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Request For a Standing Offer
Demande d'offre à commandes

Regional Individual Standing Offer (RISO)

Offre à commandes individuelle régionale (OCIR)

Canada, as represented by the Minister of Public Works and
Government Services Canada, hereby requests a Standing Offer
on behalf of the Identified Users herein.

Le Canada, représenté par le ministre des Travaux Publics et
Services Gouvernementaux Canada, autorise par la présente,
une offre à commandes au nom des utilisateurs identifiés
énumérés ci-après.

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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Title - Sujet Salt and Sand Mixtures	
Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation W0127-20P004/B	Date 2020-09-03
Client Reference No. - N° de référence du client W0127-20P004	GETS Ref. No. - N° de réf. de SEAG PW-\$CAL-140-7098
File No. - N° de dossier CAL-0-43016 (140)	CCC No./N° CCC - FMS No./N° VME
Solicitation Closes - L'invitation prend fin at - à 02:00 PM on - le 2020-09-22	
Time Zone Fuseau horaire Mountain Daylight Saving Time MDT	
Delivery Required - Livraison exigée See Herein	
Address Enquiries to: - Adresser toutes questions à: Saboungi, Rana	Buyer Id - Id de l'acheteur cal140
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone (403)680-8394 ()	FAX No. - N° de FAX () -
Destination - of Goods, Services, and Construction: Destination - des biens, services et construction: See herein.	
Security - Sécurité This request for a Standing Offer does not include provisions for security. Cette Demande d'offre à commandes ne comprend pas des dispositions en matière de sécurité.	

Instructions: See Herein

Instructions: Voir aux présentes

Vendor/Firm Name and Address Raison sociale et adresse du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur	
Telephone No. - N° de téléphone Facsimile No. - N° de télécopieur	
Name and title of person authorized to sign on behalf of Vendor/Firm (type or print) Nom et titre de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/ de l'entrepreneur (taper ou écrire en caractères d'imprimerie)	
Signature	Date

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This request for standing offers (RFSO) cancels and supersedes previous RFSO number W0127-20P004/A dated 2020-07-28 with a closing of 2020-08-20 at 2:00p.m. MDT.

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PART 1 - GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1 Introduction

The Request for Standing Offers (RFSO) is divided into six parts plus attachments and annexes, as follows:

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| Part 1 | General Information: provides a general description of the requirement; |
| Part 2 | Offeror Instructions: provides the instructions applicable to the clauses and conditions of the RFSO; |
| Part 3 | Offer Preparation Instructions: provides offerors with instructions on how to prepare their offer to address the evaluation criteria specified; |
| Part 4 | Evaluation Procedures and Basis of Selection: indicates how the evaluation will be conducted, the evaluation criteria which must be addressed in the offer, and the basis of selection; |
| Part 5 | Certifications and Additional Information: includes the certifications and additional information to be provided; and |
| Part 6 | 6A, Standing Offer, and 6B, Resulting Contract Clauses:

6A, includes the Standing Offer containing the offer from the Offeror and the applicable clauses and conditions;

6B, includes the clauses and conditions which will apply to any contract resulting from a call-up made pursuant to the Standing Offer. |

The Annexes include the Requirement, the Basis of Payment, the Electronic Payment Instruments, and any other annexes.

1.2 Summary

- 1.2.1 This Regional Individual Standing Offer (RISO) is for the supply, delivery, and off-loading of Sand and Salt mixtures, for the Department of National Defence, Edmonton Garrison, SPV Section, as required, over the winter months. Prior to any delivery to the Garrison, the SPV section must be contacted to ensure someone will be there to meet the truck. No deliveries will be accepted without prior notification. Refer to Annex B, Basis of Payment, for the estimated quantities required of sand and salt mixtures.

The period of the Standing Offer is from date of issuance to September 30, 2021, with two (2) additional – one (1) year option periods.

- 1.2.2 This RFSO allows offerors to use the epost Connect service provided by Canada Post Corporation to transmit their offers electronically. Offerors must refer to Part 2 of the RFSO entitled Offeror Instructions and Part 3 of the RFSO entitled Offer Preparation Instructions, for further information on using this method.

