# Scope Of Work for AC-119 Gunship Reunion, San Antonio Texas September 25, 2013 through September 29, 2013

- 1. Context: 14<sup>th</sup> Annual AC-119 Gunship Association Event planning & implementation under the guidance & decision-direction of the Points of Contacts (POC).
  - a. Participants: Vietnam veterans, spouses, & guests; most are retirees.
  - b. Historical numbers & trends provided
  - c. AC-119 Gunship Association will contract & pay for all group events & meals.
    - i. State Tax exemption will apply
    - ii. Guarantee deposits will be via Credit Card
    - iii. Final payments will be via check/cash.
  - d. Individual attendees will pay for lodging
  - e. An AC-119 Reunion Coordinator's Guide is provided to clarify expectations, Lessons Learned, & details from prior reunions).
    - i. Some Reunion Guide Tasks can be completed by either the POCs or the hotel/contracted event planner.

#### 2. POCs:

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#### 3. Content & Service Inclusions:

### a. Required:

- i. Hotel with Reunion Rates from September 23 through September 30, 2013
  - 1) Reunion rate will continue to apply after guaranteed availability cut-off date
  - 2) Full Breakfasts included within Lodging pricing, or reduced full Breakfast pricing
- ii. Hospitality Room (called Hootch hereafter), in the Hotel, with beverages and munchies not to exceed local Military accessible pricing. NOTE: only for consumption 'in' the Hootch. The Hootch will also be closed during any events catered by the hotel.
- iii. Friday Meet & Greet
- iv. Saturday Meetings (held simultaneously in the morning)
- v. Saturday Banquet
- vi. Sunday Farewell Barbeque or Picnic

### b. Options:

- i. Thursday Tour(s)
- ii. Friday Tour(s)
- iii. Sunday Golfing

#### 4. Selection Criteria (includes both overall & individual line item aspects):

- **a.** Pricing (preference given for complimentary inclusions such as complimentary rooms per xx consumed rooms per night, Hootch or meeting room rentals, set up fees, cleaning fees)
  - i. Pricing must reflect final charges (i.e. include federal, state, or local taxes, gratuity, etc)
- b. Quality of Events
- c. Event locations (preference given for events held in the Hotel and/or local ease of access, if not in the hotel)
- d. Prior Experience
- **e.** Option inclusions (preference given for type & quality)
- 5. Reunion Coordinator's Guide & History Spreadsheet provide historical & forecast numbers, & additional details.

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- 6. <u>Line Item Tasks: see Reunion Coordinator's Guide & History Spreadsheet for historical & forecast numbers, additional details & considerations.</u>
  - a. Hotel lodging for 425-450 room nights. See Coordinator's Guide & History Spreadsheet
    - i. Rate based on single/double occupancy (suites may be different)
    - ii. Shoulder date rates same as Reunion Event date rates (i.e. Sept 23 through 30)
  - b. Hotel must Include Hospitality Room (called our Hootch) capabilities as follows:
    - i. Size: the bigger the better. Our Hootch is a central gathering area for individuals & small groups throughout the Reunion. Hootch room must include multiple in-room rounds & chairs for small group gatherings as well as rectangular tables completely around the room sides for Reunion paraphernalia, raffle items, T-shirts
    - ii. Beverages: beer, regular & diet soda, water, wine
    - iii. Food: chips, dips, peanuts, pretzels
    - iv. Services: trash cans, daily ice, & clean-up
    - v. Reunion Registration Table: usually outside the Hootch or near the Hotel Lobby
  - **c.** Friday Evening Meet & Greet for 225-250. See Coordinator's Guide & History Spreadsheet
    - i. Heavy hors d'oeuvres adequate for meal
    - ii. Pay-As-You-Go Bars (2)
    - iii. Microphone (wired ok but hand-held better)
  - d. Saturday morning Membership Meeting with theater seating for 125-150.
    - 1) Coffee, Bloody Mary's (pitchers)
    - 2) Projection Screen or wall big enough to project onto (we use our own computer/projector)
    - 3) Microphone (wired ok but hand-held better)
  - e. Saturday morning Spouse's Breakfast & Meeting in separate room or part of the Breakfast area for 25-50
  - f. Saturday evening Banquet for 225-250. See Coordinator's Guide & History Spreadsheet
    - i. 3 Meal options to be coordinated with POC (usually beef, chicken, & fish)
      - 1) Two bottles of wine per table of 10-12 and/or "corkage fee" if we provide the wine
    - ii. Room Set up in rounds of 10-12
      - 1) Numbers on tables; provide Room/Seating diagram (sample attached; we'll blow it up to poster size for folks to reserve their seating)
      - 2) 3 rectangular tables set up in front or side for raffle items
      - 3) Head Table in front
      - 4) Podium with Microphone in front (wired ok but hand-held better)
    - iii. POW Ceremony (single seat, small table set separately per POC's guidelines)
    - iv. Pay-As-You-Go Bars (2)
  - g. Farewell Event for 150. See Coordinator's Guide & History Spreadsheet
    - i. Barbeque or similar fare (at least two meats)
    - ii. Pay-As-You-Go Bar (1)
    - iii. Microphone (wired ok but hand-held better)
- 7. **Deliverables**: Please provide overall & line item pricing for content & services to the POCs for review before 31 July 2012. Selection will be based on best blend & balance that meet Selection Criteria for Required & Optional Line Item Tasks. Separate proposals for Hotel Lodging (booking) and Reunion Events/Services are acceptable.
  - a. Address all the following. Include any out-sourced or additional contracts that you will not directly manage.
    - i. Hotel
    - ii. Hootch
    - iii. Meet & Greet
    - iv. Association Meetings
    - v. Banquet
    - vi. Farewell Event
    - vii. Golfing
    - viii. Tour (1)
    - **ix.** Tour (2)
    - x. Total Quote