

**From:** (b) (6)  
**To:** (b) (6) CBP Media Relations  
**Subject:** RE: media inquiry - seeking number of interested vendors for Mexico wall  
**Date:** Friday, March 17, 2017 12:00:16 PM

---

(b) (6) what I would recommend is that you sign in for the solicitation. Some of your colleagues have done this and have had the info readily available. See below.

You need to go to the solicitation page and create an account to gain access to the list. Let me know if it works.

<https://www.fbo.gov/index?s=opportunity&mode=form&id=b8e1b2a6876519ca0aedd748e1e491cf&tab=ivl&tabmode=list&subtab=list&subtabmode=list&=>

On this step:

If you are a vendor: Enter your DUNS and click Proceed. The system will retrieve your company information in SAM.

If you do not know the DUNS number for your company: you may find this information through the following search page:

[www.sam.gov](http://www.sam.gov)

If your company does not have a DUNS number, you can obtain one free of charge via webform at <http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform/displayHomePage.do> or by calling the D&B Government Customer Response Center at 1-866-705-5711 (visit [http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform/pages/reqDuns\\_phone.jsp](http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform/pages/reqDuns_phone.jsp) for more details). If requested over the phone, your DUNS number is provided immediately. Webform requests take 1 - 2 business days.

If you are a citizen or do not wish to enter your DUNS number: You may click skip this step. Your data will not be auto-filled and you will not have access to controlled unclassified data until your DUNS number is entered and verified by SAM.

(b) (6)

---

**From:** (b) (6) [mailto:(b) (6)@FOXNEWS.COM]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 17, 2017 11:53 AM  
**To:** CBP Media Relations <CBPMediaRelations@cbp.dhs.gov>  
**Subject:** media inquiry - seeking number of interested vendors for Mexico wall

Hi –

I am trying to determine the number of interested vendors (and even see a list if available) for the following solicitation:

Design-Build Structure  
Solicitation Number: 2017-JC-RT-0001  
Agency: Department of Homeland Security  
Office: Customs and Border Protection  
<https://www.fbo.gov/index?id=522a7fe7a47b351a71a22ba51273b5fa>

I've seen some news sources reporting that the number is over 600 and wanted to confirm if that is true.

Thank you very much for your assistance.

(b) (6)

Information Specialist  
Fox News Channel  
1211 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, New York 10036  
Phone: (b) (6)

This message and its attachments may contain legally privileged or confidential information. It is intended solely for the named addressee. If you are not the addressee indicated in this message (or responsible for delivery of the message to the addressee), you may not copy or deliver this message or its attachments to anyone. Rather, you should permanently delete this message and its attachments and kindly notify the sender by reply e-mail. Any content of this message and its attachments that does not relate to the official business of Fox News or Fox Business must not be taken to have been sent or endorsed by either of them. No representation is made that this email or its attachments are without defect.

**From:** (b) (6)  
**To:** (b) (6) [CBP Media Relations](#)  
**Subject:** RE: media inquiry  
**Date:** Tuesday, March 21, 2017 3:55:06 PM

---

Good day:

We do not have that information however a number of your media colleagues have obtained the information independently by creating account which then provides access to the vendor list.

The vendor registration link is below:

<https://www.fbo.gov/?s=main&mode=list&tab=register&subtab=step1>

You may also wish to review public information on our website:

<https://www.cbp.gov/newsroom/national-media-release/cbp-requests-proposals-border-wall-prototypes>

You can also sign up for CBP email updates:

<https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDHSCBP/subscriber/new>

---

**From:** (b) (6) [mailto:(b) (6)@FOXNEWS.COM]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 21, 2017 1:45 PM  
**To:** CBP Media Relations <CBPMediaRelations@cbp.dhs.gov>  
**Subject:** media inquiry

Hi there. Looking for the list of companies that have expressed interest in building the wall along the U.S.-Mexico border. I understand the list has been made public and I'm trying to find a copy of it.