1.3 Debriefings

Offerors may request a debriefing on the results of the request for standing offers process. Offerors should make the request to the Standing Offer Authority within 15 working days of receipt of the results of the request for standing offers process. The debriefing may be in writing, by telephone or in person.

1.4 Anticipated migration to an e-Procurement Solution (EPS)

Canada is currently developing an online EPS for faster and more convenient ordering of goods and services. In support of the anticipated transition to this system and how it may impact any resulting Standing Offer that is issued under this solicitation, refer to 7.15 Transition to an e-Procurement Solution (EPS).

The Government of Canada's [press release](#) provides additional information.

PART 2 - OFFEROR INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 Standard Instructions, Clauses and Conditions

All instructions, clauses and conditions identified in the Request for Standing Offers (RFSO) by number, date and title are set out in the [Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual](#) (<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

Offerors who submit an offer agree to be bound by the instructions, clauses and conditions of the RFSO and accept the clauses and conditions of the Standing Offer and resulting contract(s).

The [2006](#) (2020-05-28) Standard Instructions - Request for Standing Offers - Goods or Services - Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the RFSO.

2.2 Submission of Offers

Offers must be submitted only to the Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC) Bid Receiving Unit specified below by the date and time indicated on page 1 of the RFSO:

PWGSC Western Region Bid Receiving Unit

Only offers submitted using epost Connect service will be accepted. The Offeror must send an email requesting to open an epost Connect conversation to the following address:

ROReceptionSoumissions.WRBidReceiving@tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca

Note: Offers will not be accepted if emailed directly to this email address. This email address is to be used to open an epost Connect conversation, as detailed in Standard Instruction [2006](#), or to send offers through an epost Connect message if the bidder is using its own licensing agreement for epost Connect.

It is the Offeror's responsibility to ensure the request for opening an epost Connect conversation is sent to the email address above at least six days before the Request for Standing Offers closing date.

Transmission of offers by facsimile or hardcopy to PWGSC will not be accepted.

2.3 Enquiries - Request for Standing Offers

All enquiries must be submitted in writing to the Standing Offer Authority no later than ten (10) calendar days before the Request for Standing Offers (RFSO) closing date. Enquiries received after that time may not be answered.

Offerors should reference as accurately as possible the numbered item of the RFSO to which the enquiry relates. Care should be taken by offerors to explain each question in sufficient detail in order to enable Canada to provide an accurate answer. Technical enquiries that are of a proprietary nature must be clearly marked "proprietary" at each relevant item. Items identified as "proprietary" will be treated as such except where Canada determines that the enquiry is not of a proprietary nature. Canada may edit the question(s) or may request that offerors do so, so that the proprietary nature of the question(s) is eliminated, and the enquiry can be answered to all offerors. Enquiries not submitted in a form that can be distributed to all offerors may not be answered by Canada.

2.4 Applicable Laws

The Standing Offer and any contract resulting from the Standing Offer must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Alberta.

Offerors may, at their discretion, substitute the applicable laws of a Canadian province or territory of their choice without affecting the validity of their offer, by deleting the name of the Canadian province or territory specified and inserting the name of the Canadian province or territory of their choice. If no change is made, it acknowledges that the applicable laws specified are acceptable to the offerors.

2.5 Bid Challenge and Recourse Mechanisms

- (a) Several mechanisms are available to potential offerors to challenge aspects of the procurement process up to and including contract award.
- (b) Canada encourages offerors to first bring their concerns to the attention of the Contracting Authority. Canada's [Buy and Sell](#) website, under the heading "[Bid Challenge and Recourse Mechanisms](#)" contains information on potential complaint bodies such as:
 - Office of the Procurement Ombudsman (OPO)
 - Canadian International Trade Tribunal (CITT)
- (c) Offerors should note that there are **strict deadlines** for filing complaints, and the time periods vary depending on the complaint body in question. Offerors should therefore act quickly when they want to challenge any aspect of the procurement process.

