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Amendment 005

This amendment is being raised to answer bidder questions.

A. Question and Answers

Q8. A disproportionately large amount of the work on the Minnewanka Loop is contained in a 4.5 km distance that is currently closed with a 1km. subsection used as a very active cross country ski trail. Onsite signs say the road will not reopen until early May. However, there are dozens, perhaps hundreds of trees, (the total amount can not be known until a hazard tree assessment is done) that must be removed prior to April 15. How does Parks Canada wish to handle these contradictions?

A8. The contractor will be required to hire a Qualified Environmental Professional prior to tree removal after April 15th. Quantity of tree removal will be quantified by following the offsets out lined in the drawings. The road is currently closed to vehicles but not pedestrians.

Q9. Will the contractor have access to all or parts of this region, (stations 0t100 to 4t500) prior to road opening in May?

A9. The contractor may fall trees while the road is closed. The contractor will have access to the closed section prior to the road opening but not garneted prior to April 15th.

Q10. If access is granted to work between the above stations before snow cover melts, who is responsible to plow an access route to allow for transit for machinery to move and load trees?

A10. PCA will clear snow on the road surface.

Q11. At what date could a contractor expect that cross country skiing would cease?

A11. The road is planned to open May 1st 2021. The contractor may have access prior to this date but not granted to be prior to April 15th.

Q12. Who is responsible for any required snow and /or other materials movement at Peyto Pit to allow for fire wood log storage?

A12. The contractor will be responsible for prepping the area.

Q13. Can excavated material be stored on a temporary basis within the area set aside for the contractor's operations at Cascade Pit?

A13. Yes. The area will need sediment control and erosion measures.

Q14. Ditch excavation is to paid for as a unit price based upon lineal metres. But the ditch locations, dimensions and volumes of material to be removed are unknown to bidders. Can Parks Canada provide an estimate of materials that must be disposed of outside the park?

A14. Ditch locations, dimensions, and volumes will be determined by the department representative during construction. The volume of material to be disposed of outside the park is not expected to exceed 60 m³. For bidding purposes please assume 60m³

Q15. It is impossible at this time for bidders to know the amount of surface area to be seeded. Can Parks Canada provide an estimate of this area?

A15. All disturbed areas are to be seeded. This information can be calculated from the Drawings and Specification package.

Q16. Can Parks Canada provide any specifications for seed mix and mulch concentrations?

A16. Please refer to Appendix C. Detailed Restoration Plan.

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Q17. Are we mulching the entirety of the road?

A17. The method of brushing is up to the contractor. Areas for clearing are outlined in the detailed design. The detailed designs show the lengths and widths for each area.

Q18. Or are we pulling stumps/roots and hauling it to a landfill?

A18. Please refer to: Section 31 10 00 1.2 Definitions .1, Section 31 10 00 3.2.6, Section 31 10 00 3.4.1.

ALL OTHER TERMS & CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED