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Tunnel 9 Pitch Upgrade

Department of Defense › Department of the Air Force › FA9101 AEDC PKP PROCRMNT BR

Solicitation `FA9101T9PU`

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RFP DETECTOR SCORE

High data confidence

Strong · 66 / 100

Strong (B, 66/100): small-business set-aside, 19 days to respond; but small typical award (~$53K).

+11.6 Competition & access | +10.9 Time & stage | −9.5 Value | +4.9 Issuer & market

Informational, not advice. How the score works: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

At a glance

ESTIMATED VALUE **~$53K** Estimated: median award, FY24–FY26	SET-ASIDE **Small-business set-aside** Set-aside code SBA	NAICS **332912** Fluid Power Valve and Hose Fitting Manufacturing	PSC **4320** Product / service code
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE **Silver Spring, Maryland**	POSTED **Nov 2, 2026** Updated Nov 6, 2026	RESPONSE DUE **Dec 10, 2026, 10:00 AM CST** 19 days left	LISTING **Official federal notice** Updated Nov 6, 2026

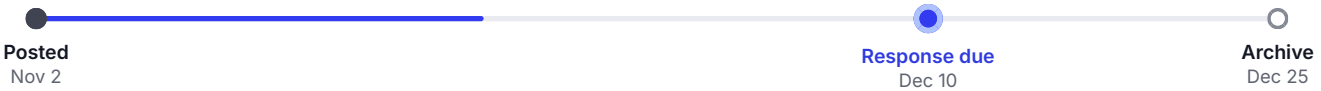
Our summary

Department of the Air Force (FA9101 AEDC PKP PROCRMNT BR), part of the Department of Defense, posted a solicitation titled “Tunnel 9 Pitch Upgrade” under solicitation number FA9101T9PU. It was first posted on Nov 2, 2026 and has been updated 2 times since. Responses are due Dec 10, 2026, 10:00 AM CST. It is classified under NAICS 332912 (Fluid Power Valve and Hose Fitting Manufacturing) and product/service code 4320. The set-aside is listed as Small Business Set Aside - Total. The place of performance is Silver Spring, Maryland. The listed point of contact is Maddux Golden.

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline

Blue line: today (Nov 21)



02 Score breakdown

Every RFP starts at 50. Each factor adds or subtracts points depending on how this RFP compares with a typical one, scaled by its weight and by how sure we are of the data. Unknown data has no effect.

Factor		◀ lowers the score · raises the score ▶	Points	Range
Value	ESTIMATED		−9.5	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 70%
No value published. Typical award is about $53K: the median of 1,304 Air Force contracts over $25K awarded in NAICS 332912, FY24–FY26.				
Competition & access	MEASURED		+11.6	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 92%
Total small-business set-aside. The largest recipient took 8% of these dollars in FY24–FY26, and spending is spread across many vendors.				
Issuer & market	MEASURED		+4.9	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 80%
Air Force obligated $178M on NAICS 332912 across 7,752 contracts in FY24–FY26. 23 other notices from this office in the past 12 months.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		+10.9	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Solicitation, bids due: 19 days to respond (due Dec 10, 2026, 10:00 AM CST).				
Clarity & completeness	ESTIMATED		−0.9	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 75%
Documents not listed, 2 named contacts with email, 107-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		−1.3	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Posted 18 days ago.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **65.7**

Score **66** **(B)**

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days



Nov 13: 70 Nov 21: 66

Evaluated Nov 21, 2026, 3:25 AM EST · version 1.0.0

How the score works

Value	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Competition & access	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Issuer & market	weight 20 · −23.4 to +12.6
Time & stage	weight 15 · −14.9 to +12.2
Clarity & completeness	weight 15 · −18.9 to +8.1
Freshness	weight 10 · −9.0 to +9.0

Measured data counts fully, estimated data counts less, unknown data counts zero. Grades: A 80–100 · B 65–79 · C 50–64 · D 35–49 · F 0–34. Data confidence (85/100) is how much of the score rests on measured data.

Full methodology: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

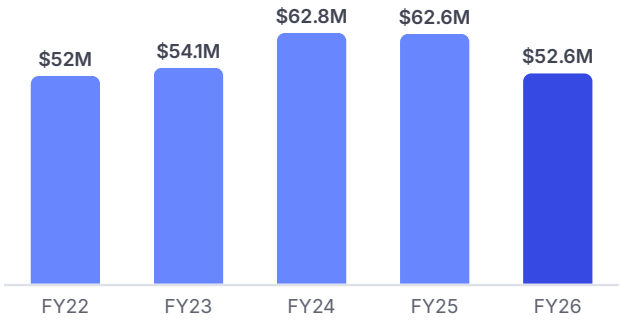
03 Market intelligence

Federal contract awards for Department of Defense, NAICS 332912. Award counts and sizes cover new awards in FY24–FY26; dollars are obligations in the same window.

