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**INVITATION TO TENDER**  
**APPEL D'OFFRES**

**Tender 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.

**Soumission 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 et sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

**Comments - Commentaires**

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

**Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution**

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<b>Title - Sujet</b> Greenstone NRCan/Parks Fit-up	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> EW038-161131/A	<b>Date</b> 2015-10-13
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> NRCAN EW038-161131	<b>GETS Ref. No. - N° de réf. de SEAG</b> PW-\$PWU-107-10589
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> PWU-5-38195 (107)	<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 2015-11-03</b>	
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<b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b> Anthony, Mary	<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> pwu107
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**Instructions: See Herein**

**Instructions: Voir aux présentes**

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<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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## **INVITATION TO TENDER**

### **IMPORTANT NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

#### **LIMITATION OF LIABILITY**

PWGSC is limiting the Contractor's first party liability for work in Low Rise, High Rise and Heritage Buildings. See changes to GC1.6 "Indemnification by the Contractor" of R2810D in the Supplementary Conditions.

#### **SUPPORT THE USE OF APPRENTICES**

Through Canada's Economic Action Plan 2013, the Government of Canada proposes to support the employment of apprentices in federal construction and maintenance projects. Refer to SI11.

#### **INTEGRITY PROVISIONS - BID**

Important changes have been made to the Integrity Provisions as of July 3<sup>rd</sup> 2015. See GI01, Integrity Provision-Bid of R2710T of the General Instructions for more information.

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The following GI's are included by reference and are available at the following Web Site <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual/5/R>

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## **SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS (SI)**

### **SI01 INTEGRITY PROVISIONS – DECLARATION OF CONVICTED OFFENCES**

As applicable, pursuant to GI01 of the Declaration of Convicted Offences, paragraph 10 (copied below) of the General Instructions R2710T, the Bidder must provide with its bid, a completed [Declaration Form](#), to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

#### *Declaration of Convicted Offences*

*Where a Bidder or its Affiliate is unable to certify that it has not been convicted of any of the offences referenced under the Canadian Offences Resulting in Legal Incapacity, the Canadian Offences and the Foreign Offences subsections, the Bidder must provide with its bid the completed [Declaration Form](#), to be given further consideration in the procurement process.*

### **SI02 BID DOCUMENTS**

1. The following are the bid documents:

- a. Invitation to Tender - Page 1;
- b. Special Instructions to Bidders;
- c. General Instructions - Construction Services - Bid Security Requirements R2710T (2015-07-03)
- d. Clauses & Conditions identified in "Contract Documents";
- e. Drawings and Specifications;
- f. Bid and Acceptance Form and related Appendix(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 - Construction Services - Bid Security Requirements R2710T 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: <https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual/5/R>

### **SI03 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 GI15 of R2710T, 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.

### **SI04 OPTIONAL SITE VISIT**

There will be a site visit on Thursday, October 22, 2015 at 10:00 am. Attendees to meet on the main floor of the Greenstone Building, 5105 - Franklin Avenue, Lot 26/block 32, Yellowknife, NT X1A 3Z4.

### **SI05 REVISION OF BID**

A bid may be revised by letter or facsimile in accordance with GI10 of R2710T. The facsimile number for receipt of revisions is (780) 497-3510.

## **SI06 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 telephone number (780) 237-7582.

## **SI07 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).

## **SI08 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 SI08 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 SI08 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 GI11 of R2710T.

## **SI09 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. One electronic copy will be provided free of charge upon request by the Contractor. Obtaining more copies shall be the responsibility of the Contractor including costs.

## SI10 Tlicho Agreement

"The resulting Contract is to be used for deliveries within Comprehensive Land Claims Settlement Areas (CLCSAs) within the Northwest Territories. The following CLCSA agreement(s) will apply to the proposed Contract:

- 1) Tlicho Land Claims Agreement, *Chapter 26 - Economic Measures.*"  
(<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/al/ldc/ccl/fagr/nwts/tliagr/tliagr-eng.pdf>)

In compliance with the requirements of Chapter 26 - Economic Measures, of the Tlicho Land Claims and Self-Government Agreement, the following conditions shall apply in the award of any Contract resulting from this solicitation:

### Contractor Selection

Any contract resulting from this solicitation will be awarded to the responsive bidder whose total assessed bid price is the lowest. In order to be considered responsive, a bid must satisfy all mandatory terms, conditions, and specifications of this solicitation document. The total assessed bid price will be used for evaluation purposes only and will be calculated by reducing the total actual bid price by a percentage equal to the total number of points assigned through evaluation of the bid in accordance with the Tlicho Agreement.

