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# **REQUEST FOR QUOTATION**

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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE BIDI	DER	

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Address:	
Telephone No.:	Fax No.:
Name of person authorized to sign Firm (type or print):	n on behalf of the Vendor/
Signature:	Date:





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# IMPORTANT NOTICE TO BIDDERS

#### **COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement**

This requirement is subject to the COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel. Failure to complete and provide the COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement Certification as required precedent to contract award will render the bid non-responsive.

This requirement provides arrangements for a site visit that is subject to the COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel. Bidders who do not confirm attendance, provide the name(s) of the person(s) who will attend, or who do not complete and submit the requested certification as required will not be allowed access to the site.

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Emails with links to bid documents will not be accepted. Bid documents must be sent as email attachments.

#### Security Requirements

There are security requirements associated with this requirement. For further instructions, consult Part 1 – General Information and Part 6 – Resulting Contract Clauses.

#### Direct Deposit

The Government of Canada has replaced cheques with direct deposit payment(s); an electronic transfer of funds deposited directly into a bank account. In order to receive payment, new vendors that are awarded a contract will be required to complete a direct deposit enrolment form to register their direct deposit information with Parks Canada.

Additional information on this Government of Canada initiative is available at: <u>http://www.directdeposit.gc.ca</u>

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#### PART 1 – INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

#### 1.1. COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement

This requirement is subject to the COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel. Failure to complete and provide the COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement Certification as required precedent to contract award will render the bid non-responsive.

#### **1.2.** Security Requirements

New personnel security clearance requests require the fingerprinting of individuals to conduct a criminal record check. The validity of an existing personnel security clearance issued by the Government of Canada is not affected by this requirement of the criminal record check process. Contractors who require personnel security clearances to perform a contract for the Government of Canada are responsible for all costs associated with obtaining the security clearances.

**1.2.1.** Before award of a contract, the following conditions must be met:

- (a) The Bidder's proposed individuals requiring access to classified or protected information, assets or sensitive work sites must meet the security requirements as indicated in Part 6 – Resulting Contract Clauses;
- (b) The Bidder must provide the name of all individuals who will require access to classified or protected information, assets or sensitive work sites;
- **1.2.2** Bidders are reminded to obtain the required security clearance promptly. Any delay in the award of a contract to allow the successful Bidder to obtain the required clearance will be at the entire discretion of the Contracting Authority.

#### 1.3. Statement of Work

The Work to be performed is detailed under Article 6.3 of the resulting contract.

#### 1.4. Optional Site Visit

It is recommended that the Bidder or a representative of the Bidder visit the work site. Arrangements have been made for the site visit to be held at Complexe of the La Mauricie National Park, 50 Lac Goulet Road, St-Mathieu-du-Parc, Meeting Room 118B, Quebec G0X1N0 on **Monday March 7, 2022**. The site visit will begin at 9:00 AM local time.

This site visit is subject to the COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel. The person(s) who attend must be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. or. for personnel that are unable to be vaccinated due to a certified medical contraindication. religion or other prohibited grounds of discrimination under the Canadian Human Rights Act, subject to accommodation and mitigation measures that have been presented to and approved by Canada.

Bidders must communicate with the Contracting Authority (<u>christine.piche@pc.gc.ca</u>) no later than **Friday March 4, 2022 at 12:00** to confirm attendance and provide the name(s) of the person(s) who will attend. Bidders must also complete and submit the certification at **Annex E to Part 1 of the Bid Solicitation**.

Bidders who do not confirm attendance, provide the name(s) of the person(s) who will attend, or who do not complete and submit the above certification as required will not be allowed access to the site. Bidders will be requested to sign an attendance sheet. No alternative appointment will be given to bidders who do

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not attend or do not send a representative. Bidders who do not participate in the visit will not be precluded from submitting a bid. Any clarifications or changes to the bid solicitation resulting from the site visit will be included as an amendment to the bid solicitation.

# 1.5. Debriefings

Bidders may request a debriefing on the results of the bid solicitation process. Bidders should make the request to the Contracting Authority within 15 working days from receipt of the results of the bid solicitation process. The debriefing may be in writing, by telephone or in person.

