

Addendum #1

This solicitation addendum is issued to:

- 1 Provide the following questions and answers:

Q1. When can respondents expect the data sample referenced in Appendix E, item i ? “a test report created by the proponent using a data sample provided by CMHC”?

A1. This section should have read as “acknowledges that it is a mandatory requirement of CMHC RFP#000802 for each proponent to include in its submission, a test report created by the proponent.” CMHC will not be providing a data sample to proponents.

Q2. Can CMHC expand on meaning and definitions of: “according to CMHC instructions, in accordance with industry standards” in section 2.1 Quality Control?

A2. As it pertains to CMHC instructions, please refer to the second paragraphs of section 2.1:

“The proponent must provide in the proposal a list of all data elements and associated data characteristics (data type and length) that will be part of the deliverables, along with the percent of availability of the data element.

Example:

Data Element	Data Definition	Type	Length	Format	% Availability
Element # 1	A brief description/ definition	Numeric	5	99999	100
Element # 2	A brief description/ definition	Char	50	Alpha	100
Element # 3	A brief description/ definition	Date	8	YYYYMMDD	100
Element # 4	A brief description/ definition	Numeric	12	\$9,999,999.00	100
Element # 5	A brief description/ definition	Char	30	Alpha	85

Where industry standards exist, it is important that proponents provide data in that way and spell out what type of standards are being followed. To illustrate A1A 1A1 would be the format for the postal code.”

Q3. Regarding Section 2.2 Data Elements. In the first stanza is written, “Province, Name”. Is this meant to read “Province Name”. If not, please provide further definition of “Name”.

A3. This is meant to read as “Province Name” rather than “Province, Name”.