

# Science and Technology Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) 24.4 Release 3

17 January 2024 -  
26 April 2024

## Event Outcomes

SOFWERX, on behalf of USSOCOM, advertised and conducted market research for a Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Phase I Open Topic. This effort involved a solicitation of contract proposals to demonstrate the scientific and technical merit and feasibility of the ideas that appear to have commercial potential.

- The SBIR Office received 57 proposals for this Phase I Open Topic
- SOFWERX hosted and coordinated a virtual Q&A session for potential solution offerers to gain a better understanding of this topic before submitting
- After evaluations, the SBIR Office selected 3 proposals to be recommended for Phase I award

PHASE I Open Topic:

SOCOM244-004: Handheld Kinetic Defeat of UAS

