

# **NYMEP Request for Proposals**

**Proposal Due Date - May 22, 2020 by 4pm**

## **Questions and Answers**

**Question:** About how many webinars/workshops would ESD like to see over the 15 months?

**Answer:** Six or more webinars/workshops should be held during the contract period.

**Question:** Section F.1 – Re-shoring & Rebuilding Supply Chains: Does this include the working with manufactures on product development?

**Answer:** Yes, this can include product development and other things such as: working with CATs or CoEs to identify alternative materials that are easier to access without adversely effecting the product quality; identify other local suppliers; and many other activities.

**Question:** Section F.2 – Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Assistance: Does the assistance supply chain related, procurement support or is it more logistics, inventory/stockpile.

**Answer:** We are looking for the best ideas that will assist as many manufacturers as possible. So, proposals could include: supply chain assistance (which would overlap with the effort mentioned in the question above); establishing an inventory for companies that would be ordering small quantities and may not otherwise be able to access a supplier; assisting with logistics; or a number of other activities that benefit manufacturers.

**Question:** What is the format of this form? It was not included on the NYMEP Emergency Grant Program page.

**Answer:** MS Word is preferred