## New Mexico Tourism Department RFP: 19-418-1003-00001-00 Brand Impact Effectiveness Study Questions and Answers

This procurement will result in a 12 month contract award with all deliverables due prior to expiration.

The budget appropriation for this procurement will be determined based on the value of the proposal selected, and the cost associated with that proposal.

Question	Questions	Response
Number		
1	Whether companies from Outside USA can apply for this? (like, from India or Canada)	Yes
2	Whether we need to come over there for meetings?	This is possible based on agency discretion.
3	Can we perform the tasks (related to RFP) outside USA? (like, from India or Canada)	Only if it does not affect the deliverables in the RFP
4	Can we submit the proposals via email?	NO
5	As outlined in the Detailed Scope of Work in Section IV.A, you are seeking to measure the impact of NM True advertising and other creative stimuli on consumer target's perceptions of NM on a battery of image attributes and consumer target's intent to travel to NM. Are you interested in directly comparing these results to any previous studies as a benchmark or should this be viewed as a stand-alone study?	As a stand-alone study
6	If you are seeking comparison, can you please provide us with the previous study and questionnaire?	N/A
7	In addition to the qualifications listed for the Venturesome Travelers (outlined in Section	NO

	IV.A), are there any other	
	qualifications we should	
	consider such as having to have	
	taken a certain number of	
	plane/car trips over a certain	
	period of time?	
8	We understand that you would	The purpose of this component
	like to identify consumer	of this study is to determine a
	target's self-reported vacation	competitive set of destinations
	destination consideration set (as	based on venturesome
	outlined in Section IV.A) which	characteristics
	we will include in our proposal.	
	Based on any previous work,	
	which markets do you consider	
	tobe your primary destination	
	competitors?	
9	In regard to delivering results	This will be a 12 month
9	against the Detailed Scope of	contract award
	Work as outlined in Section	contract award
	IV.A, are there any specific	
	budget and timing constraints	
	that we should strive to meet as	
	we develop our approach?	Diagon refer back to Conting
10	In the RFP it is mentioned that	Please refer back to Section
	you would like to allow	4.B.4
	respondents to opt in for follow	
	up interviews. We could mark	
	and ID all respondents for	
	potential follow-up. Since they	
	are opt-in panelists, an	
	additional opt in is not	
	required. However, while we	
	could do follow up	
	interviewing with survey	
	respondents, we cannot provide	
	contact information to the client	
	or its agency. So, while we are	
	happy to assist with the	
	objective, we cannot provide	
	unique contact information of	
	respondents. Please indicate	
	whether this is a mandatory	
	requirement which would result	
	in failing to meet your needs.	
11	The objectives of the Brand	Please refer back to the detailed
	research effort, not unlike the	Scope of Work. Section 4.A
	separate advertising	-
	effectiveness RFP, both have as	
	primary goals measuring	
	advertising	

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	effectiveness. Could you clarify the difference in these two effectiveness measures? For example, is the effectiveness study to focus upon spending and tax impacts while the brand is to focus upon attitudinal impacts on the targets?	
12	You ask for references from clients for whom we've done strategic planning work, yet the RFP does not suggest this is what is being requested – is this reference request in error or just wanted to obtain a richer understanding of vendor experience?	This part of the RFP is to determine the level of experience in planning, oversight, and completion of a large scale study.
13	What is the budget for this research effort?	N/A
14	Do you have an intended budget for this study? If not, could you share what has been previously allocated?	N/A
15	Within Section A, the Detailed Scope of Work section- is it your intention for all of the following to be presented in the survey?	Yes
	<ul> <li>50-60 still images</li> <li>30 second videos</li> <li>15 second videos</li> </ul>	
16	What type of contact information do you need for the re-contacts?	The most effective way for the agency to make "re-contact"
17	Are you willing to get survey panel approval regarding the content of your re-contact discussions?	Yes
18	Within Section B, the Technical Specifications, Item 4- when you ask for examples of brand image or advertising effectiveness studies are you	Yes – Detailed examples with enough information to determine the quality of the study. We will not accept client contact information in lieu of a

just looking for a list or are you	detailed example.
looking for detailed examples?	
If detailed examples, would you	
accept client contact	
information so you can speak to	
them directly - all such studies	
are considered proprietary and	
the property of our clients.	