

**RETURN BIDS TO:**  
**RETOURNER LES SOUMISSIONS À:**  
**Bid Receiving Public Works and Government  
Services Canada/Réception des soumissions  
Travaux publics et Services gouvernementaux  
Canada**  
#910, 410-22nd Street East  
Saskatoon  
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Bid Fax: (306) 975-5397

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL  
DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION**

**Proposal To: Public Works and Government  
Services Canada**

We hereby offer to sell to Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out herein, referred to herein or attached hereto, the goods, services, and construction listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out therefor.

**Proposition aux: Travaux Publics et Services  
Gouvernementaux Canada**

Nous offrons par la présente de vendre à Sa Majesté la Reine du chef du Canada, aux conditions énoncées ou incluses par référence dans la présente et aux annexes ci-jointes, les biens, services et construction énumérés ici sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

**Comments - Commentaires**

<b>Title - Sujet</b> 30FT Mower - Saskatchewan	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> W2585-121172/A	<b>Date</b> 2012-08-20
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> W2585-121172	
<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$STN-191-4527	
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> STN-2-35026 (191)	<b>CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME</b>
<b>Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin</b> <b>at - à 02:00 PM</b> <b>on - le 2012-10-01</b>	<b>Time Zone</b> <b>Fuseau horaire</b> Central Standard Time CST
<b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b> <b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b> Gerstmar, Denise	<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> stn191
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> (306) 975-8912 ( )	<b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b> (306) 975-5397
<b>Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction:</b> <b>Destination - des biens, services et construction:</b> Department of National Defence 17 Wing Detachment Dundurn Building 155 Dundurn SK S0K 1K0	

**Instructions: See Herein**

**Instructions: Voir aux présentes**

**Vendor/Firm Name and Address**  
**Raison sociale et adresse du  
fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur**

**Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution**  
Public Works and Government Services Canada/Réception  
des soumissions Travaux publics et Services  
gouvernementaux Canada  
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Saskatoon  
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<b>Delivery Required - Livraison exigée</b>	<b>Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée</b>
<b>Vendor/Firm Name and Address</b> <b>Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</b>	
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> <b>Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur</b>	
<b>Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm</b> <b>(type or print)</b> <b>Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b>	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

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## PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION

### 1. Security Requirement

There is no security requirement associated with the requirement.

### 2. Requirement

The requirement is detailed under Article 2 of the resulting contract clauses.

### 3. Debriefings

After contract award, bidders may request a debriefing on the results of the bid solicitation process. Bidders should make the request to the Contracting Authority within fifteen (15) working days of receipt of the results of the bid solicitation process. The debriefing may be in writing, by telephone or in person.

## PART 2 - BIDDER INSTRUCTIONS

### 1. Standard Instructions, Clauses and Conditions

All instructions, clauses and conditions identified in the bid solicitation by number, date and title are set out in the *Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions* (<http://ccua-sacc.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/pub/acho-eng.jsp>) Manual issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

Bidders who submit a bid agree to be bound by the instructions, clauses and conditions of the bid solicitation and accept the clauses and conditions of the resulting contract.

The 2003 (2012-07-11) Standard Instructions - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the bid solicitation.

Subsection 5.4 of 2003, Standard Instructions - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, is amended as follows:

Delete: sixty (60) days

Insert: one hundred and twenty (120) days

### 2. Submission of Bids

Bids must be submitted only to Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) Bid Receiving Unit by the date, time and place indicated on page 1 of the bid solicitation.

#### 2.1 Improvement of Requirement During Solicitation Period

Should bidders consider that the specifications or Statement of Work contained in the bid solicitation could be improved technically or technologically, bidders are invited to make suggestions, in writing, to the Contracting Authority named in the bid solicitation. Bidders must clearly outline the suggested improvement as well as the reason for the suggestion. Suggestions that do not restrict the level of competition nor favour a particular bidder will be given consideration provided they are submitted to the Contracting Authority at least fifteen (15) days before the bid closing date. Canada will have the right to accept or reject any or all suggestions.

### 3. Enquiries - Bid Solicitation

All enquiries must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority no later than fifteen (15) calendar days before the bid closing date. Enquiries received after that time may not be answered.

