



| QUESTIONS & RÉPONSES No.2 QUESTIONS & ANSWERS | Dossier No – File No 5P300-16-5194 |
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| Projet - Project Annual Inspection & Fire Suppression – Fortress of Louisbourg NHSC | Date limite au plus tard - Closing Date on or before Tuesday, August, 16, 2016 at 2 o'clock EDT |
| | Date d'émission – Date of issue August 4, 2016 |

OBJET DE LA PRÉSENTE MODIFICATION - THE PURPOSE OF THIS AMENDMENT IS TO GIVE EFFECT TO THE FOLLOWING

- Q1. First, I see under appendix "A" that all fire panels are listed (23 fire alarm systems in total), and four of these systems have been verified in March of 2016. This verification covers these systems for their inspection in 2016. Given that we are required to perform the inspections within 30 days of award of this tender, I wondered if these sites should be included in our pricing for the first year. My recommendation would be that every building should be performed on the same date, so all sites should be included in every vendors pricing so all inspections are completed each year within the same period. Otherwise, pricing may become confusing with some bidders only including 19 panels in year 1, and 23 panels in year 2 and 3, with two visits (March and whatever month the award is made) in 2017 and 2018 to complete the inspection of all panels.
- •2 What is the requirement for number of technicians on site to perform these inspections? The fire alarm component will require two technicians, but we can perform it with one if there is on site assistance available from the park maintenance staff. Basically, we just need a second person to stand at the panel and receive notifications on the panel. Your hourly labor cost will be much lower than ours, so this will help to manage your costs.
- •3 Will any consideration be given to ongoing cost for parts/maintenance/service calls?
- A1. 1. The list supplied with the tender was the best information on hand at the time and was for information on the number and types of panels we have. <u>All</u> panels must be inspected and verified in year one of the contract.
- 2. Parks Canada will supply 1 of our Parks Utility staff to assist with the work.
- 3. No consideration will be given for ongoing parts, maintenance and service as it is unpredictable and beyond the scope of the contract. Any parts and service covered by this contract are minor things that must be replaced for panels to pass inspection and verification. These things must be identified upon discovery and a quote supplied to the project authority before proceeding with replacement and be based on the prices supplied in the tender.

TRAVAIL DEMEURENT LES MÊMES / ALL OTHER CONDITIONS INCLUDED IN THE WORK INSTRUCTIONS REMAIN THE SAME.

Par la présente nous reconnaissons avoir reçu la version modifiée des instructions et nous attestons avoir modifié notre soumission en conséquence.

We hereby acknowledge receipt of the amendment instructions and confirm that privisions therefore have been made in our tender.

Pour être prise en considération, toute soumission devra être accompagnée d'un exemplaire signé de la présente modification. Si votre soumission a déjà été envoyée, veuillez signer et envoyer cette modification par télécopieur/courriel avec toutes révisions faites à votre prix de soumission, à nos bureaux avant la date limite. Télécopieur: 418-648-5392

Signed copy of this amendment must accompany each tender in order that the tender be considered. If your submission has already been sent, please sign and send this amendment by fax / email with any revisions made to your bid price, at our office before the deadline. Fax: 418-648-5392.

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