PART 3 - OFFER PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Offer Preparation Instructions

- If the Offeror chooses to submit its offer electronically, Canada requests that the Offeror submits its offer in accordance with section 08 of the 2006 standard instructions. The epost Connect system has a limit of 1GB per single message posted and a limit of 20GB per conversation. The offer must be gathered per section and separated as follows:

Section I: Technical Offer

Section II: Financial Offer

Section III: Certifications

Offers transmitted by facsimile or hardcopy will not be accepted.

Prices must appear in the financial offer only. No prices must be indicated in any other section of the offer.

Section I: Technical Offer

In their technical offer, offerors should explain and demonstrate how they propose to meet the requirements and how they will carry out the Work.

Section II: Financial Offer

Offerors must submit their financial offer in accordance with Annex "B" – Basis of Payment.

3.1.1 Electronic Payment of Invoices - Offer

If you are willing to accept payment of invoices by Electronic Payment Instruments, complete Annex "D" Electronic Payment Instruments, to identify which ones are accepted.

If Annex "D" Electronic Payment Instruments is not completed, it will be considered as if Electronic Payment Instruments are not being accepted for payment of invoices.

Acceptance of Electronic Payment Instruments will not be considered as an evaluation criterion.

3.1.2 Exchange Rate Fluctuation

C3011T (2013-11-06), Exchange Rate Fluctuation

Section III: Certifications Offerors must submit the certifications and additional information required under Part 5.

PART 4 - EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION

4.1 Evaluation Procedures

- (a) Offers will be assessed in accordance with the entire requirement of the Request for Standing Offers including the technical and financial evaluation criteria.
- (b) An evaluation team composed of representatives of Canada will evaluate the offers.

4.1.1 Technical Evaluation

4.1.1.1 Mandatory Technical Criteria

- (a) Offeror must be able to perform the full scope of the work described in the Annex A "Requirement".
- (b) Offeror must meet and complete the Compliance Matrix in Annex A "Requirement".

4.1.2 Financial Evaluation

SACC Manual Clause [M0222T](#) (2016-01-28), Evaluation of Price-Canadian/Foreign Bidders

The total evaluated price will be determined by:

The Annual Estimated Usage (A) will be multiplied by the Firm Unit Price (B) to arrive at the Extended Total (C).

The Extended Total (C) for each table will be added together to arrive at the total evaluated price.

4.2 Basis of Selection

4.2.1 Basis of Selection – Mandatory Technical Criteria Only

An offer must comply with the requirements of the Request for Standing Offers and meet all mandatory technical evaluation criteria to be declared responsive. The responsive offer with the lowest evaluated price will be recommended for issuance of a standing offer.

PART 5 – CERTIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Offerors must provide the required certifications and additional information to be issued a standing offer.

The certifications provided by offerors to Canada are subject to verification by Canada at all times. Unless specified otherwise, Canada will declare an offer non-responsive, will have the right to set-aside a standing offer, or will declare a contractor in default if any certification made by the Offeror is found to be untrue whether made knowingly or unknowingly during the offer evaluation period, during the Standing Offer period, or during the contract period.

The Standing Offer Authority will have the right to ask for additional information to verify the Offeror's certifications. Failure to comply and to cooperate with any request or requirement imposed by the Standing Offer Authority will render the offer non-responsive, result in the setting aside of the Standing Offer or constitute a default under the Contract.

5.1 Certifications Required with the Offer

Offerors must submit the following duly completed certifications as part of their offer.

5.1.1 Integrity Provisions - Declaration of Convicted Offences

In accordance with the Integrity Provisions of the Standard Instructions, all offerors must provide with their offer, **if applicable**, the declaration form available on the [Forms for the Integrity Regime](http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/declaration-eng.html) website (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/declaration-eng.html>), to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

5.2 Certifications Precedent to the Issuance of a Standing Offer and Additional Information

The certifications and additional information listed below should be submitted with the offer, but may be submitted afterwards. If any of these required certifications or additional information is not completed and submitted as requested, the Standing Offer Authority will inform the Offeror of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to provide the certifications or the additional information listed below within the time frame provided will render the offer non-responsive.