CONTRACTS AWARDED	TOTAL OBLIGATED	MEDIAN AWARD OVER $25K
7,752	**$178M**	**$53K**
New awards, FY24–FY26	Obligated FY24–FY26	1,304 awards above $25K

Obligations by fiscal year

Department of Defense, NAICS 332912



Award size

Air Force NAICS 332912 contracts, FY24–FY26 (log scale)



For reference, the typical federal contract award above $25K across all agencies is about $69K.

Largest recipients in this market

Share of obligated dollars, FY24–FY26

1	Leslie Controls, Inc.	$14.6M	8%
2	Lockheed Martin Corporation	$10.2M	6%
3	Ja Moody LLC	$9.9M	6%
4	Mission Systems Orchard Park Inc	$8.5M	5%
5	Transaero, Inc.	$4.9M	3%

These are the largest recipients across this agency and NAICS code, not the incumbent of this RFP. Concentration feeds the Competition & access factor.

How this market feeds the score

Value	Competition & access	Issuer & market
−9.5	+11.6	+4.9
Small typical award (~$53K)	Small-business set-aside	Active buyer ($178M FY24–FY26)

Federal award history: contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 15, 2026.

04 Requirements & logistics

Facts from the notice. Confirm every requirement and date on the official notice before responding.

Eligibility

SET-ASIDE

Total small-business set-aside: only businesses that are small under the NAICS size standard may respond.

NAICS

332912 Fluid Power Valve and Hose Fitting Manufacturing

PRODUCT / SERVICE CODE

4320

Place & submission

PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

Silver Spring, Maryland

HOW TO SUBMIT

As instructed in the official solicitation

OFFICIAL SOLICITATION

Open the official solicitation at rfpdetector.com (free account)

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Documents

No documents are listed on the notice.

Open the official solicitation at rfpdetector.com (free account)

Before you respond

Confirm on the official notice

- [ ] Read every attachment and amendment on the official solicitation
- [ ] Confirm the response deadline and time zone
  Dec 10, 2026, 10:00 AM CST
- [ ] Check you meet the set-aside / eligibility requirement
  Small Business Set Aside - Total
- [ ] Check the SBA size standard for NAICS 332912
  Small-business set-asides use the size standard of the primary NAICS code
- [ ] Make sure your federal entity registration (UEI) is active
  Federal awards require an active entity registration
- [ ] Confirm how to submit
  See the official solicitation

Bid / no-bid questions

For your own decision

- [ ] Do you have relevant past performance for this scope and customer?
- [ ] Can you staff and deliver on time with a compliant response?
- [ ] Can you perform in Silver Spring, Maryland?
- [ ] Does your pricing fit the typical award range ($756–$15K)?
- [ ] Do you need a teaming partner or subcontractors to cover the full scope?

A generic checklist, not advice to bid or not bid.

05 Related RFPs

Open RFPs with the same NAICS industry group or category (same state first, then by score), and more from this issuer. Each title links to its page on RFP Detector.

Similar open RFPs

- A | 88 **MH-60 Airborne Mine Countermeasure (AMCM) Carriage, Stream, Tow and Recovery System (CSTR...**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 4
- B | 75 **Nonskid and Deck Preservation**
  US Coast Guard · Due Dec 4
- B | 75 **Low Band Dedicated Receiver (LBDR) Full Rate Production (FRP) 3**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 1
- B | 71 **65" Dual Heat Wide Format Roll Laminator**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 8
- B | 70 **X-Ray Computed Tomography Cabinet System (Revised Requirements)**
  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 7

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- D | 40 **Service Air System Revitalization**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Nov 25
- F | 33 **Vacuum Relief Furnace**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Nov 30
- A | 81 **Request for Oral Presentation (ROP) - Prototype Research, Integration, and Systems Modern...**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Dec 4
- B | 74 **Request for White Paper - ICD 705 Compliant Trailers**
  Department of the Air Force · Due Dec 7

Data and as-of times

Notice data	Official federal notice, first seen Nov 13, 2026, updated Nov 6, 2026
Market data	Federal award history, contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 15, 2026
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