Bidders should reference as accurately as possible the numbered item of the bid solicitation to which the enquiry relates. Care should be taken by bidders to explain each question in sufficient detail in order to enable Canada to provide an accurate answer. Technical enquiries that are of a proprietary nature must be clearly marked "proprietary" at each relevant item. Items identified as "proprietary" will be treated as such except where Canada determines that the enquiry is not of a proprietary nature. Canada may edit the questions or may request that the Bidder do so, so that the proprietary nature of the question is eliminated, and the enquiry can be answered with copies to all bidders. Enquiries not submitted in a form that can be distributed to all bidders may not be answered by Canada.

### 4. Applicable Laws

Any resulting contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Saskatchewan.

Bidders may, at their discretion, substitute the applicable laws of a Canadian province or territory of their choice without affecting the validity of their bid, by deleting the name of the Canadian province or territory specified and inserting the name of the Canadian province or territory of their choice. If no change is made, it acknowledges that the applicable laws specified are acceptable to the bidders.

## PART 3 - BID PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

### 1. Bid Preparation Instructions

Canada requests that bidders provide their bid in separately bound sections as follows:

Section I: Technical Bid ( one (1) hard copies)

Section II: Financial Bid ( one (1) hard copies)

Section III: Certifications ( one (1) hard copies)

Prices must appear in the financial bid only. No prices must be indicated in any other section of the bid.

Canada requests that bidders follow the format instructions described below in the preparation of their bid:

- (a) use 8.5 x 11 inch (216 mm x 279 mm) paper;
- (b) use a numbering system that corresponds to the bid solicitation.

In April 2006, Canada issued a policy directing federal departments and agencies to take the necessary steps to incorporate environmental considerations into the procurement process Policy on Green Procurement (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ecologisation-greening/achats-procurement/politique-policy-eng.html>). To assist Canada in reaching its objectives, bidders are encouraged to:

- 1) use paper containing fibre certified as originating from a sustainably-managed forest and/or containing minimum 30% recycled content; and
- 2) use an environmentally-preferable format including black and white printing instead of colour printing, printing double sided/duplex, using staples or clips instead of cerlox, duotangs or binders.

**Section I: Technical Bid**

In their technical bid, bidders should explain and demonstrate how they propose to meet the requirements and how they will carry out the Work.

**Section II: Financial Bid**

Bidders must submit their financial bid in accordance with the Basis of Payment. The total amount of Goods and Services Tax (GST) or Harmonized Sales Tax (HST) must be shown separately, if applicable.

**1.1 SACC Manual Clauses**

C3011T - Exchange Rate Fluctuation 2010-01-11

**Section III: Certifications**

Bidders must submit the certifications required under Part 5.

**PART 4 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION****1. Evaluation Procedures**

- (a) Bids will be assessed in accordance with the entire requirement of the bid solicitation including the technical and financial evaluation criteria.
- (b) An evaluation team composed of representatives of Canada will evaluate the bids.

**1.1 Technical Evaluation****1.1.1 Mandatory Technical Criteria**

See Annex «A» Requirement

**1.2 Financial Evaluation**

SACC Manual Clause A0222T - Evaluation of Price 2007-05-25

**2. Basis of Selection - Mandatory Technical Criteria**

A bid must comply with the requirements of the bid solicitation and meet all mandatory technical evaluation criteria to be declared responsive. The responsive bid with the lowest evaluated price will be recommended for award of a contract.

**PART 5 - CERTIFICATIONS**

Bidders must provide the required certifications to be awarded a contract. Canada will declare a bid non-responsive if the required certifications are not completed and submitted as requested.

Compliance with the certifications bidders provide to Canada is subject to verification by Canada during the bid evaluation period (before award of a contract) and after award of a contract. The Contracting Authority will have the right to ask for additional information to verify bidders' compliance with the certifications before award of a contract. The bid will be declared non-responsive if any certification made by the Bidder is untrue, whether made knowingly or unknowingly. Failure to comply with the certifications or to comply with the request of the Contracting Authority for additional information will also render the bid non-responsive.