### Tlicho Bid Criteria

For the portion of the work specifically undertaken in the Mōwhì Gogha Dè Nīṭāèè (NWT) area as defined in the Tlicho Land Claims and Self-Government Agreement, bids will be evaluated and allocated a range of points in accordance with the degree to which the Bidder's proposed method of carrying out the work meets the objectives of the following criteria.

In this requirement "Tlicho Representations" will allow for up to a maximum of 10% downward adjustment to a proponent's price, for evaluation purposes only, in accordance with the following Bid Criteria. This provides for socioeconomic benefits in the region.

BID CRITERIA	TOTAL AVAILABLE POINTS
(a) The existence of head offices, administrative offices or other facilities in Mōwhì Gogha Dè Nīṭāèè (NWT).	2 Points
(b) The employment of Tlicho First Nation labour, engagement of Tlicho First Nation professional services, or use of Tlicho suppliers which can act as sub-contractors in assisting with the carrying out of the contract.	5 Points
(c) the undertaking of commitments, under the contract, with respect to on-the-job training or skills development for Tlicho Citizens.	3 Points
<b>TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS</b>	<b>10 Points</b>

For purposes of interpretation:

"Tlicho supplier" means an entity which complies with the legal requirements to carry on a business in the Northwest Territories and which is a limited company that can demonstrate that more than 50% of the company's voting shares beneficially owned and controlled by Tlicho Citizens, or is a cooperative controlled by Tlicho Citizens, or is a Tlicho Citizens' sole proprietorship or partnership.

"Tlicho Citizen" and "Tlicho First Nation" are as defined in Chapter 1 (Interpretation) of the Tlicho Land Claims and Self-Government Agreement.

"deliveries to" means "goods delivered to, and services performed in".

## **Evaluation and Assessment - Submission Requirements**

In order for a bid to be assigned points for representations made in respect of any criterion (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Tlicho Representations"), appropriately documented evidence of conformance with the stated objective of the criterion must be provided with the tender submission.

The Minister reserves the right to verify any information provided in the "Tlicho Representations" and that untrue statements may result in the tender being declared non-responsive.

## **Treatment of Representations and Warranties**

The Bidder acknowledges that:

- a) the Minister relies upon the "Tlicho Representations" to evaluate bids; and
- b) the "Tlicho Representations" shall become covenants under any contract(s) resulting from this solicitation.

## **Contracting Policy Notice 2006-4**

### **26.3 Government Employment and Contracts**

26.3.1 Where government carries out public activities wholly or partly in Môwhì Gogha Dè Nîitâèè (NWT) which give rise to employment or other economic opportunities and government elects to enter into contracts with respect to those activities,

- (a) the Government of Canada shall follow its contracting procedures and approaches intended to maximize local, regional and Aboriginal employment and business opportunities, including the provision of opportunities for potential contractors to become familiar with bidding systems; and
- (b) the Government of the Northwest Territories shall follow its preferential contracting policies, procedures and approaches intended to maximize local, regional and northern employment and business opportunities.

## **SI11 WCB AND SAFETY PROGRAM**

1. The recommended Bidder shall provide to the Contracting Authority, prior to Contract award:

- 1.1 a Workers' Safety and Compensation Claims Cost Summary - *Northwest Territories & Nunavut*, or equivalent documentation from another jurisdiction;
- 1.2 a Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission letter of good standing, also listing covered Directors, Principals, Proprietor(s) or Partners who will be or who are anticipated to be present on the work site(s), or equivalent documentation from another jurisdiction; and
- 1.3 a Certificate of Recognition (COR) or Registered Safety Plan (RSP). A health and safety policy and program, as required by other provincial/territorial Occupational Health and Safety Acts, will be acceptable in lieu of a COR or RSP.

2. The recommended Bidder shall deliver all of the above documents to the Contracting Authority on or before the date stated (usually 3-5 days after notification) by the Contracting Authority. Failure to comply with the request may result in the bid being declared non-compliant.