5.2.1 Integrity Provisions – Required Documentation

In accordance with the section titled Information to be provided when bidding, contracting or entering into a real property agreement of the [Ineligibility and Suspension Policy](http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html) (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html>), the Offeror must provide the required documentation, as applicable, to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

5.2.2 Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Standing Offer Certification

By submitting an offer, the Offeror certifies that the Offeror, and any of the Offeror's members if the Offeror is a Joint Venture, is not named on the Federal Contractors Program (FCP) for employment equity "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list) available at the bottom of the page of the [Employment and Social Development Canada-Labour's](https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/canada-labour's) website (<https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/programs/employment-equity/federal-contractor-program.html#s4>).

Canada will have the right to declare an offer non-responsive, or to set-aside a Standing Offer, if the Offeror, or any member of the Offeror if the Offeror is a Joint Venture, appears on the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list at the time of issuing of a Standing Offer or during the period of the Standing Offer.

PART 6 - STANDING OFFER AND RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

A. STANDING OFFER

6.1 Offer

6.1.1 The Offeror offers to fulfill the requirement in accordance with the Requirement at Annex "A".

6.2 Security Requirements

6.2.1 There is no security requirement applicable to the Standing Offer.

6.3 Standard Clauses and Conditions

All clauses and conditions identified in the Standing Offer and resulting contract(s) by number, date and title are set out in the [Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions Manual](https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual) (<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>) issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada.

6.3.1 General Conditions

[2005](#) (2017-06-21), General Conditions - Standing Offers - Goods or Services, apply to and form part of the Standing Offer.

6.3.2 Standing Offers Reporting

The Offeror must compile and maintain records on its provision of goods and services to Canada under contracts resulting from the Standing Offer. This data must include all purchases done by Canada, including those acquired and paid for by Canada acquisition cards.

The Offeror must provide this data in accordance with the reporting requirements detailed in annex entitled "C". If some data is not available, the reason must be indicated in the report. If no goods or services is provided during a given period, the Offeror must provide a "nil" report.

The data must be submitted on a quarterly basis to the Standing Offer Authority.

The quarterly reporting periods are defined as follows:

- first quarter: April 1 to June 30
- second quarter: July 1 to September 30
- third quarter: October 1 to December 31
- fourth quarter: January 1 to March 31

The data must be submitted to the Standing Offer Authority no later than **thirty (30) calendar days** after the end of the reporting period.

6.4 Term of Standing Offer

6.4.1 Period of the Standing Offer

The period for making call-ups against the Standing Offer is from date of issuance to September 30, 2021.

6.4.2 Extension of Standing Offer

If the Standing Offer is authorized for use beyond the initial period, the Offeror offers to extend its offer for an additional two one-year periods, from October 1, 2021 to September 30, 2022 and October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2023 under the same conditions and at the rates or prices specified in the Standing Offer, or at the rates or prices calculated in accordance with the formula specified in the Standing Offer.

The Offeror will be advised of the decision to authorize the use of the Standing Offer for an extended period by the Standing Offer Authority thirty (30) days before the expiry date of the Standing Offer. A revision to the Standing Offer will be issued by the Standing Offer Authority.

6.4.3 Delivery Points

Delivery of the requirement will be made to delivery point(s) specified at Annex "A" of the Standing Offer.

6.5 Authorities

6.5.1 Standing Offer Authority

The Standing Offer Authority is:

Name: Rana Saboungi
Title: Procurement Officer
Public Works and Government Services Canada
Acquisitions Branch
Address: 759, 220 4th Ave SE
Calgary, AB
T2G 4X3

Telephone: 403-680-8394

E-mail address: rana.saboungi@pwgsc-tpsgc.gc.ca

The Standing Offer Authority is responsible for the establishment of the Standing Offer, its administration and its revision, if applicable. Upon the making of a call-up, as Contracting Authority, he is responsible for any contractual issues relating to individual call-ups made against the Standing Offer by any Identified User.

6.5.2 Project Authority

The Project Authority for the Standing Offer is identified in the call-up against the Standing Offer.

The Project Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work will be carried out pursuant to a call-up against the Standing Offer and is responsible for all the technical content of the Work under the resulting Contract.

