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Bid Receiving Public Works and Government  
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## SOLICITATION AMENDMENT MODIFICATION DE L'INVITATION

The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise  
indicated, all other terms and conditions of the Solicitation  
remain the same.

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

### Comments - Commentaires

All enquiries are to be submitted in writing to the  
Contracting Authority, Darlene Reay, either by  
facsimile or by e-mail at:  
darlene.reay@pwgsc.gc.ca.

### Vendor/Firm Name and Address

Raison sociale et adresse du  
fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur

### Issuing Office - Bureau de distribution

Saint John, NB (STJ)  
189 Prince William St., Rm 405  
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St. John, NB E2L 2B9

<b>Title - Sujet</b> Maintenance Services- Grass Cutting	
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> W6898-180090/A	<b>Amendment No. - N° modif.</b> 005
<b>Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client</b> W6898-180090	<b>Date</b> 2018-04-26
<b>GETS Reference No. - N° de référence de SEAG</b> PW-\$STJ-008-4295	
<b>File No. - N° de dossier</b> STJ-7-40161 (008)	<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 2018-05-02</b>	<b>Time Zone</b> <b>Fuseau horaire</b> Atlantic Daylight Saving Time ADT
<b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b> <b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à:</b> Reay (STJ), Darlene	<b>Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur</b> stj008
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> (902) 314-7957 ( )	<b>FAX No. - N° de FAX</b> (506) 636-4376
<b>Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction:</b> <b>Destination - des biens, services et construction:</b>	

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

<b>Delivery Required - Livraison exigée</b>	<b>Delivery Offered - Livraison proposée</b>
<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/</b> <b>de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)</b>	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

The following changes in the tender documents are effective immediately. This addendum will form part of the contract documents.

This Addendum is raised to provide the following answers to questions provided by bidders.

**Q1**

Re: April 9<sup>th</sup> @ the site meeting that the Contractors at that meeting would be the only ones allowed to bid on this contract, April 18<sup>th</sup> meeting they let another contractor in to bid on contract. I would like to know why as they didn't show for first site meeting with any interest?

**A1**

We received a contractor complaint, which reads in part as follows:

"Despite having viewed the original tender notice, I was not informed of the mandatory site visit."

Upon review by Public Services and Procurement Canada, it was concluded that the mandatory site visit scheduled for April 9 was not advertised for the full extent of the tender posting and therefore adequate time was not given. Consequently, a second mandatory site visit was scheduled.

**Q2**

In dry conditions do we need to have fire watch a half hour after cutting?

**A2**

No, there is nothing in the contract specifically stating the need for a dedicated Fire Watch.

Refer to Section 01 35 35 Para 1.01 Reporting Fires

- .1 Know location of nearest fire alarm box and telephone, including emergency phone number.
- .2 Report immediately all fire incidents to the Fire Department as follows:
  - .1 telephone 911
- .3 When reporting fire by telephone, give the location of the fire, name or number of building and be prepared to verify the location.

**Q3**

Do we need a licensed Mechanic on site while we are cutting? Or have someone on call 1 hour from site?

**A3**

I had mentioned during our first site visit, a mechanic could be within 1 hour from site. That is **NOT** correct, in the specification the proper direction is stated below:

Section 02 97 00 Para 2.01 Equipment

- .6 The contractor will supply a service vehicle with a mechanic on staff at all times to expedite prompt equipment repair when necessary.

**Q4**

Re Section 00 21 13, Sub-section. 1.18 Special Instructions,

.2 - ... cutting will commence on Monday and continuously cut until completion of assigned cutting area.

Contractor`s question – what if weather is good on Monday and rains the rest of the week?

**A4**

Past history of grass cutting at 5CDSB Gagetown, rainy conditions will not impede the completion of the weekly cuts. If it is agreed with the Engineer that the grass cut may extend into the next week, no cut will be issued the week of the extension.

**Clarification from Site Visit #1**

The On Site Supervisor is not to do grass cutting.

Refer to Section 00 21 13 – Instructions to Bidders, Sub-section. 1.17 On-Site Supervisor.