Exemption to Generic Safety Programs (*Northwest Territories & Nunavut Territory only*) - Contractors having ten (10) or less employees do not require a written program. However, evidence of a system to manage health and safety remains a requirement.

## **SI12 PUBLIC WORKS AND GOVERNMENT SERVICES CANADA APPRENTICE PROCUREMENT INITIATIVE**

1. To encourage employers to participate in apprenticeship training, Contractors bidding on construction and maintenance contracts by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) are being asked to sign a voluntary certification, signaling their commitment to hire and train apprentices.

2. Canada is facing skills shortages across various sectors and regions, especially in the skilled trades. Equipping Canadians with skills and training is a shared responsibility. In Economic Action Plan (EAP) 2013, the Government of Canada made a commitment to support the use of apprentices in federal construction and maintenance contracts. Contractors have an important role in supporting apprentices through hiring and training and are encouraged to certify that they are providing opportunities to apprentices as part of doing business with the Government of Canada.
3. Through the Economic Action Plan 2013 and support for training programs, the Government of Canada is encouraging apprenticeships and careers in the skilled trades. In addition, the government offers a tax credit to employers to encourage them to hire apprentices. Information on this tax measure administered by the Canada Revenue Agency can be found at: [www.cra-arc.gc.ca](http://www.cra-arc.gc.ca). Employers are also encouraged to find out what additional information and supports are available from their respective provincial or territorial jurisdiction.
4. Signed certifications (Appendix 2) will be used to better understand contractor use of apprentices on Government of Canada maintenance and construction contracts and may inform future policy and program development.
5. The Contractor hereby certifies the following:

In order to help meet demand for skilled trades people, the Contractor agrees to use, and require its subcontractors to use, reasonable commercial efforts to hire and train registered apprentices, to strive to fully utilize allowable apprenticeship ratios \* and to respect any hiring requirements prescribed by provincial or territorial statutes

The Contractor hereby consents to this information being collected and held by PWGSC, and Employment and Social Development Canada to support work to gather data on the hiring and training of apprentices in federal construction and maintenance contracts.

To support this initiative, a voluntary certification signaling the Contractor's commitment to hire and train apprentices is available at Appendix 2.

If you accept fill out and sign Appendix 2

*\* The journey-person-apprentice ratio is defined as the number of qualified/certified journeypersons that an employer must employ in a designated trade or occupation in order to be eligible to register an apprentice as determined by provincial/territorial (P/T) legislation, regulation, policy directive or by law issued by the responsible authority or agency.*

### SI13 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&section=text#appl>

Buy and Sell <https://www.achatsetventes-buyandsell.gc.ca>

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

Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual  
<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual/5/R>

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

PWGSC, Code of Conduct and Certifications

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/cndt-cndct/contexte-context-eng.html>

Construction and Consultant Services Contract Administration Forms Real Property Contracting

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/formulaires-forms-eng.html>

Declaration Form

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/formulaire-form-eng.html>

## **SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS (SC)**

### **SC01 SECURITY RELATED REQUIREMENTS**

There is no document security requirement applicable to this Contract.

### **SC02 WORKPLACE SAFETY AND HEALTH**

#### **1. EMPLOYER/PRINCIPAL CONTRACTOR**

- 1.1 The Contractor shall, for the purposes of the Safety Act and General Safety Regulations, Northwest Territories & Nunavut Territory, and for the duration of the Work:
  - 1.1.1 act as the Employer, where there is only one employer on the work site, in accordance with the Authority Having Jurisdiction;
  - 1.1.2 assume the role of Principal Contractor, where there are two or more employers involved in work at the same time and space at the work site, in accordance with the Authority Having Jurisdiction; and
  - 1.1.3 agree, in the event of two or more Contractors working at the same time and space at the work site, without limiting the General Conditions, to Canada's order \* to:
    - 1.1.3.1 assume, as the Principal Contractor, the responsibility for Canada's other Contractor(s); or
    - 1.1.3.2 accept that Canada's other Contractor is Principal Contractor and conform to that Contractor's Site Specific Health and Safety Plan.