6.5.3 Offeror's Representative

(to be completed by Offeror)

Name: _____
Title: _____
Organization: _____
Address: _____
Telephone: _____ - _____ - _____
Facsimile: _____ - _____ - _____
E-mail address: _____

6.6 Identified Users

The Identified User authorized to make call-ups against the Standing Offer is: Department of National Defence – Edmonton Garrison.

6.7 Call-up Instrument

The Work will be authorized or confirmed by the Identified User(s) using the duly completed forms or their equivalents as identified in paragraphs 2 and 3 below, or by using Canada acquisition cards (Visa or MasterCard) for low dollar value requirements.

1. Call-ups must be made by Identified Users' authorized representatives under the Standing Offer and must be for goods or services or combination of goods and services included in the Standing Offer at the prices and in accordance with the terms and conditions specified in the Standing Offer.
2. Any of the following forms could be used which are available through [PWGSC Forms Catalogue](#) website:
 - PWGSC-TPSGC 942 Call-up Against a Standing Offer
 - PWGSC-TPGSC 942-2 Call-up Against a Standing Offer - Multiple Delivery
 - PWGSC-TPSGC 944 Call-up Against Multiple Standing Offers (English version)
 - PWGSC-TPSGC 945 Commande subséquente à plusieurs offres à commandes (French version)

or

3. An equivalent form or electronic call-up document which contains at a minimum the following information:
 - standing offer number;
 - statement that incorporates the terms and conditions of the Standing Offer;
 - description and unit price for each line item;
 - total value of the call-up;
 - point of delivery;
 - confirmation that funds are available under section 32 of the Financial Administration Act;
 - confirmation that the user is an Identified User under the Standing Offer with authority to enter into a contract.

6.8 Limitation of Call-ups

Individual call-ups against the Standing Offer must not exceed \$100,000.00(Applicable Taxes included).

6.9 Financial Limitation

The total cost to Canada resulting from call ups against the Standing Offer must not exceed the sum of **\$TBD**(Applicable Taxes excluded) unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Standing Offer Authority. The Offeror must not perform any work or services or supply any articles in response to call ups which would cause the total cost to Canada to exceed the said sum, unless an increase is so authorized.

The Offeror must notify the Standing Offer Authority as to the adequacy of this sum when 75 percent of this amount has been committed, or 4 months before the expiry date of the Standing Offer, whichever comes first. However, if at any time, the Offeror considers that the said sum may be exceeded, the Offeror must promptly notify the Standing Offer Authority.

6.10 Priority of Documents

If there is a discrepancy between the wording of any documents that appear on the list, the wording of the document that first appears on the list has priority over the wording of any document that subsequently appears on the list.

- a) the call up against the Standing Offer, including any annexes;
- b) the articles of the Standing Offer;
- c) the general conditions 2005 (2017-06-21), General Conditions - Standing Offers - Goods or Services;
- d) the general conditions 2010A (2020-05-28), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity);
- e) Annex A, Requirement;
- f) Annex B, Basis of Payment;
- g) the Offeror's offer dated _____ (*insert date of offer*)

6.11 Certifications and Additional Information

6.11.1 Compliance

Unless specified otherwise, the continuous compliance with the certifications provided by the Offeror with its offer or precedent to issuance of the Standing Offer (SO), and the ongoing cooperation in providing additional information are conditions of issuance of the SO and failure to comply will constitute the Offeror in default. Certifications are subject to verification by Canada during the entire period of the SO and of any resulting contract that would continue beyond the period of the SO.

6.12 Applicable Laws

The Standing Offer and any contract resulting from the Standing Offer must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Alberta.

6.13 Transition to an e-Procurement Solution (EPS)

During the period of the Standing Offer, Canada may transition to an EPS for more efficient processing and management of individual call-ups for any or all of the SO's applicable goods and services. Canada reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to make the use of the new e-procurement solution mandatory.

Canada agrees to provide the Offeror with at least a three-month notice to allow for any measures necessary for the integration of the Offer into the EPS. The notice will include a detailed information package indicating the requirements, as well as any applicable guidance and support.