Thanks,

(b) (6)  
Fox News Network LLC  
West Coast Radio Correspondent

(b) (6)

This message and its attachments may contain legally privileged or confidential information. It is intended solely for the named addressee. If you are not the addressee indicated in this message (or responsible for delivery of the message to the addressee), you may not copy or deliver this message or its attachments to anyone. Rather, you should permanently delete this message and its attachments and kindly notify the sender by reply e-mail. Any content of this

message and its attachments that does not relate to the official business of Fox News or Fox Business must not be taken to have been sent or endorsed by either of them. No representation is made that this email or its attachments are without defect.

**From:** (b) (6)  
**To:** [CBP Media Relations](#)  
**Cc:** (b) (6)  
**Subject:** Fox News Inquiry: Border Wall Proposals  
**Date:** Tuesday, April 11, 2017 3:15:14 PM

---

Good afternoon,

I'm working on a story about the **border wall** today and was wondering if you can share any images from bids submitted by contractors and the names of companies that bid. We have a pretty tight turnaround, so the soonest you can send would be appreciated.

Thank you,

(b) (6)

*Producer, Fox News Channel  
Washington, DC Bureau*

(b) (6)

(b) (6) [@foxnews.com](#)

This message and its attachments may contain legally privileged or confidential information. It is intended solely for the named addressee. If you are not the addressee indicated in this message (or responsible for delivery of the message to the addressee), you may not copy or deliver this message or its attachments to anyone. Rather, you should permanently delete this message and its attachments and kindly notify the sender by reply e-mail. Any content of this message and its attachments that does not relate to the official business of Fox News or Fox Business must not be taken to have been sent or endorsed by either of them. No representation is made that this email or its attachments are without defect.

**From:** (b) (6)  
**To:** [CBP Media Relations](#)  
**Subject:** RE: FOX Business Network  
**Date:** Wednesday, April 05, 2017 12:15:34 PM

---

I am calling her

---

**From:** (b) (6)@FOXNEWS.COM]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 05, 2017 10:02 AM  
**To:** CBP Media Relations <CBPMediaRelations@cbp.dhs.gov>  
**Subject:** FOX Business Network

Hello,

(b) (6) suggested I contact you about the border wall.  
Can I please speak to a live person regarding the timetable.  
Thanks so much.  
My number is below.

(b) (6)  
West Coast Producer  
FOX Business Network

(b) (6)  
[REDACTED]

This message and its attachments may contain legally privileged or confidential information. It is intended solely for the named addressee. If you are not the addressee indicated in this message (or responsible for delivery of the message to the addressee), you may not copy or deliver this message or its attachments to anyone. Rather, you should permanently delete this message and its attachments and kindly notify the sender by reply e-mail. Any content of this message and its attachments that does not relate to the official business of Fox News or Fox Business must not be taken to have been sent or endorsed by either of them. No representation is made that this email or its attachments are without defect.

**From:** (b) (6)  
**To:** (b) (6); [CBP Media Relations](#)  
**Cc:** (b) (6)  
**Subject:** RE: Fox News Inquiry: Border Wall Proposals  
**Date:** Tuesday, April 11, 2017 3:53:01 PM

---

Thank you!

---

**From:** (b) (6)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 11, 2017 3:52 PM  
**To:** (b) (6); CBP Media Relations  
**Cc:** (b) (6)  
**Subject:** RE: Fox News Inquiry: Border Wall Proposals

Sorry no that is also covered by Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Subpart 15.505(f).

---

**From:** (b) (6) [@FOXNEWS.COM](#)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 11, 2017 1:49 PM  
**To:** (b) (6) CBP Media Relations  
<[CBPMediaRelations@cbp.dhs.gov](mailto:CBPMediaRelations@cbp.dhs.gov)>  
**Cc:** (b) (6) [@FOXNEWS.COM](#)>  
**Subject:** RE: Fox News Inquiry: Border Wall Proposals

Apologies for bothering you again. Since you can't provide the names of bidders, are you able to tell us how many bids there were?

---

**From:** (b) (6) ]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 11, 2017 3:24 PM  
**To:** (b) (6); CBP Media Relations  
**Cc:** (b) (6)  
**Subject:** RE: Fox News Inquiry: Border Wall Proposals

Hello:

Regarding bidders and any materials they submitted Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Subpart 15.505(f) prohibits us from releasing the information you are requesting.

