NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY: GeoEarthScope Geochronology RFP

In order to meet the goals of the EarthScope project, funded by the National Science Foundation (NSF), UNAVCO, Inc. intends to issue a Request for Proposals to identify organizations capable of providing geochronology services in support of the GeoEarthScope component of EarthScope. UNAVCO invites organizations that are interested in this opportunity to submit a Statement of Interest in order to be considered for inclusion in the RFP proposer’s list. The deadline for Statements of Interest is 26 January 2007.

Statements of Interest should include the following information:

- Organization name and affiliation.
- Point of contact.
- Geochronologic method(s) and age date product(s) the organization is capable of providing.
- A brief statement of the organization’s institutional resources, capabilities to provide geochronology services, and previously demonstrated ability to complete similar technical efforts.

Statements of Interest should be submitted by email to Dr. David Phillips, GeoEarthScope Project Manager, at phillips@unavco.org. For additional information, please contact Dr. Phillips by email or by telephone at 303-381-7471. Information is also available at http://unavco.org/geoearthscope.

EarthScope is an Earth science program to explore the 4-dimensional structure of the North American continent. GeoEarthScope is a component of the EarthScope project that includes the acquisition of aerial and satellite imagery and geochronology. GeoEarthScope is managed at UNAVCO. UNAVCO, a non-profit, membership-governed consortium, supports and promotes Earth science by advancing high-precision techniques for the measurement and understanding of deformation. UNAVCO also supports education to meet the needs of the community and the public.

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