If the Offeror chooses not to offer their goods or services through the e-procurement solution, the Standing Offer may be set aside by Canada.

B. RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

The following clauses and conditions apply to and form part of any contract resulting from a call-up against the Standing Offer.

6.1 Requirement

The Contractor must provide the items detailed in the call-up against the Standing Offer.

6.2 Standard Clauses and Conditions

6.2.1 General Conditions

[2010A](#) (2020-05-28), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity) apply to and form part of the Contract.

Section 16 Interest on Overdue Accounts, of [2010A](#) (2020-05-28), General Conditions - Goods (Medium Complexity) will not apply to payments made by credit cards.

6.3 Term of Contract

6.3.1 Delivery Date

Delivery must be completed in accordance with the call-up against the Standing Offer.

6.4 Payment

6.4.1 Basis of Payment - Firm Price, Firm Unit Price(s) or Firm Lot Price(s)

In consideration of the Contractor satisfactorily completing all of its obligations under the Contract, the Contractor will be paid a firm unit price(s) as specified in Annex "B" – Basis of Payment. Customs duties are included and Applicable Taxes are extra.

Canada will not pay the Contractor for any design changes, modifications or interpretations of the Work, unless they have been approved, in writing, by the Contracting Authority before their incorporation into the Work.

6.4.2 Multiple Payments

[H1001C](#) (2008-05-12), Multiple Payments

6.4.3 Electronic Payment of Invoices – Call-up

The Contractor accepts to be paid using any of the following Electronic Payment Instrument(s): **to be determined**

6.5 Invoicing Instructions

1. The Contractor must submit invoices in accordance with the section entitled "Invoice Submission" of the general conditions. Invoices cannot be submitted until all work identified in the invoice is completed.
2. Invoices must be distributed as follows:
 - a. The original and one (1) copy must be forwarded to the address shown on page 1 of the Contract for certification and payment.

6.6 SACC Manual Clauses

[A9062C](#) (2011-05-16), Canadian Forces Site Regulations
[B7500C](#) (2006-06-16), Excess Goods
[G1005C](#) (2016-01-28) Insurance – No Specific Requirement

6.7 Dispute Resolution

- (a) The parties agree to maintain open and honest communication about the Work throughout and after the performance of the contract.
- (b) The parties agree to consult and co-operate with each other in the furtherance of the contract and promptly notify the other party or parties and attempt to resolve problems or differences that may arise.
- (c) If the parties cannot resolve a dispute through consultation and cooperation, the parties agree to consult a neutral third party offering alternative dispute resolution services to attempt to address the dispute.
- (d) Options of alternative dispute resolution services can be found on Canada's Buy and Sell website under the heading "[Dispute Resolution](#)".

6.8 Inspection and Acceptance

The Project Authority is the Inspection Authority. All reports, deliverable items, documents, goods and all services rendered under the Contract are subject to inspection by the Inspection Authority or representative. Should any report, document, good or service not be in accordance with the requirements of the Statement of Work and to the satisfaction of the Inspection Authority, as submitted, the Inspection Authority will have the right to reject it or require its correction at the sole expense of the Contractor before recommending payment.

ANNEX "A"

REQUIREMENT

This Regional Individual Standing Offer (RISO) is for the supply, delivery, and off-loading of Sand and Salt mixtures, for the Department of National Defence, Edmonton Garrison, SPV Section, as required, over the winter months. Prior to any delivery to the Garrison, the SPV section must be contacted to ensure someone will be there to meet the truck. No deliveries will be accepted without prior notification. Refer to Annex B, Basis of Payment, for the estimated quantities required of sand and salt mixtures.

The period of the Standing Offer is from date of issuance to September 30, 2021, with two (2) additional – one (1) year option periods

Background

Section one (1) Service Battalion Transport Special Purpose Vehicles (1 Svc Bn Tpt SPV) is responsible for the clearing of roads and runways during the winter months. The application of a sand/salt mixture is part of the process for keeping the roads and runways clear.