## 1. Code of Conduct Certifications - Consent to a Criminal Record Verification

Bidders must submit with their bid, by the bid solicitation closing date:

- (a) a complete list of names of all individuals who are currently directors of the Bidder;
- (b) a properly completed and signed form Consent to a Criminal Record Verification (PWGSC-TPSGC 229), for each individual named in the list.

## 2. Certifications Precedent to Contract Award

The certifications listed below should be completed and submitted with the bid, but may be submitted afterwards. If any of these required certifications is not completed and submitted as requested, the Contracting Authority will so inform the Bidder and provide the Bidder with a time frame within which to meet the requirement. Failure to comply with the request of the Contracting Authority and meet the requirement within that time period will render the bid non-responsive.

### 2.1 Federal Contractors Program - over \$25,000 and below \$200,000

Suppliers who are subject to the Federal Contractors Program (FCP) and have been declared ineligible contractors by Human Resources and Skills Development Canada (HRSDC) are no longer eligible to receive federal government contracts over the threshold for solicitation of bids as set out in the Government Contracts Regulations. Suppliers may be declared ineligible contractors either as a result of a finding of non-compliance by HRSDC, or following their voluntary withdrawal from the FCP for a reason other than the reduction of their workforce to less than 100 employees. Any bids from ineligible contractors, including a bid from a joint venture that has a member who is an ineligible contractor, will be declared non-responsive.

The Bidder, or, if the Bidder is a joint venture the member of the joint venture, certifies its status with the FCP, as follows:

The Bidder or the member of the joint venture

- a. ( ) is not subject to the FCP, having a workforce of less than 100 full-time or part-time permanent employees, and/or temporary employees having worked 12 weeks or more in Canada;
- b. ( ) is not subject to the FCP, being a regulated employer under the Employment Equity Act, S.C. 1995, c. 44;
- c. ( ) is subject to the requirements of the FCP, having a workforce of 100 or more full-time or part-time permanent employees, and/or temporary employees having worked 12 weeks or more in Canada, but has not previously obtained a certificate number from HRSDC, having not bid on requirements of \$200,000 or more;
- d. ( ) has not been declared an ineligible contractor by HRSDC, and has a valid certificate number as follows: \_\_\_\_\_ .

Further information on the FCP is available on the HRSDC Web site.

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## PART 6 - RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

### 1. Security Requirement

There is no security requirement associated with the requirement.

### 2. Requirement

The Contractor must provide one (1) 30 Ft Mower in accordance with the Requirement at Annex "A".

### 3. Standard Clauses and Conditions

All clauses and conditions identified in the Contract by number, date and title are set out in the *Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions* (<http://ccua-sacc.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/pub/acho-eng.jsp>) Manual issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

#### 3.1 General Conditions

2010A (2012-07-16), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity), apply to and form part of the Contract.

### 4. Term of Contract

#### 4.1 Delivery Date

Although delivery is requested on or before **01 November 2012**, the best delivery date offered is:

\_\_\_\_\_.

### 5. Authorities

#### 5.1 Contracting Authority

The Contracting Authority for the Contract is:

Name: Denise Gerstmar  
Title: Supply Officer  
Public Works and Government Services Canada  
Acquisitions Branch  
Directorate: Western  
Address: 910 - 410 22nd Street East, Saskatoon SK S7K 5T6  
  
Telephone: (306) 975-8912  
Facsimile: (306) 975-5397  
E-mail address: denise.gerstmar@pwgsc-tpsgc.gc.ca

The Contracting Authority is responsible for the management of the Contract and any changes to the Contract must be authorized in writing by the Contracting Authority. The Contractor must not perform work in excess of or outside the scope of the Contract based on verbal or written requests or instructions from anybody other than the Contracting Authority.

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## 5.2 Project Authority

The Project Authority for the Contract is:

### *To be determined*

The Project Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract and is responsible for all matters concerning the technical content of the Work under the Contract. Technical matters may be discussed with the Project Authority, however the Project Authority has no authority to authorize changes to the scope of the Work. Changes to the scope of the Work can only be made through a contract amendment issued by the Contracting Authority.

## 5.3 Contractor's Representative

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Facsimile: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

## 6. Payment

### 6.1 Basis of Payment

All prices are FOB destination, GST extra.