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# PART 2 – BIDDER INSTRUCTIONS

#### 2.1. Standard Instructions, Clauses and Conditions

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

Bidders who submit a bid agree to be bound by the instructions, clauses and conditions of the bid solicitation and accept the clauses and conditions of the resulting contract.

The 2003 (2020-05-28), Standard Instructions – Goods or Services – Competitive Requirements, are incorporated by reference into and form part of the bid solicitation.

All reference to the Minister of Public Works and Government Services Canada shall be deleted and replaced with the Minister of the Environment for the purposes of the Parks Canada Agency. All reference to the Department of Public Works and Government Services Canada shall be deleted and replaced with the Parks Canada Agency.

Subsection 2. entitled epost Connect of section 08, Transmission by Facsimile or by epost Connect of the Standard Instructions 2003 incorporated by reference above is deleted in its entirety.

#### 2.2. Submission of Bids

Bids must be submitted only to the Parks Canada Agency (PCA) Bid Receiving Unit by the date and time indicated on page 1 of the bid solicitation.

#### Bids submitted in-person or by courier may not be accepted.

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#### 2.3. Enquiries – Bid Solicitation

All enquiries must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority (<u>christine.piche@pc.gc.ca</u>) no later than 5 calendar days before the bid closing date. Enquiries received after that time may not be answered.

Bidders should reference as accurately as possible the numbered item of the bid solicitation to which the enquiry relates. Care should be taken by Bidders 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

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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 the Bidder do so, so that the proprietary nature of the question(s) is eliminated, and the enquiry can be answered to all Bidders. Enquiries not submitted in a form that can be distributed to all Bidders may not be answered by Canada.

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# 2.4. Applicable Laws

Any resulting contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Quebec.

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

# 2.5. Bid Challenge and Recourse Mechanisms

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

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#### PART 3 – BID PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

#### 3.1. Bid Preparation Instructions

Canada requests that the bid be gathered per section and separated as follows:

Section I:	Financial Bid
Section II:	Certifications

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

#### Section I: Financial Bid

Bidders must submit their financial bid in accordance with the Basis of Payment at Annex B.

#### Section II: Certifications

Bidders must submit the certifications and additional information required under Part 5.

### PART 4 – EVALUATION PROCEDURES AND BASIS OF SELECTION

#### 4.1. Evaluation Procedures

- (a) Bids will be assessed in accordance with the entire requirement of the bid solicitation including the technical and financial evaluation criteria.
- (b) An evaluation team composed of representatives of Canada will evaluate the bids.

#### 4.1.1. Financial Evaluation

SACC Manual Clause A0220T (2014-06-26), Evaluation of Price - Bid

#### 4.1.2. Basis of Selection

A bid must comply with all requirements of the bid solicitation to be declared responsive. The responsive bid with the lowest evaluated price will be recommended for award of a contract.

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PART 5 - CERTIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Bidders must provide the required certifications and additional information to be awarded a contract.

The certifications provided by Bidders to Canada are subject to verification by Canada at all times. Unless specified otherwise, Canada will declare a bid non-responsive, or will declare a contractor in default if any certification made by the Bidder is found to be untrue whether made knowingly or unknowingly, during the bid evaluation period or during the contract period.

The Contracting Authority will have the right to ask for additional information to verify the Bidder's certifications. Failure to comply and to cooperate with any request or requirement imposed by the Contracting Authority will render the bid non-responsive or constitute a default under the Contract.

#### 5.1. Certifications Required with the Bid

Bidders must submit the following duly completed certifications as part of their bid.

#### 5.1.1. Integrity Provisions – Declaration of Convicted Offences

In accordance with the Integrity Provisions of the Standard Instructions, all Bidders must provide with their bid, <u>if applicable</u>, the declaration form available on the <u>Forms for the Integrity Regime</u> 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 Contract Award and Additional Information

The certifications and additional information listed below should be submitted with the bid, but may be submitted afterwards. If any of these required certifications or additional information is not completed and submitted as requested, the Contracting Authority will inform the Bidder 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 specified will render the bid non-responsive.

