QUESTION NUMBER	DRAFT RFP SECTION NUMBER	COMMENTS/QUESTIONS/SUGGESTIONS	
		GENERAL:	
1	N/A	Would GSA please consider adding the following NAICS to a Pool or adding a Pool to cover IT Support Services. In particular these: 517110, 517210, 517919, 518210, 519190, 541511, 541512, 541513, 541519 (emphasis on 541512) Adding a few of these NAICS would make driving business to the vehicle easier for IT companies and provide more opportunities.	
		RESPONSE: No. OASIS and OASIS SB are not IT contracts. Any requirement that would be represented by those NAICS codes should not be performed under OASIS or OASIS SB.	
2	N/A	Would GSA consider adding NAICS that have a higher ceiling for small businesses (ex. 54152 has a ceiling of $25M for small businesses)? We are just above the $14M and would have to compete in the unrestricted procurement which makes it more difficult to compete against the larger firms for the slots allotted.	
		RESPONSE: OASIS and OASIS SB feature 6 different size standards that include $14M, $19M, $35.5M, 500 employees, 1000 employees, and 1500 employees.	
3	N/A	Will the GSA OASIS contract vehicle be a newly completed Multiple Award Contract or will only those contractors who currently have an GSA Schedule be able to compete?	
		RESPONSE: Any Offeror may compete for an OASIS or OASIS SB award regardless of what other contracts they hold.	
4	N/A	If I am reading the RFP correctly, subcontractors past performances, experience, etc will NOT be evaluated in the proposal? Can subcontractors be added to the vehicle after time of award?	
		RESPONSE: Any OASIS or OASIS SB prime Contractor may subcontract with any company they deem appropriate in response to task order solicitations. OASIS and OASIS SB primes do not have to "add" them to their master contract.	
5	A.1.1. FAR 52.215-3 Request for Information or Solicitation for Planning Purposes (OCT 1997) page 8	This vehicle could incentivize contractors to bring work to this vehicle just so they can keep their minimum of 3 TO requirement but then again if it's not sole sourced to the contractor why would I want to help another Prime to reach their 3 TO requirement, if I should lose?	
		RESPONSE: Any Offeror who does not want to compete for task orders should refrain from submitting a proposal on OASIS or OASIS SB. Competition at the task order level is a fundamental element of these contracts.	
6	General Question	We cannot find evidence that GSA has worked with a group of small businesses to develop the OASIS draft they have with large businesses. If GSA has done this, please provide the names of these companies. If not, we recommend that GSA form a working group with representative small businesses. We would be interested in participating in such a working group.	
		RESPONSE: Perhaps you haven't been following us on Interact, but we have been working with many small businesses for the past year or so. We do not provide the names of individual companies who provide us feedback. We conducted over 60 One-on-One development sessions and over half of them were small businesses. We've met with and talked to dozens of more small businesses. Finally, we've regularly interacted with Industry groups such as ACT/IAC, The Coalition for Government Procurement, TechAmerica, and the Professional Services Council who represent all of Industry including Small Business.	
7	N/A	I am wondering to what extent GSA has planned to integrate Small Business Innovative Research grantees into its contract issuance/performance goals?	
		RESPONSE: The OASIS Program has no plans to integrate SBIR grantees into our contract award process.	
8		Is the location of industry day in Washington DC?	
		RESPONSE: Yes. Details regarding Industry Day will be forthcoming on Interact.	
9	A.1.1	In reference to (c) question 1 we believe the proposal submission requirements in Section L are clear.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
10	A.1.1	In reference to (c) question 2 we believe the evaluation factors and methodology in section M are clear.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
11	A.1.1	In reference to (c) question 4 we believe that a larger size standard would provide the best chance for business to be driven to OASIS SB. Size Classifications of 1000 employees will allow for small business to grow under OASIS SB without early ramp-off consequences. We bring this to your attention since the past performance requirements for small business require the disclosure of financial performance data for each contract that would put most small business (with exception to most preexisting JVs) on the cusp of exceeding the small business size standard soon after an award of a task order through OASIS.	