- One (1) 30 Ft Mower  
as detailed in Annex A - Requirement \$ \_\_\_\_\_/lot

Product Offered: \_\_\_\_\_

### 6.2 Basis of Payment - Firm Price

In consideration of the Contractor satisfactorily completing all of its obligations under the Contract, the Contractor will be paid a firm price, as specified in contract for a cost of ***\$insert the amount at contract award***. Customs duties are included and Goods and Services Tax or Harmonized Sales Tax is extra, if applicable.

Canada will not pay the Contractor for any design changes, modifications or interpretations of the Work, unless they have been approved, in writing, by the Contracting Authority before their incorporation into the Work.

### 6.3 Limitation of Price

SACC Manual clause C6000C - Limitation of Price 2011-05-16

### 6.4 Single Payment

SACC Manual clause H1000C - Single Payment 2008-05-12

### 6.5 SACC Manual Clauses

C2000C - Taxes - Foreign-based Contractor 2007-11-30

**7. Invoicing Instructions**

1. The Contractor must submit invoices in accordance with the section entitled "Invoice Submission" of the general conditions. Invoices cannot be submitted until all work identified in the invoice is completed
2. Invoices must be distributed as follows:
  - a. The original and one (1) copy must be forwarded to the address shown on page 1 of the Contract for certification and payment.

**8. Certifications**

Compliance with the certifications provided by the Contractor in its bid is a condition of the Contract and subject to verification by Canada during the term of the Contract. If the Contractor does not comply with any certification or it is determined that any certification made by the Contractor in its bid is untrue, whether made knowingly or unknowingly, Canada has the right, pursuant to the default provision of the Contract, to terminate the Contract for default.

**9. Applicable Laws**

The Contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Saskatchewan.

**10. Priority of Documents**

If there is a discrepancy between the wording of any documents that appear on the list, the wording of the document that first appears on the list has priority over the wording of any document that subsequently appears on the list.

- (a) the Articles of Agreement;
- (b) the general conditions 2010A -Goods (Medium Complexity) (2012-07-16);
- (c) Annex A, Requirement;
- (d) Annex B, Consent to a Criminal Record Verification Form;
- (d) the Contractor's bid dated \_\_\_\_\_

**11. Defence Contract**

SACC Manual clause A9006C - Defence Contract                      2008-05-12

**12. SACC Manual Clauses**

B7500C	Excess Goods	2006-06-16
G1005C	Insurance	2008-05-12

## ANNEX "A"

### REQUIREMENT

The Department of National Defence – Detachment Dundurn requires a 30Ft Mower.

	<u>Meet</u>	<u>Does Not Meet</u>	<u>Page Number</u>
1. Must have a minimum 30ft wide mowing capability	_____	_____	_____
2. Must be able to fit a tractor shaft of 1 3/4" diameter	_____	_____	_____
3. Must have a minimum cutting capacity of 2" diameter	_____	_____	_____
4. Must have a cutting height range of 2" – 15"	_____	_____	_____
5. Must have front and rear double chains	_____	_____	_____
6. Must have front belting	_____	_____	_____
7. Must have hydraulic actuated outer wings	_____	_____	_____
8. Must have front adjustable castor Wheels	_____	_____	_____
9. Must have the following type of blade: Updraft Blade	_____	_____	_____

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## **ANNEX "B"**

### **CONSENT TO A CRIMINAL RECORD VERIFICATION FORM**

See attached



FOR GOVERNMENT USE ONLY POUR USAGE DU GOUVERNEMENT SEULEMENT	
Special Investigations Directorate File No. N° de dossier de la Direction des enquêtes spéciales	Date Received (Y-A M D-J) Date de réception

## CONSENT TO A CRIMINAL RECORD VERIFICATION CONSENTEMENT À LA VÉRIFICATION DE L'EXISTENCE D'UN CASIER JUDICIAIRE

This form must be completed and signed by each individual who is currently on the Board of Directors of the Bidder/Offeror/Supplier and provided with the Bid/Offer/Arrangement.  
Le présent formulaire doit être rempli et signé par chaque membre du conseil d'administration du soumissionnaire/ de l'offrant/du fournisseur et fourni avec la soumission/l'offre/l'arrangement.