Some of your media colleagues did visit the RFP website to set up accounts so they could access the list of those companies/people who signed up as interested bidders. Those lists would show who expressed interest but not necessarily those who forwarded bids. It appears media outlets used old fashioned media sleuthing to proactively reach out to some of those firms who then shared their materials.

Below is a link to a CBP news release which discusses the wall prototypes and has embedded links to the RFP's.

<https://www.cbp.gov/newsroom/national-media-release/cbp-requests-proposals-border-wall-prototypes>

(b) (6)  
Public Affairs Specialist  
Office of Public Affairs  
U.S. Customs and Border Protection  
9400 Viscount Blvd., Suite 200  
El Paso, TX 79925

(b) (6)



---

**From:** (b) (6) [@FOXNEWS.COM](mailto:(b) (6)@FOXNEWS.COM)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 11, 2017 1:15 PM  
**To:** CBP Media Relations <[CBPMediaRelations@cbp.dhs.gov](mailto:CBPMediaRelations@cbp.dhs.gov)>  
**Cc:** (b) (6) [@FOXNEWS.COM](mailto:(b) (6)@FOXNEWS.COM)>  
**Subject:** Fox News Inquiry: Border Wall Proposals

Good afternoon,

I'm working on a story about the border wall today and was wondering if you can share any images from bids submitted by contractors and the names of companies that bid. We have a pretty tight turnaround, so the soonest you can send would be appreciated.

Thank you,

(b) (6)  
*Producer, Fox News Channel*  
*Washington, DC Bureau*  
(b) (6)  
(b) (6)  
(b) (6) [@foxnews.com](mailto:(b) (6)@foxnews.com)

This message and its attachments may contain legally privileged or confidential information. It is intended solely for the named addressee. If you are not the addressee indicated in this message (or responsible for delivery of the message to the addressee), you may not copy or deliver this message or its attachments to anyone. Rather, you should permanently delete this message and its attachments and kindly notify the sender by reply e-mail. Any content of this message and its attachments that does not relate to the official business of Fox News or Fox Business must not be taken to have been sent or endorsed by either of them. No representation is made that this email or its attachments are without defect.

**From:** (b) (6)  
**To:** [CBP Media Relations](#)  
**Cc:** (b) (6)  
**Subject:** Fox RSVP: CBP Border Wall status discussion: June 27  
**Date:** Monday, June 26, 2017 12:04:06 PM

---

Fox News would like to RSVP for the CBP's Status of the Border Wall briefing, June 27, at the Reagan Building. Please let us know what you need from us, contact info, and any additional logistical details for sending a crew. Also, do you anticipate this event will be webstreamed? Thank you

## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

Office of Public Affairs  
June 26, 2017  
Contact: CBP Public Affairs  
(b) (6)

## **CBP to Discuss the Status of the Border Wall at Media Briefing**

**WASHINGTON**—U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) will discuss the status of the border wall at a media briefing June 27, 2017. Acting Deputy Commissioner Ronald D. Vitiello will discuss the proposed timeline for the prototypes; the current state of infrastructure; projects currently underway; and the role infrastructure plays in impeding migration flow.

There will not be an announcement on wall prototype contract awards.

### **Tuesday, June 27**

2:00 PM ET    CBP Acting Deputy Commissioner Ronald D. Vitiello will discuss the current status of the border wall

CBP Press Room

Ronald Reagan Building

1300 Pennsylvania Ave. NW

Washington, DC

All media wishing to attend this briefing **must RSVP** via email to [CBPMediaRelations@cbp.dhs.gov](mailto:CBPMediaRelations@cbp.dhs.gov) no later than 5:00 p.m. ET Monday, June 26, 2017.

(b) (6)

Fox News  
400 N. Capitol St., NW  
Washington, DC 20002

(b) (6)

This message and its attachments may contain legally privileged or confidential information. It is intended solely for the named addressee. If you are not the addressee indicated in this message (or responsible for delivery of the message to the addressee), you may not copy or deliver this message or its attachments to anyone. Rather, you should permanently delete this message and its attachments and kindly notify the sender by reply e-mail. Any content of this message and its attachments that does not relate to the official business of Fox News or Fox Business must not be taken to have been sent or endorsed by either of them. No representation is made that this email or its attachments are without defect.