		RESPONSE: Each Pool under the OASIS contracts has it's own unique size standard. Furthermore, size recertification will not occur until Year 5.	
12	B	In reference to (c) question 5 we believe the Contract Reporting requirements to be in line with what is currently being offered on other contracts.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
13	Section L.5.5.1, Pages 82-83	We know that it is important to be able to perform and manage Cost-Reimbursement type contracts under OASIS and OASIS SB. We believe that most Small Businesses that are stable and mature enough to successfully deliver on a complex contract like OASIS should already have a DCAA or DCMA audited accounting system. Thus, we believe GSA has made the correct decision to include this as a requirement for all contractors within all Pools. Keeping this requirement will preclude the immature contractors from bidding on OASIS SB, will not add additional burden to DCAA and DCMA who already are backlogged with audit request, and will still provide a more than ample pool of mature contractors within each OASIS Pool to have great competition.	
		RESPONSE: See Clarification Question 13.	
		New this Week	
14	General Comment	Reporting requirements are similar to ASB, other GWAC contracts and GSA Schedules. No problems anticipated.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	

15	General Comment	Awardees will be incentivized to proactively market the contract to their clients. Clients will be reluctant to use the contract unless the GSA invests significantly in explaining the NAICS Pool process to them through outreach. Suggest GSA create a NAICS advisory panel accessible by contractors and clients.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
16	General Comment	The government's description of the evaluation of the above three areas ("Past Performance", "Relevant Experience", and "Systems, Certifications, and Resources") is clear and the proposed methodology is fair and acceptable.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
17		Are the proposal submission requirements in Section L clear? Yes, the proposal submission requirements in Section L are clear. We are providing some specific questions and requests for clarification regarding the specific data being requested. In all of these cases, GSA's intent seems clear, but the specific language in the draft RFP is imprecise, or subject to interpretation.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
18		Are the evaluation factors and methodology in Section M clear? Yes, the proposal evaluation factors and methodology in Section M are clear. Similar to the proposal submittal requirements, GSA's intent is obvious. We are, however, submitting requests for clarification on specific topics such as CMMI certifications.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
19		The overall evaluation strategy and relative importance of the three (3) scored areas of "Past Performance", "Relevant Experience", and "Systems, Certifications, and Resources". We believe the overall evaluation and relative importance of the three categories is good. The criteria selected, and the relative weighting assigned to each should allow GSA to differentiate among the offerors.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
20		Would this contract incentivize awardees to bring business to OASIS? Government customers looking for an IDIQ vehicle to use have many options including program/agency specific IDIQs, GSA FSS schedules, and multi-agency or GWAC IDIQs such as OASIS. Clearly, GSA's objective is to establish the most effective and efficient streamlined ordering processes for these customers. In our experience, what discriminates one option from another is the ease of use for the ordering customer. OASIS awardees are intrinsically incentivized towards the vehicle option that serves their customers best. We see no features of OASIS that would be an impediment or make OASIS unattractive for use. OASIS will give ordering customers great flexibility in structuring their Task Orders. If GSA defines a Contract Access Fee that is attractive, awardees will be even more motivated to bring business to OASIS.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
21		Are the contract reporting requirements in line with what information Contractors readily track and/or can provide without excessive additional expense? Yes this information is similar to what we are providing on other GSA IDIQ/GWAC Contracts.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
22		Recommended changes and/or identify elements of the solicitation that seem very strong and should remain. We are providing specific comments and recommendations as part of the Q&A process. Among the most significant recommendations to improve the RFP is to include evaluation of a company's success on IDIQ contracts. Elements of the solicitation that are very strong include the objective criteria and weighted scoring methodology.	
		RESPONSE: Thank you for the feedback.	
		End of Questions for this Week	