



Royal Canadian Mounted Police

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INVITATION TO TENDER

Tender to: Royal Canadian Mounted Police

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 therefore.

APPEL D'OFFRES

Sousmission aux : Gendarmerie royale du Canada

Nous offrons par la présente de vendre à Sa Majesté l 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 – Commentaries

Vendor/Firm Name and Address

Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur

Telephone No. – No de téléphone:

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Facsimile No. – No de télécopieur:

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Title-Sujet Construction of the Water Main – Bible Hill Detachment, 283 Pictou Road, Bible Hill, Nova Scotia	
Solicitation No. – No. de l'invitation M4000-5-1824	Date August 13, 2014
Client Reference No. - No. de Référence du Client N/A	
GETS Reference No. – No de Référence du SEAG N/A	
Solicitation Closes – L'invitation prend fin at – à 2:00 P.M. AST on – SEPTEMBER 10, 2014 – le 10 SEPTEMBRE 2014	
F.O.B. - F.A.B. Destination	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toute questions à : Debbie Bungay	
Telephone No. - No de téléphone 902-720-5110	Fax: 902-426-7136
Destination of Goods - Destinations des biens: See Herein	
Instructions : See Herein / Voir aux présentes	
Delivery Required – Livraison exigée: See Herein / Voir aux présentes	
Name and Title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm. Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur	



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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO BIDDERS

THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS A SECURITY REQUIREMENT

CLAUSES REFERRED TO BY NUMBER (I.E. R2890D) CAN BE FOUND AT THE FOLLOWING WEB SITE <http://buyandsell.gc.ca> (to proceed with a search select "Search SACC" and insert clause reference number in ID box)

All references to the Department of Public Works & Government Services Canada (PWGSC) in the instructions, general terms, conditions and clauses identified in the Invitation to Tender (ITT) by number, date and title, are set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual (<http://buyandsell.gc.ca>) and are to be replaced with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP).

CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

All references to the Certificate of Insurance (form PWGSC-TPSGC 357) <http://buyandsell.gc.ca> in the instructions, general terms, conditions and clauses identified in the Invitation to Tender (ITT) by number, date and title, and set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual (<http://buyandsell.gc.ca>) are to be replaced with the "RCMP CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE / ATTESTATION D'ASSURANCE - GRC" attached in Appendix 1 .



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The following GI's are included by reference and are available at the following Web Site <http://buyandsell.gc.ca> (to proceed with a "search" insert R2710T in the ID box)

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS (SI)

SI01 BID DOCUMENTS

- 1) The following are the bid documents:
 - (a) Invitation to Tender - Page 1;
 - (b) Special Instructions to Bidders;
 - (c) General Instructions to Bidders R2710T (2014-06-26);
 - (d) Clauses & Conditions identified in "Contract Documents";
 - (e) Drawings and Specifications;
 - (f) Bid and Acceptance Form and related Appendice(s); and
 - (g) Any amendment issued prior to solicitation closing.

Submission of a bid constitutes acknowledgement that the Bidder has read and agrees to be bound by these documents.

- 2) General Instructions to Bidders is incorporated by reference and is set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual, issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC). The SACC Manual is available on the PWGSC Web site: <http://buyandsell.gc.ca>

SI02 ENQUIRIES DURING THE SOLICITATION PERIOD

- 1) Enquiries regarding this bid must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Officer named on the Invitation to Tender - Page 1 as early as possible within the solicitation period. Except for the approval of alternative materials as described in GI16 of R2710T "General Instructions to Bidders", enquiries should be received no later than five (5) calendar days prior to the date set for solicitation closing to allow sufficient time to provide a response. Enquiries received after that time may not result in an answer being provided.
- 2) To ensure consistency and quality of the information provided to Bidders, the Contracting Officer shall examine the content of the enquiry and shall decide whether or not to issue an amendment.
- 3) All enquiries and other communications related to this bid sent throughout the solicitation period are to be directed ONLY to the Contracting Officer named on the Invitation to Tender - Page 1. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the bid being declared non-responsive.

SI03 SITE VISIT

There will be a site visit on September 4, 2014 at 10:00 A.M. Interested Bidders are to meet at Bible Hill Detachment, Nova Scotia.

SI04 REVISION OF BID

A bid may be revised by letter or facsimile in accordance with GI11 of R2710T "General Instructions to Bidders". The facsimile number for receipt of revisions is (902) 426-7136.

