use bond breaker where recommended by sealant manufacturer.
- C. Seal joints around window, door and louver frames, expansion joints, control joints, and elsewhere as indicated.
- D. Joint Sealant Materials: Follow manufacturer's recommendation and instructions, filling joint completely from back to top, without voids.
- E. Joints: Tool slightly concave after sealant is installed.
 - 1. When tooling white or light color sealant, use a water wet tool.
 - 2. Finish joints free of air pockets, foreign embedded matter, ridges, and sags.
- F. Tape Sealant: Compress to 50 percent of expanded thickness and install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

3.04 PREFORMED SEALS

- A. Prepare joint surfaces clean and dry, free from oil, rust, laitance, and other foreign material.
- B. Construct joints straight and parallel to each other and at proper width and depth.
- C. Apply joint sealant manufacturer's approved primer and adhesive in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- D. Install seal in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

3.05 CLEANING

- A. Clean surfaces next to the sealed joints of smears or other soiling resultant of sealing application.
- B. Replace damaged surfaces resulting from joint sealing or cleaning activities.

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3.06 JOINT SEALANT SCHEDULE

 A. This schedule lists the sealant types acceptable for each joint location. Use as few different sealant types as possible to meet the requirements of Project. When two or more sealant types are indicated, Contactor to submit desired selection.

Joint Locations	Sealant Type(s)
Expansion/Contraction and Control Joints At:	
Concrete Walls (except water-holding and belowgrade portions of structures)	1, 3, 4, 5, 6
Concrete Floor Slabs (except for water-holding Structures)	2, 5
Concrete Walls and Slabs immersed in water and/or below grade	7
Slabs Subject to Vehicle and Pedestrian Traffic	2, 5
Masonry Walls	1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7
Ceramic Tile Floors	1, 2, 5, 10
Material Joints At:	
Metal Door, and Louver Frames (Exterior)	1, 5, 6, 8
Metal Door, Window, and Louver Frames (Interior)	1, 5, 6, 8,
Wall Penetrations (Exterior)	1, 5, 6, 8
Wall Penetrations (Interior)	1, 5, 6, 8
Floor Penetrations	5, 6, 7
Ceiling Penetrations	1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7
Roof Penetrations	5
Sheet Metal Flashings	5
	(Unless otherwise required by manufacturer)
Sheet Metal Roofing and Soffits	5
	(Unless otherwise required by manufacturer)

Joint Locations	Sealant Type(s)	
Other Joints:		
Threshold Sealant Bed	5	
Around Plumbing Fixtures	10	
Openings Around Pipes, Conduits, Through Fire- Rated Construction.	11	

END OF SECTION