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# **REVISION 001 TO AN INVITATION TO TENDER**

# RÉVISION 001 À UNE INVITATION À SOUMISSIONER

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### **Amendment 001**

This amendment is raised to:

A. Answer questions from potential bidders

#### A. Questions and Answers

**Q1.** As per Project Overview and Scope of Work,

Section 1.0, Construction and eventual decommissioning of in-block roads, Is the reclamation of the in block roads or other roads as required to gain access to the prescribed areas to be part of this Invitation to Tender? If so, when is the decommissioning work to be completed and will it form part of the unit rate price?

- A1. The main road will need to be extended into the mech thin unit 2 and reopened at the bottom (the bottom was just pushed up to prevent usage during the summer).
- **Q2.** As per Project Overview and Scope of Work,

Is piling and burning required for this scope of work? If so, will it form part of the unit rate price?

- A2. No. but piling unmerchantible timber at landings will be.

  All cost for this project must be included in the unit price of Appendix 1 of the Invitation to Tender.
- Q3. How much work has been done on the access road from Phase 1 work?
- **A3.** The bottom of the road was pushed into a berm last winter, will need to be redone. New in-block roads will need to be completed.
- **Q4.** Two contradicting clauses in the Scope of Work regarding reclamation. What is the contractor responsible for?
- **A4.** PCA will complete reclamation, however the contractor will have to work with the harvest contract supervisor and PCA representatives to ensure minimal disturbance and alignment with reclamation plan.
- **Q5.** As per Scope of Work: "The contractor will be responsible for replacement of fill and topsoil on access roads/in-block roads at the end of the contract."
  - Would this be considered partial reclamation services and does this form part of the unit rate price?
- A5. No, this is just rough moving back of material on roads/trails, not full reclamation.
- **Q6.** As per Scope of Work: "Full reclamation of in-block roads and access roads is not within the scope of this project."
  - Is some reclamation required as per above scope of work statement or is it part of another contract?
- **A6.** No. Full reclamation is not part of this project.

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Q7. As per Scope of Work: "Hauling on roads within the Town of Banff and Parks Canada to follow seasonal restrictions in the spring. Direction will be from Town of Banff regarding weight restrictions and timing."

Can Parks Canada provide the seasonal restriction dates?

- **A7.** No. Town of Banff sets those as the roads through the Town of Banff are under their jurisdiction.
- Q8. As per Scope of Work: "Follow Mechanical Thinning protocol for Area # 2 regarding timber retention, timber removal/reduction and timber disposal. (As per the Fuel Modification Prescription Document Annex 1)".

Isn't the Fuel Modification Prescription Document Annex 2?

- **A8.** Yes, you are correct. It is Annex 2.
- **Q9.** As per Scope of Work:

Parks Canada will be directing some work as per the scope of work write up. How are the contractors to build up a unit rate price, based on contractors execution / previous experience not knowing if Parks Canada will direct a different scope of work or path of work? Is there another form of payment for these changes that can be incorporated into the contractor's submission?

- A9. Parks Canada will not issue a different scope of work or path of work. You must bid on the project as per the information in the Tender documents, Scope of work & plans. If there is something unpredicted to address once the contract has been awarded to the successful bidder, it would be issued a Change Order.
- **Q10.** As per Scope of Work:

As per our own slope analysis on the documents provided in the Invitation to Tender, there seems to be some areas greater than the 45% grade. What does Parks Canada plan on doing when we encounter these areas? Is this to be handled through change management at this point, as this decreases the planned productivity?

**A10.** The contractor must bid on this project as per the information in the Tender documents, Scope of work & plans. The total cost for this project must be included in the unit price of Appendix 1 of the Invitation to Tender.

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