Delivery

Deliveries must be made to the following location:

1Svc Bn Transport (SPV Section)
Bldg 179, Sprung Shelter (in back)
Rhine Road
Edmonton Garrison
Edmonton, AB T5J 4J5

The Offeror must call the SPV Section (number will be provided upon Issuance of Standing Offer) prior to delivery so sprung shelter can be unlocked.

The Offeror is required to provide a delivery slip which will be signed by personnel from SPV Section.

Constraints

Deliveries must be made **within 72 hours of a call up**. Only members of 1 Svc Bn Sup Coy LPO section will be authorized to make call ups against this RISO. Call up numbers must be referenced on all invoices. The sand/salt mixtures must meet the specifications in the Compliance Matrix below.

COMPLIANCE MATRIX – MINIMUM MANDATORY PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS

Instructions to Offerors

1. A complete list of the mandatory evaluation criteria are detailed in the Compliance Matrix below.
2. Offers which fail to meet all of the mandatory evaluation criteria will be declared non-responsive.
3. Offerors should demonstrate their understanding of the requirements contained in the bid solicitation and explain how they meet each mandatory evaluation criteria. Offerors should demonstrate their capability in a thorough, concise and clear manner.
4. The technical offer should address clearly and in sufficient depth the points that are subject to the evaluation criteria against which the offer will be evaluated. Simply repeating the statement contained in the bid solicitation or stating, without any substantiating information, that an offeror is compliant will not be sufficient.
5. Substantiating information may include, but is not limited to, specification sheets, technical brochures, photographs or illustrations. If published supporting technical documentation is not available, the Offeror should prepare a written narrative complete with a detailed explanation of how its offer demonstrates technical compliance. All substantiating information should be provided with the offer at solicitation closing date. It is the Offerors responsibility to ensure that the submitted supporting technical documentation provides detail to demonstrate that the proposed product(s) meet the requirements of the evaluation criteria.
6. If the supporting documentation referenced above has not been provided at bid closing, the Contracting Authority will notify the Offeror that they must provide supporting documentation within two (2) business days following notification. Failure to comply with the request of the Contracting Authority within that time period, will deem the offer non-responsive and the offer will be given no further consideration.
7. In order to facilitate the evaluation of the offer, Canada requests that offerors address and present the topics in the order of the evaluation criteria, and include a grid in their proposal, containing the information which demonstrates how the offeror meets each evaluation criteria. Alternatively, and to avoid any duplication, offerors may also refer to the different sections of their offers by identifying the specific paragraph and page number where the subject topic has already been addressed.
8. Offerors must address any concerns with the performance specifications in written detail to the Contracting Authority before bid closing as outlined in the Request for Standing Offer (RFSO) document.

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COMPLIANCE MATRIX – MINIMUM MANDATORY PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS:

Item	Status (M) Mandatory	Performance Specification Offered: Bidder <u>should</u> indicate how they meet the performance specification by recording this information in this column	Cross Reference: In this column, Bidders <u>should</u> cross-reference where this performance specification is indicated in their supporting documents
The salt supplied must be in accordance with Alberta Transportation Specification 52.8 Supply of Sodium Chloride (Salt), and meet the chemical and screen analysis requirements below.	M		
The sand supplied must be sodium chloride treated sand in accordance with Alberta Transportation Specification 52.5 Sodium Chloride Treated Sand. **Offeror should provide a written statement describing their approach on how the sand supplied will meet the specification above or how the offeror will ensure the sand supplied will meet the specification.	M		

