

**SCOPE OF SERVICES  
DESIGN SERVICES – QUESTIONS & ANSWERS No. 2**

As-Needed Survey Services

Question 1: Doesn't a consultant have to be pre-qualified in all Primary Pre-qualification categories to propose on a project? Is this As Needed Survey contract an exception to that rule?

**Answer 1: The rule is that a consultant must be prequalified in all Primary Pre-qualification Classifications to propose on a project. This as-needed survey contract and subsequent Questions & Answers No. 1 were erroneously posted due to a communication error. MDOT has decided to change the required Primary Prequalification Classification(s) to the most commonly used classification, Road Design Survey, and move the other four classifications to Secondary Prequalification Classification(s). A prime consultant could submit a proposal without being prequalified in a Secondary Classification, as long as a subconsultant has been defined to cover that secondary classification. The Prime Consultant would still, by rule, be required to perform at least 40% of the work. The RFP has been updated with this information.**

**Due to this last-minute change, the due date has been moved to Thursday, November 19, 2009, at 3 p.m.**