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PanTeXas Deterrence, a team including TechSource, Inc., has been Awarded \$30 Billion Management and Operating Contract for Pantex Plant

July 15, 2024 – The U.S. Department of Energy's National Nuclear Security Administration (DOE/NNSA) awarded a \$30B Management and Operations contract to PanTeXas Deterrence LLC (PXD), a joint venture led by a BWX Technologies, Inc. subsidiary, to operate the NNSA Pantex Plant. TechSource, Inc., a leading science and engineering Veteran Owned Small Business (VOSB) in the national nuclear security mission space, will play a crucial role in the management and operations of the Pantex Plant as a dedicated small business and valued member of the PXD Team.

"TechSource is honored to be part of this historic contract. We anticipate being involved in three key mission challenges: reestablishing single-site management, scaling operations (with a focus on safety) to ensure mission fulfillment, and continuing to assist with recapitalization efforts, including high explosive and pit storage. We are excited to contribute our decades of nuclear weapon enterprise experience and expertise to operations and our Weapon Knowledge Preservation and Transfer (WKPT) initiative to workforce development. Together, we aim to support mission delivery at Pantex and beyond," said TechSource CEO, V. Brian D'Andrea.

DOE/NNSA's award of this Management and Operations contract for the Pantex Plant is a significant achievement that highlights the importance of national nuclear security. The contract covers an initial 5-year period with three additional five-year options. If all options are exercised, the contract will span 20 years, with a total funding level of approximately \$30B.

"Our unwavering commitment to collaborating with the entire PXD team ensures that our nation's nuclear weapons stockpile is maintained with unmatched care and precision. This contract award reaffirms TechSource's position as a trusted partner in the national security mission space. Over the past eight years, we have had the privilege of working closely with Dr. Kelly Beierschmitt, an exemplary operations leader at LANL, and we look forward to the continuation of this invaluable partnership," stated TechSource President and COO, Jeff Giangiuli.

John Meyers, Vice President, Federal Nuclear Programs, will lead TechSource's transition efforts as the contract moves into the implementation phase. Please direct inquiries about TechSource's efforts under this contract jmeyers@techsource-inc.com.

About TechSource

TechSource, Inc. a Veteran Owned Small Business (VOSB) is a premier provider of science, engineering, and technology expertise, services, and solutions for over 25 years. We leverage the decades of experience and expertise of each of our 500+ senior-level engineers, scientists, and leaders from the national laboratories, federal technology programs, and the nuclear industry to drive innovative solutions focused on mission delivery in national security domains. For our employees, we offer clear career paths, competitive compensation, and opportunities to learn from world-class mentors. TechSource is a multi-year Top Workplace awardee and was honored this year as DOE's *Small Business of the Year*. To learn more about TechSource please visit **TechSource-Inc.com**.