SI05 BID RESULTS

- 1) A public bid opening will be held in the office designated on the Front Page "Invitation to Tender" for the receipt of bids shortly after the time set for solicitation closing.
- 2) Following solicitation closing, bid results may be obtained by calling (902) 720-5110.



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SI06 INSUFFICIENT FUNDING

In the event that the lowest compliant bid exceeds the amount of funding allocated for the Work, Canada in its sole discretion may

- a) cancel the solicitation; or
- b) obtain additional funding and award the Contract to the Bidder submitting the lowest compliant bid; and/or
- c) negotiate a reduction in the bid price and/or scope of work of not more than 15% with the Bidder submitting the lowest compliant bid. Should an agreement satisfactory to Canada not be reached, Canada shall exercise option (a) or (b).

SI07 BID VALIDITY PERIOD

- 1) Canada reserves the right to seek an extension to the bid validity period prescribed in BA04 of the Bid and Acceptance Form. Upon notification in writing from Canada, Bidders shall have the option to either accept or reject the proposed extension.
- 2) If the extension referred to in paragraph 1) of SI07 is accepted, in writing, by all those who submitted bids, then Canada shall continue immediately with the evaluation of the bids and its approvals processes.
- 3) If the extension referred to in paragraph 1) of SI07 is not accepted in writing by all those who submitted bids then Canada shall, at its sole discretion, either
 - (a) continue to evaluate the bids of those who have accepted the proposed extension and seek the necessary approvals; or
 - (b) cancel the invitation to tender.
- 4) The provisions expressed herein do not in any manner limit Canada's rights in law or under G112 of R2710T "General Instructions to Bidders".

SI08 CONSTRUCTION DOCUMENTS

The successful contractor will be provided with one paper copy of the sealed and signed drawings, the specifications and the amendments upon acceptance of the offer. Obtaining more copies shall be the responsibility of the contractor including costs.



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SI09 SECURITY CLEARANCE

Not Applicable

SI10 WEB SITES

The connection to some of the Web sites in the solicitation documents is established by the use of hyperlinks. The following is a list of the addresses of the Web sites:

Treasury Board Appendix L, Acceptable Bonding Companies

<http://www.tbs-sct.gc.ca/pol/doc-eng.aspx?id=14494§ion=text#appl>

Contracts Canada (Buy and Sell)

<https://www.achatsetventes-buyandsell.gc.ca/eng/welcome>

Canadian economic sanctions

<http://www.international.gc.ca/sanctions/index.aspx?lang=eng>

Contractor Performance Evaluation Report (Form PWGSC-TPSGC 2913)

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/2913.pdf>

Bid Bond (form PWGSC-TPSGC 504) <http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/504.pdf>

Performance Bond (form PWGSC-TPSGC 505) <http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/505.pdf>

Labour and Material Payment Bond (form PWGSC-TPSGC 506)

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/506.pdf>

SACC Manual <http://buyandsell.gc.ca>

Schedules of Wage Rates for Federal Construction Contracts

http://www.rhdcc-hrsdc.gc.ca/eng/labour/employment_standards/contracts/schedule/index.shtml

PWGSC, Industrial Security Services 14-03-01 <http://ssi-iss.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/index-eng.html>



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CONTRACT DOCUMENTS (CD)

- 1) The following are the contract documents:
 - (a) Contract Page when signed by Canada;
 - (b) Duly completed Bid and Acceptance Form and any Appendices attached thereto;
 - (c) Drawings and Specifications;
 - (d) General Conditions and clauses

GC1 General Provisions	R2810D	(2014-06-26);
GC2 Administration of the Contract	R2820D	(2014-06-26);
GC3 Execution and Control of the Work	R2830D	(2014-03-01);
GC4 Protective Measures	R2840D	(2008-05-12);
GC5 Terms of Payment	R2850D	(2010-06-16);
GC6 Delays and Changes in the Work	R2860D	(2013-04-25);
GC7 Default, Suspension or Termination of Contract	R2870D	(2008-05-12);
GC8 Dispute Resolution	R2880D	(2012-07-16);
GC9 Contract Security	R2890D	(2014-06-26);
GC10 Insurance	R2900D	(2008-05-12);

Supplementary Conditions

Allowable Costs for Contract Changes Under GC6.4.1	R2950D	(2014-06-26);
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 - (e) Any amendment issued or any allowable bid revision received before the date and time set for solicitation closing;
 - (f) Any amendment incorporated by mutual agreement between Canada and the Contractor before acceptance of the bid; and
 - (g) Any amendment or variation of the contract documents that is made in accordance with the General Conditions.
- 2) The documents identified by title, number and date above are incorporated by reference and are set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual, issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC). The SACC Manual is available on the PWGSC Web site:
<http://buyandsell.gc.ca>
- 3) Schedules of Wage Rates for Federal Construction Contracts is included by reference and may be accessed from the Web site:
http://www.rhdcc-hrsdc.gc.ca/eng/labour/employment_standards/contracts/schedule/index.shtml.
- 4) The language of the contract documents is the language of the Bid and Acceptance Form submitted.