\* "order" definition: after contract award, Contractor is ordered by a Change Order

#### **2. SUBMITTALS**

- 2.1 The Contractor shall provide to Canada:
  - 2.1.1 prior to the pre-construction meeting, a transmittal and copy of a completed Notice of Project form PWGSC - TPSGC 458 (form will be provided to the proposed contractor prior to award), as sent to the Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ); and
  - 2.1.2 prior to commencement of work and without limiting the terms of the General Conditions:
    - 2.1.2.1 copies of all other necessary permits, notifications and related documents as called for in the scope of work/specifications and/or by the AHJ; and
    - 2.1.2.2 a site specific Health and Safety Plan as requested.

*NOTE: Please do not include any forms that include personal 3rd party information such as the names of the contractor's employees and their related claims information.*

#### **3. LABOUR AUTHORITY CONTACT:**

*The contact below represents the Labour Authority in the jurisdiction (AHJ). They are not representatives of the Workers Compensation.*

Do not contact the people referenced below for issues pertaining to WCB or WCB Clearances. Those queries must be directed specifically to the WCB, and where the WCB has both a Labour and Compensation component, WCB issues must be directed to the Compensation/Employer Services sections.

#### **NORTHWEST TERRITORIES**

Workers' Safety and Compensation  
Northwest Territories and Nunavut  
Prevention Services  
Box 8888  
Yellowknife, NT, X1A 2R3  
Attention:Chief Industrial Safety Officer

Telephone: (867) 669-4418  
Facsimile: (867) 873-0262

#### **NUNAVUT**

Workers' Safety and Compensation  
Northwest Territories and Nunavut  
Prevention Services  
Box 8888  
Yellowknife, NT, X1A 2R3  
Attention:Chief Industrial Safety Officer

Telephone: (867) 669- 4403  
Facsimile: (867) 873- 0262

**DECLARATION**

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

This company is exempt from the Northwest Territories/Nunavut Safety Act and Regulations requirement to have a formalized Health and Safety Policy and Program, on the basis that this company does not at the present time employ more than ten (10) full time employees, including those required on all current projects for all clients. By signing this Declaration the Contractor certifies they will remain in compliance with the identified AHJ's requirements regarding health and safety at the work site.

Current number of full time employees: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
TITLE OF COMPANY OFFICER

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

### SC03 LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

GC1.6 of R2810D is deleted and replaced with the following:

#### GC1.6 Indemnification by the Contractor

1. The Contractor shall indemnify and save Canada harmless from and against all claims, demands, losses, costs, damages, actions, suits, or proceedings whether in respect to losses suffered by Canada or in respect of claims by any third party, brought or prosecuted and in any manner based upon, arising out of, related to, occasioned by, or attributable to the activities of the Contractor in performing the Work, provided such claims are caused by the negligent or deliberate acts or omissions of the Contractor, or those for whom it is responsible at law.
2. The Contractor's obligation to indemnify Canada for losses related to first party liability shall be limited to:
  - a. In respect to each loss for which insurance is to be provided pursuant to the insurance requirements of the Contract, the Commercial General Liability insurance limit for one occurrence as referred to in the insurance requirements of the Contract .
  - b. In respect to losses for which insurance is not required to be provided in accordance with the insurance requirements of the Contract, the greater of the Contract Amount or \$5,000,000, but in no event shall the sum be greater than \$20,000,000.

The limitation of this obligation shall be exclusive of interest and all legal costs and shall not apply to any infringement of intellectual property rights or any breach of warranty obligations.
3. The Contractor's obligation to indemnify Canada for losses related to third party liability shall have no limitation and shall include the complete costs of defending any legal action by a third party. If requested by Canada, the Contractor shall defend Canada against any third party claims.
4. The Contractor shall pay all royalties and patent fees required for the performance of the Contract and, at the Contractor's expense, shall defend all claims, actions or proceedings against Canada charging or claiming that the Work or any part thereof provided or furnished by the Contractor to Canada infringes any patent, industrial design, copyright trademark, trade secret or other proprietary right enforceable in Canada.
5. Notice in writing of a claim shall be given within a reasonable time after the facts, upon which such claim is based, became known.

