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TENDER AMENDMENT MODIFICATION D'APPEL D'OFFRES

Comments

The referenced document is hereby amended: unless otherwise indicated, all other terms and conditions of the contract remain the same.

Commentaires

Ce document est par la présente révisé; sauf indication contraire, les modalités de l'invitation demeurent les mêmes.

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Title Sujet : Mt. Dennis Slope Stabilization in Yoho National Park, BC Stabilisation de talus pour Mt. Dennis dans le parc national Yoho, en C.-B.		
Solicitation No. N° de l'invitation : 5P420-14-5118/A	Date : July 17, 2015 17 juillet 2015	
GETS Reference No. N° de référence de SEAG : PW-15-00692602	Client Reference No. N° de référence du client : LLYK15-04-001	
Solicitation Closes L'invitation prend fin :		
At À : 02:00 PM 14h00	On Le : July 24, 2015 24 juillet 2015	Time Zone Fuseau horaire : Mountain Daylight Time (MDT) Heure avancée des Rocheuses (HAR)
F.O.B. F.A.B. : Plant Usine : <input type="checkbox"/> Destination : <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Autre : <input type="checkbox"/>		
Address Inquiries to Adresser toute demande de renseignements à : Adam Krisch		
Telephone No. N° de téléphone : (403) 292-4560	Fax No. N° de télécopieur : (403) 292-4475	Email Address Courriel : adam.krisch@pc.gc.ca
Destination of Goods, Services, and/ or Construction Destinations des biens, services et construction : See Herein Voir aux présentes		

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE BIDDER (type or print) | À REMPLIR PAR LE SOUMISSIONNAIRE (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)

Vendor/ Firm Name Raison sociale du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur	
Address Adresse	
Name of person authorized to sign on behalf of the Vendor/ Firm Nom de la personne autorisée a signer au nom du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur	
Title Titre	
Telephone No. N° de téléphone	Facsimile No. N° de télécopieur
Signature	Date

Solicitation No.
5P420-15-5118/A

Amendment No.
01

Contracting Authority
Adam Krisch

Client Reference No.
LLYK15-04-001

Title
Mt. Dennis Slope Stabilization in Yoho National Park, BC

This amendment is raised to distribute information and discussion from the mandatory bidders' teleconference held July 17, 2015. The completion date for the work under a resulting contract is amended to August 24, 2015. The closing date for submission of a bid is extended until July, 24, 2015.

The closing date for Invitation to Tender 5P420-15-5118/A, titled *Mt. Dennis Slope Stabilization in Yoho National Park, BC*, is extended from July 22, 2015 until July 24, 2015 at 2:00PM Mountain Daylight Time (MDT).

The following bidders attended the mandatory bidders' teleconference and may submit a bid in response to Invitation to Tender 5P420-15-5118/A titled *Mt. Dennis Slope Stabilization in Yoho National Park, BC*:

- Dawson Construction
- Golder Associates
- Clifton Associates
- Big Rock Construction Company
- Iron Horse Earthworks
- Max Helmer Construction
- Tyee Construction

Bidders who are not listed above will not be given an alternative appointment and their bid will be declared non-responsive.

1. Mandatory Bidders' Teleconference

- *Bidder attendance, introductions of PCA and TetraTech EBA (consultant) representatives.*
- *Teleconference required rather than site visit as site access is a challenge.*
- *Wildfires occurring in the mountains and north into the Territories may make securing a helicopter a challenge and this should be considered as part of the critical path for bidders.*
- *Additional bidder questions may be presented up to 12:00PM Mountain Daylight Time on Monday, July 20, 2015. All questions must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority:*

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- *Additional site photos to those provided in the original Drawings and Specifications package will be uploaded to the Government Electronic Tendering Service at: <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/tenders>. It is anticipated that additional photos will be available to bidders for download on Monday, July 20, 2015. Photos will provide an orientation of the proposed pipeline and a sense of the terrain where piping will be installed. Please note that the coordinates provided with the photo package are only accurate within roughly 5 to 10 metres. Work will be fit in the field with the support of TetraTech EBA for quality assurance.*

1.1. Question

Can coordinates be provided for the Yoho Ranch?

Answer:

Yes. Coordinates for the Yoho Ranch are: 51°22'44" 116°30'38".

1.1.1. Question

Is the intent that the Yoho Ranch will be used as a staging area?

Answer:

Yes. If this is chosen to be the location, Parks Canada must be notified in advance as horses at the Yoho Ranch may need to be relocated due to helicopter activity.

1.2. Question

Are helicopters to be paid for by the contractor?

Answer:

Yes.

1.2.1. Question

If helicopters cannot be secured due to wildfire activities will an extension to the work be considered?

Answer:

Yes.

1.2.2. Question

Would an extension to the work also be considered if fire hazard becomes extreme and delays work?

Answer:

Yes. Threat to personnel and assets will be evaluated by Parks Canada if fire hazard risks are a concern. An extension will be granted should the risk be too severe to proceed with the work as scheduled.

1.3. Question

Does the wood to be cleared from the site remain where it is felled?

Answer:

The wood does remain on-site but it is not simply left where it is felled. See item 3.4. *Removal and Disposal* under section 31 11 00 *Clearing and Grubbing* of the Specifications.

1.4. Question

What are intake and outlet structures required for the pipe?

Answer:

There are no intake or outlet structures. There are some tie-off cables shown in the Specifications. It is quite rocky where the outlet will be situated. On the upstream end there is a long ditch and berm combination where high velocity of the water is not expected so the water will simply feed into the pipe. The outfall will be discharged in an area where there is a suitable gradient so that erosion will not be excessive.

1.5. Question

Is bid security a requirement at bid closing?

Answer:

Yes. The amount of bid security required is 10% of the bid amount (\$2,000,000 maximum). See GI08 of R2710T – General Instructions – Construction Services – Bid Security. An original copy of the bid security must be received by the Parks Canada Bid Receiving Unit prior to the solicitation deadline. Please note that the closing date for this Invitation to Tender has been extended until July 24, 2015.

1.6. Question

Is a completion date of November 30, 2015 correct?

Answer:

No. All work must be completed by August 24, 2015 with substantial completion by August 17, 2015.

1.6.1. Amendment to BA06 CONSTRUCTION TIME

Delete:

The Contractor shall perform and complete the Work by **November 30, 2015**.

Insert:

The Contractor shall perform and complete the Work by **August 24, 2015**.

- *If a bidder does want to view the site, there is a rough stake line in Yoho NP where you'll see an orange stake along the trail and you can see the spotted sites by orange stakes going both directions from the trail.*

1.7. Question

Is permission required to fly in with a helicopter?

Answer:

Yes. A Restricted Access Permit (RAP) is required to operate a helicopter in Yoho National Park (YNP). Helicopters will be unable to operate in YNP during the weekend of July 18th and 19th. A restricted access permit may be granted for July 20th or later by contacting Gloria Sundbow at (250) 347-6151. Gloria can work directly with the helicopter company to prepare and issue a RAP. The helicopter company will require a business license to operate in the Park which can be provided by Elaine Lemieux who may be contacted at (250) 343-6106. Please note that the closing date for this Invitation to Tender has been extended until July 24, 2015.

1.8. Question

What kind of permits are required to perform work in YNP?

Answer:

A RAP is required for operating the helicopter. A RAP is also required for project construction. A business license is required for conducting business in the Park which will require a copy of insurance, GST number, and company name and address.

All other terms and conditions of the contract remain the same.