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BID AND ACCEPTANCE FORM (BA)

BA01 IDENTIFICATION

Royal Canadian Mounted Police have a requirement for construction of the Water Main at the existing RCMP detachment located at 283 Pictou Road, Bible Hill, Nova Scotia. Work is further detailed in the Specification and Drawings for the project.

BA02 BUSINESS NAME AND ADDRESS OF BIDDER

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ E-Mail _____

BA03 THE OFFER

The Bidder offers to Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada to perform and complete the Work for the above named project in accordance with the Bid Documents for the Total Bid Amount of

\$ _____ excluding GST/HST.

BA04 BID VALIDITY PERIOD

The bid shall not be withdrawn for a period of 30 days following the date of solicitation closing.

BA05 ACCEPTANCE AND CONTRACT

Upon acceptance of the Contractor's offer by Canada, a binding Contract shall be formed between Canada and the Contractor. The documents forming the Contract shall be the contract documents identified in Contract Documents (CD).

BA06 CONSTRUCTION TIME

The Contractor shall perform and complete the Work within twenty-eight (28) days from the date of notification of acceptance of the offer.

BA07 BID SECURITY

The Bidder is enclosing bid security with its bid in accordance with GI09 - Bid Security Requirements of R2710T - General Instructions to Bidders.

BA08 SIGNATURE

Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Bidder (Type or print)

Signature

Date



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CONTRACT - MARCHÉ				
Description and Location of Work -Description et endroit des travaux				Contract No. -N° de contrat
				Project No. -N° de projet
INSURER - ASSUREUR		BROKER - COURTIER		
Name-Nom		Name-Nom		
Address (No., Street)-Adresse (N°, rue)		Address (No., Street)- Adresse (N°, rue)		
City -Ville		City -Ville		
Province	Postal Code -Code postal	Province	Postal Code -Code postal	
INSURED - ASSURÉ		ADDITIONAL INSURED -ASSURÉ ADDITIONNEL		
Name of Contractor - Nom de l' entrepreneur		Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada as represented by the Minister of Public Safety Canada.		
Address (No., Street)-Adresse (N°, rue)		Sa Majesté la Reine du chef du Canada représentée par le Ministre de la Sécurité publique Canada.		
City -Ville				
Province	Postal Code -Code postal			
This insurer certifies that the following policies of insurance are at present in force covering all operations of the Insured. in connection with the contract made between the named insured and Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada, represented by the Minister of Public Safety Canada.		L'assureur atteste que les polices d'assurance suivantes sont présentement en vigueur et couvrent toutes les activités de l'assuré, en fonction du marché conclu entre l'Assuré dénommé et Sa Majesté la Reine du chef du Canada représentée par le Ministre de la Sécurité publique Canada.		
POLICY -POLICE				
Type Genre	Number Numéro	Inception Date Date d'effet	Expiry Date Date d'expiration	Limit of Liability Limites de garantie
Commercial General Liability Responsabilité civile des entreprises				
Builder's Risk "All Risks" Assurance des chantiers « Tous risques »				
Installation Floater "All Risks" Risques d'installation ((T ous risques))				
Other (List) -Autre (enumerer)				
Each of these policies includes the coverages and provisions as specified in Insurance Terms and each policy has been endorsed to cover Her Majesty as an Additional Insured. The Insurer agrees to notify Her Majesty and the Named insured in writing thirty (30) days prior to any material change in, or cancellation of any policy or coverage.		Chacune des présentes polices renferment les garanties et dispositions spécifiées aux Conditions d'assurances, et chaque police a été amendée pour couvrir Sa Majesté en tant qu'assuré additionnel. L'assureur convient de donner un préavis de trente (30) jours à Sa Majesté et à l'assuré désigné en cas de changement visant la garantie d'assurance		
Name of Insurer's Officer or Authorized Employee -Nom du cadre ou de la personne autorisée		Telephone Number – Numéro de téléphone		
Signature		Date (Y-A M D-J)		