### SC04 Commitments

1. The contractor acknowledges that:
  - 1.1 the bid solicitation and this Contract fall within the ambit of Tlicho Land Claims and Self-Government Agreement (the "Tlicho Agreement"); and
  - 1.2 pursuant to Sections 26.1.1, 26.1.2, 26.3.1 (a), and 26.4.1 of the Tlicho Agreement, the bid criteria included in the bid solicitation and this contract included a request for commitments to carry out the work in a manner that meets the objectives of the following criteria:
    - 1.2.1 the existence of head offices, administrative offices or other facilities in Mōwhì Gogha Dè Nīṭtāèè (NWT);
    - 1.2.2 the employment of Tlicho First Nation labour, engagement of Tlicho First Nation professional services, or use of Tlicho suppliers which can act as sub-contractors in assisting with the carrying out of the contract;
    - 1.2.3 the undertaking of commitments, under the contract, with respect to on-the-job training or skills development for Tlicho Citizens.

2. The contractor acknowledges and confirms that it made the following commitments in its bid for this contract (collectively the "Tlicho Representations") as contemplated in paragraph 1 above (to be completed at time of contract award):

<u>COMMITMENT</u>	<u>ASSIGNED POINT</u>
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2.1	
2.2	
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3. The contractor acknowledges that the "Tlicho Representations":

- 3.1 are covenants under this contract.

## **SC05 INSURANCE TERMS**

### 1) Insurance Contracts

- (a) The Contractor must, at the Contractor's expense, obtain and maintain insurance contracts in accordance with the requirements of the Certificate of Insurance. Coverage must be placed with an Insurer licensed to carry out business in Canada.
- (b) Compliance with the insurance requirements does not release the Contractor from or reduce its liability under the Contract. The Contractor is responsible for deciding if additional insurance coverage is necessary to fulfill its obligation under the Contract and to ensure compliance with any applicable law. Any additional insurance coverage is at the Contractor's expense, and for its own benefit and protection.

### 2) Period of Insurance

- (a) The policies required in the Certificate of Insurance must be in force from the date of contract award and be maintained throughout the duration of the Contract.
- (b) The Contractor must be responsible to provide and maintain coverage for Products/Completed Operations hazards on its Commercial General Liability insurance policy, for a period of six (6) years beyond the date of the Certificate of Substantial Performance.

### 2) Proof of Insurance

- (a) Before commencement of the Work, and no later than thirty (30) days after acceptance of its bid, the Contractor must deposit with Canada a Certificate of Insurance on the form attached herein.
- (b) Upon request by Canada, the Contractor must provide originals or certified true copies of all contracts of insurance maintained by the Contractor pursuant to the Certificate of Insurance.

### 4) Insurance Proceeds

In the event of a claim, the Contractor must, without delay, do such things and execute such documents as are necessary to effect payment of the proceeds.

### 5) Deductible

The payment of monies up to the deductible amount made in satisfaction of a claim must be borne by the Contractor.

## 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 – Construction Services	R2810D	(2015-07-09);
GC2	Administration of the Contract	R2820D	(2015-02-25);
GC3	Execution and Control of the Work	R2830D	(2015-02-25);
GC4	Protective Measures	R2840D	(2008-05-12);
GC5	Terms of Payment	R2850D	(2015-02-25);
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	(2015-04-01);
GC9	Contract Security	R2890D	(2014-06-26);
GC10	Insurance	R2900D	(2008-05-12);
	Allowable Costs for Contract Changes Under GC6.4.1	R2950D	(2015-02-25);
	Supplementary Conditions		
  - e. Any amendment issued or any allowable bid revision received before the date and time set for solicitation
  - 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:  
<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>
3. The language of the contract documents is the language of the Bid and Acceptance Form submitted.

**BID AND ACCEPTANCE FORM (BA)**

**BA01 IDENTIFICATION**

**Title:** Greenstone Building NRCan/Parks Fit-up  
**Location:** Yellowknife, NT  
  
**Project #:** R.067351.005/.008/.013  
R.067352.005/.006/.011

**BA02 BUSINESS NAME AND ADDRESS OF BIDDER**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ PBN: \_\_\_\_\_

**BA03 THE OFFER**

The Bidder offers to 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 applicable tax(es).  
(amount in numbers)

**BA04 BID VALIDITY PERIOD**

The bid shall not be withdrawn for a period of thirty (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 16 weeks 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 GI08 - Bid Security Requirements of R2710T - General Instructions - Construction Services - Bid Security Requirements.