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COARSE SALT CRYSTALS					
CHEMICAL ANALYSIS					
Item	Units	Range	Status (M) Mandatory	Performance Specification Offered: Bidder <u>should</u> indicate how they meet the performance specification by recording this information in this column	Cross Reference: In this column, Bidders <u>should</u> cross-reference where this performance specification is indicated in their supporting documents
Total Chloride	%	95.0 - 100%	M		
Sodium Chloride	%	Min 95.0%	M		
Calcium, water soluble	%	0.010 - 0.300	M		
Magnesium, water soluble	%	0.005 - 0.080	M		
Potassium Chloride	%	0.500 - 3.000	M		
Potassium, water soluble	%	0.150 – 3.00	M		
Sulfate, water soluble	%	0.100 - 0.500	M		
Water insolubles	%	0.500 - 1.500	M		
Moisture	%	<1.000	M		
Bulk Density	Max 1240 kg/m3 Max 80 lbs/ft3		M		
SCREEN ANALYSIS – PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION					
Screen Size (mm)	Screen Size (Tyler)	Percent Passing	Status (M) Mandatory	Performance Specification Offered: Bidder <u>should</u> indicate how they meet the performance specification by recording this information in this column	Cross Reference: In this column, Bidders <u>should</u> cross-reference where this performance specification is indicated in their supporting documents
12.000	1/2"	100%	M		
9.000	3/8"	90 - 100%	M		
5.000	4 Mesh	35 - 85%	M		
2.000	9 Mesh	15 - 60%	M		
0.900	18 Mesh	5 - 30%	M		
0.400	40 Mesh	0 - 10%	M		
0.071	80 Mesh	0 - 3%	M		

ANNEX "B"

BASIS OF PAYMENT

- Firm unit prices at FOB Department of National Defence – Edmonton, Alberta T5J 4J5.
- Prices must include all costs associated with providing the requirement at Annex "A" including but not limited to: delivery, off-loading, installation, on-loading and removal charges.
- GST is not to be included in the unit prices.
- GST is to be added as a separate line item on invoices.
- Annual estimated usage is for evaluation purposes only and does not constitute a guarantee on behalf of Canada.

Year 1: Date of Issuance to September 30, 2021

Item	Description	Annual Estimated Usage (A)	Firm Unit Price (B)	Extended Total C = AxB
1	Sand and Salt mixture as per the mandatory specifications in Annex "A" - Requirement	800 metric tonnes	\$_____/metric ton	\$

Option Year 1: October 1, 2021 to September 30, 2022

Item	Description	Annual Estimated Usage (A)	Firm Unit Price (B)	Extended Total C = AxB
1	Sand and Salt mixture as per the mandatory specifications in Annex "A" - Requirement	800 metric tonnes	\$_____/metric ton	\$

Option Year 2: October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2023

Item	Description	Annual Estimated Usage (A)	Firm Unit Price (B)	Extended Total C = AxB
1	Sand and Salt mixture as per the mandatory specifications in Annex "A" - Requirement	800 metric tonnes	\$_____/metric ton	\$

Total Evaluated Price = Year 1 Extended Total + Option Year 1 Extended Total + Option Year 2 Extended Total

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ANNEX "C"

STANDING OFFER USAGE REPORT

Public Works and Government Services Canada
Facsimile: (780)497-3590

Email: TPSGC.ROPAequipedesoutien-WRAPSupportTeam.PWGSC@tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca

Quarterly Usage Report Schedule:

1st quarter: July 1 to September 30;
2nd quarter: August 1 to December 31;
3rd quarter: January 1 to March 31;
4th quarter: April 1 to June 30.

SUPPLIER:
STANDING OFFER NO: W0127-20P004

FEDERAL DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY: DND – Edmonton Garrison

REPORTING PERIOD: _____

Item No.	Call-Up/contract No. Description	Value of the Call- Up/Contract	GST/HST
(A) Total Dollar Value Call-ups for this reporting period:			
(B) Accumulated Call-Up totals to date:			
(A+B) Total Accumulated Call-Ups:			

NIL REPORT: We have not done any business with the federal government for this period []

PREPARED BY:

NAME:
TELEPHONE NO.:
SIGNATURE:

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ANNEX “D” to PART 3 OF THE REQUEST FOR STANDING OFFERS

ELECTRONIC PAYMENT INSTRUMENTS

As indicated in Part 3, clause 3.1.2, the Offeror must complete the information requested below, to identify which electronic payment instruments are accepted for the payment of invoices.

The Offeror accepts to be paid by any of the following Electronic Payment Instrument(s):

- ☐ VISA Acquisition Card;
- ☐ MasterCard Acquisition Card;
- ☐ Direct Deposit (Domestic and International);
- ☐ Electronic Data Interchange (EDI);
- ☐ Wire Transfer (International Only);