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# Design Professional Contract/Releases from Regulated Storage Tanks: Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality Request for Qualifications

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The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (“ADEQ”) issued a Request for Qualifications (“RFQ”):

*Design Professional Contract Related to Releases from Regulated Storage Tanks*

See RFQ #930-RFQ-1801.

ADEQ’s Office of Land Resources states in part that it is seeking responses:

. . . from qualified environmental consultants to provide design professional services related to releases from underground storage tanks and certain aboveground petroleum storage tanks; emergency containment and hazard mitigation; environmental investigation and remediation; tank system removal; research of public records; tank system tightness testing; pilot testing; engineering design, cost estimates and management of a remediation system; oversight and review of petroleum storage tank projects; and reporting.

The RFQ also references other tasks such as “preparation of plans and specifications for contracting through Division of Building Authority and preparation of Operational and Maintenance (O & M) Information for Bids (IFB) for contracting through the Office of State Procurement.”

The initial term of the contract is stated to be one year which, if determined to be in the best interest of the State and mutually agreed to by the contractor, can be extended annually for six additional one-year periods for a maximum period of seven years.

Information regarding the [RFQ package](#) and other relevant information can be found here.