



**RETURN BIDS TO:** 

RETOURNER LES SOUMISSIONS Á:

Parks Canada Agency – Central Registry 111 Water Street East Cornwall, Ontario K6H 6S3

Bid Fax: 613-938-5785

# **QUESTIONS & ANSWERS #3 TO:**

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION

#### Tender To: Parks Canada Agency

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.

#### Soumission aux: l'Agence Parcs 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 at aux annexes ci-jointes, les biens, services et construction énumérés ici et sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

**Comments - Commentaries** 

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

Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution

Parks Canada Agency Contracting Operations 111 Water Street East Cornwall, Ontario K6H 6S3

Title-Sujet		Date
Construction of a pathway at Penouille Peninsula, in Forillon National Park, Quebec		September 5, 2013
Solicitation No No. de l'invitation   Client Ref.		No. – No. de réf du client.
10130554  GETS Reference No. – No de reference de SEAG		
GE18 Reference No. – No de reference de SEAG		
Solicitation Closes Time Zon		ne
L'invitation prend fin –	Fuseau ho	oraire -
at – á 10:00 AM on – le 2013-09-13 Eastern Da (EDT)		aylight Savings Time
F.O.B F.A.B.  Plant-Usine: □ Destination: □ Other-Autre: □		
Address Inquiries to: - Adresser toute demande de renseignements à :		
Annie Roy Telephone No No de téléphone	Fax No	No de FAX:
Telephone 100 100 de telephone	1 42 1 10	110 40 11111
613-938-5752 613-938-5785		
Destination of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destinations des biens, services et construction:		
See Herein		
Vendor/Firm Name and Address		
Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur		
Telephone No No de telephone:		
Facsimile No N° de télécopieur:		
Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of the Vendor/Firm Nom et titre de la personne autorisée a signer au nom du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur		
Signature		Date



### **QUESTIONS & ANSWERS #3**

## THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN ASKED BY POTENTIAL BIDDERS. FOR YOUR INFORMATION, BELOW ARE THE QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:

- **Q #1)** On drawing S3, at item "A" of the legend, it's mentioned that planks should be 76 x 184. However, the legend refers us to a detail drawing on which planks are 203 x 76 in size. Which size should we use?
- A #1) The dimensions shown on the drawings (76 x 203) are the gross dimensions of the timber, before flattening. After flattening (on 1 side), it is acceptable that the dimensions be slightly smaller. For the other pieces of wood (beams and columns), the dimensions given are the dimensions after flattening of the 4 sides.
- Q # 2) Do you have a survey marker on site?
- A # 2) Parks Canada will install a survey marker if there isn't one on site.
- **Q # 3)** About the wood, do we have to use only #1 grade timber?
- A # 3) The wood can be a mixture of both #1 and #2 grade with a maximum of 20% of #2 grade timber.
- Q # 4) Do we have to submit shop drawings for all structural elements of the pathway?
- A # 4) Shop drawings must be submitted for approval for screw piles and connectors. You do not have to submit shop drawings for the wooden structure of the pathway.
- **Q # 5)** Can we use a process of cold galvanizing for steel connectors?
- A # 5) Yes, you can use cold galvanizing for steel connectors, we'll accept Zinga or Rust Anode.
- **Q # 6)** Can you add bracing to the bid form, to be calculated as a unit price?
- **A # 6)** Yes, bracing will be added to the bid form. For longitudinal bracing, consider 220 units, one unit being a diagonal rod (not the X, just one rod). For cross bracing, consider 165 units, one unit being a diagonal rod (not an X, just a rod).

- Q #7) Who will be responsible for snow removal if work needs to be done during the winter?
- A # 7) The Contractor shall be responsible for snow removal during the winter season, if required.
- **Q # 8)** On the drawings, it shows that wheel guards should be installed using threaded bolts/rods. Can we use regular 26 or 28 inches bolts instead of threaded rods?
- A # 8) Yes, you can use regular bolts (of appropriate length) to install wheel guards.