<b>A</b>	<b>PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT ÉNONCÉ CONCERNANT LA LOI SUR LA PROTECTION DES RENSEIGNEMENTS PERSONNELS</b>
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The personal information requested on this form is collected under the authority of subsection 750(3) of the *Criminal Code*, paragraph 42(1(c)) of the *Financial Administration Act*, and sections 7 and 21 of the *Department of Public Works and Government Services Act*. The information will be used for validating the criminal conviction certifications necessary for obtaining or maintaining a procurement instrument. It may be shared with other government departments, agencies, as well as provincial, territorial, and federal courts, within the limits of what is required to conduct the criminal conviction verification.

Les renseignements personnels demandés dans le présent formulaire sont recueillis en vertu du paragraphe 750(3) du *Code criminel*, du paragraphe 42(1(c)) de la *Loi sur la gestion des finances publiques* et des articles 7 et 21 de la *Loi sur le ministère des Travaux publics et des Services gouvernementaux*. Ces renseignements seront utilisés pour valider les attestations de condamnation au criminel nécessaires pour obtenir ou conserver un instrument d'approvisionnement. Les renseignements peuvent être diffusés à d'autres ministères et organismes fédéraux, ainsi qu'à des tribunaux provinciaux, territoriaux et fédéraux, dans les limites de ce qui est requis pour la vérification des condamnations au criminel.

A refusal to provide information will result in the bid/offer/arrangement being rejected or the contract terminated, the standing offer being set-aside or the supply arrangement being cancelled, as applicable.

À défaut de fournir les renseignements demandés, la soumission/l'offre/l'arrangement sera rejeté ou le contrat résilié, l'offre à commandes sera mise de côté ou l'arrangement en matière d'approvisionnement sera annulé, selon le cas.

The personal information is described in personal information bank PWGSC PPU 184 - Integrity Assessment Program. Individuals have a right of access to, correction of and protection of their information in accordance with the *Privacy Act*.

Les renseignements personnels sont décrits dans les fichiers de renseignement personnels n° TPSGC PPU 184 - Programme de l'évaluation de l'intégrité. Les personnes ont le droit d'accéder aux renseignements personnels qui les concernent, ainsi que de les faire corriger ou protéger, conformément à la *Loi sur la protection des renseignements personnels*.

<b>B</b>	<b>BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION - Must be completed by the individual RENSEIGNEMENTS BIOGRAPHIQUES - À remplir par l'individu</b>
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Family Name (Last Name) - Nom (de famille)	Family Name at Birth - Nom de famille à la naissance
Full Given Names (No initials) - Prénoms au complet (aucune initiale)	
All other previously used names (i.e. maiden name, previously married names, legal name change, nicknames) Tout autre nom utilisé (tel que nom de jeune fille, noms maritaux précédents, changement de nom légaux, sobriquets)	
Gender - Sexe <input type="checkbox"/> Male / Masculin <input type="checkbox"/> Female / Féminin	Date of Birth - Date de naissance (Y-A M D-J)

**Current Residential Information  
Information résidentielle actuelle**

Apartment No. - N° d'appartement	Street No. - N° civique	Street Name - Nom de la rue
City - Ville	Province	Postal Code - Code postal

<b>C</b>	<b>CONSENT - Must be signed by the individual CONSENTEMENT - Doit être signé par l'individu</b>
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I, the undersigned, confirm that I have read and understand the above *Privacy Act* statement and that I consent to the collection and use of my personal information as described therein.

Je, soussigné, confirme avoir pris connaissance de l'Énoncé concernant la *Loi sur la protection des renseignements personnels* et consens à la collecte et à l'utilisation des renseignements personnels fournis aux présentes.

Signature	
Print Name - Nom en lettres moulées	Date (Y-A M D-J)

<b>D</b>	<b>ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION - Internal Government Use Only RENSEIGNEMENTS ADMINISTRATIFS - Pour usage interne du gouvernement seulement</b>
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Requesting Branch/Sector/Directorate/Division - Direction générale/Secteur/Direction/Division requérante	
Solicitation/Proposed Contract No. - N° de la demande de soumission/N° du contrat	Date of Request (Y-A M D-J) Date de la demande
Requesting Contact Person - Personne-ressource requérante	Contact Person Tel. No. - N° de tél. de la personne-ressource