**BA08 SIGNATURE**

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date



## APPENDIX 2 - VOLUNTARY CERTIFICATION TO SUPPORT THE USE OF APPRENTICES

*Note; The contractor will be asked to fill out a report every six months or at project completion as per sample "Voluntary Reports for Apprentices Employed during the Contract" provided at Annex B*

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

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Company Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Solicitation Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of company employees: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of apprentices planned to be working on this contract: \_\_\_\_\_

Trades of those apprentices:

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**APPENDIX 3 – DEPARTMENTAL REPRESENTATIVE’S AUTHORITY**

**TO BE PROVIDED AT CONTRACT AWARD.**

Contracting Authority is :

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

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

Department : \_\_\_\_\_

Division : \_\_\_\_\_

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

e-mail : \_\_\_\_\_

Technical Authority is :

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

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

Department : \_\_\_\_\_

Division : \_\_\_\_\_

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

e-mail : \_\_\_\_\_

**ANNEX A - CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE** (attached at end of document but not required to be filled out at solicitation closing)





# CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

Description and Location of Work <b>Greenstone Building NRCan/Parks Fit-up          Yellowknife, NT</b>	Contract No. <b>EW038-161131</b>
	<b>R.067351.005/.008/.013          R.067352.005/.006/.011</b>

Name of Insurer, Broker or Agent	Address (No., Street)	City	Province	Postal Code
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Name of Insured (Contractor)	Address (No., Street)	City	Province	Postal Code
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Additional Insured  
**Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada as represented by the Minister of Public Works and Government Services**

Type of Insurance	Insurer Name and Policy Number	Inception Date D / M / Y	Expiry Date D / M / Y	Limits of Liability		
				Per Occurrence	Annual General Aggregate	Completed Operations Aggregate
<b>Commercial General Liability            Umbrella/Excess Liability</b>				\$	\$	\$
				\$	\$	\$
<b>Builder's Risk / Installation Floater</b>				\$		
<b>Insert other type of insurance as required</b>				\$		

I certify that the above policies were issued by insurers in the course of their Insurance business in Canada, are currently in force and include the applicable insurance coverage's stated on page 2 of this Certificate of Insurance, including advance notice of cancellation / reduction in coverage.

Name of person authorized to sign on behalf of Insurer(s) (Officer, Agent, Broker)

Telephone number

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date D / M / Y

**General**

The insurance policies required on page 1 of the Certificate of Insurance must be in force and must include the insurance coverage listed under the corresponding type of insurance on this page.

The policies must insure the Contractor and must include Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada as represented by the Minister of Public Works and Government Services as an additional Insured.

The insurance policies must be endorsed to provide Canada with not less than thirty (30) days notice in writing in advance of a cancellation of insurance or any reduction in coverage.

Without increasing the limit of liability, the policies must protect all insured parties to the full extent of coverage provided. Further, the policies must apply to each Insured in the same manner and to the same extent as if a separate policy had been issued to each.

**Commercial General Liability**

The insurance coverage provided must not be substantially less than that provided by the latest edition of IBC Form 2100.

The policy must either include or be endorsed to include coverage for the following exposures or hazards if the Work is subject thereto:

- (a) Blasting.
- (b) Pile driving and caisson work.
- (c) Underpinning.
- (d) Removal or weakening of support of any structure or land whether such support be natural or otherwise if the work is performed by the insured contractor.

The policy must have the following minimum limits:

- (a) **\$5,000,000** Each Occurrence Limit;
- (b) **\$10,000,000** General Aggregate Limit per policy year if the policy contains a General Aggregate; and
- (c) **\$5,000,000** Products/Completed Operations Aggregate Limit.

Umbrella or excess liability insurance may be used to achieve the required limits.

**Builder's Risk / Installation Floater**

The insurance coverage provided must not be less than that provided by the latest edition of IBC Forms 4042 and 4047.

The policy must permit use and occupancy of any of the projects, or any part thereof, where such use and occupancy is for the purposes for which a project is intended upon completion.

The policy may exclude or be endorsed to exclude coverage for loss or damage caused by asbestos, fungi or spores, cyber and terrorism.

The policy must have a limit that is **not less than the sum of the contract value** plus the declared value (if any) set forth in the contract documents of all material and equipment supplied by Canada at the site of the project to be incorporated into and form part of the finished Work. If the value of the Work is changed, the policy must be changed to reflect the revised contract value.

The policy must provide that the proceeds thereof are payable to Canada or as Canada may direct in accordance with GC10.2, "Insurance Proceeds" (<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual/5/R/R2900D/2>).