#### 5.2.1. COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement and Certification

In accordance with the COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel, the Bidder must provide the COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement Certification at **Annex F to Part 5 of the Bid Solicitation** prior to contract award, to be given further consideration in this procurement process. This Certification is incorporated into, and forms a binding part of any resulting Contract.

#### 5.2.2. 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 <u>Ineligibility and Suspension Policy</u> (http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html), the Bidder must provide the required documentation, as applicable, to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

The Bidder, regardless of their status under the <u>Ineligibility and Suspension Policy</u>, must provide the information requested at **Annex G to Part 5 of the Bid Solicitation** prior to contract award.

#### 5.2.3. Former Public Servant

Contracts awarded to former public servants in receipt of a pension or a lump sum payment must bear the closest public scrutiny and reflect fairness in the spending of public funds.

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In order to comply with Treasury Board policies and directives on contracts awarded to Former Public Servants, the Bidder must provide the information requested at **Annex H to Part 5 of the Bid Solicitation** prior to contract award.

# 5.2.4. Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity – Bid Certification

By submitting a bid, the Bidder certifies that the Bidder, and any of the Bidder's members if the Bidder 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 <u>Employment and Social</u> <u>Development Canada (ESDC) – Labour's</u> website (https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/programs/employment-equity/federal-contractor-program.html).

Canada will have the right to declare a bid non-responsive if the Bidder, or any member of the Bidder if the Bidder is a Joint Venture, appears on the "FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid" list at the time of contract award.

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# PART 6 – RESULTING CONTRACT CLAUSES

The following clauses and conditions apply to and form part of any contract resulting from the bid solicitation.

#### 6.1. COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement

The COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel is applicable to the Contract.

#### 6.2. Security Requirements

**6.2.1.** The following security requirements apply to and form part of the Contract.

• The Contractor/Offeror's personnel as well as their subcontractors that require unescorted access to work site(s) as well as access to sensitive assets or protected information must EACH hold and maintain a valid **RELIABILITY STATUS**, granted or approved by Parks Canada Agency Security Directorate (PCASD).

\*Sensitive assets may include: Cash, artefacts, firearms, explosives, keys, vehicles, Historic sites and buildings, electronic equipment, IT networks, Critical installations and systems, etc.

• The Contractor/Offeror's personnel as well as their subcontractors MUST NOT remove any PCA information or assets from the identified work site(s) without consent from a PCA employee, and they must ensure that their personnel are made aware of and comply with this restriction.

#### 6.3. Statement of Work

The Contractor must perform the Work in accordance with the Statement of Work at Annex "A".

#### 6.4. Standard Clauses and Conditions

All clauses and conditions identified in the Contract by number, date and title are set out in the <u>Standard</u> <u>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.</u>

#### 6.4.1. General Conditions

<u>2010C</u> (2021-12-02), General Conditions – Services (Medium Complexity) apply to and form part of the Contract.

All reference to the Minister of Public Works and Government Services Canada shall be deleted and replaced with the Minister of the Environment for the purposes of the Parks Canada Agency. All reference to the Department of Public Works and Government Services Canada shall be deleted and replaced with the Parks Canada Agency.

#### 6.4.1.1. Compliance with On-site Measures, Standing Orders, Policies, and Rules

The Contractor must comply and ensure that its employees and subcontractors comply with all security measures, standing orders, policies or other rules in force at the site where the Work is performed.

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#### 6.5.1. Period of the Contract

The period of the Contract is from date of Contract to March 31, 2023 inclusive.

The work shall be performed according to the following schedule:

April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023

#### 6.5.2. Option to Extend the Contract

The Contractor grants to Canada the irrevocable option to extend the term of the Contract by up to four (4) additional one (1) year period under the same conditions. The Contractor agrees that, during the extended period of the Contract, it will be paid in accordance with the applicable provisions as set out in the Basis of Payment.

Canada may exercise this option at any time by sending a written notice to the Contractor at least thirty (30) calendar days before the expiry date of the Contract. The option may only be exercised by the Contracting Authority, and will be evidenced for administrative purposes only, through a contract amendment.

The work shall be performed according to the following schedule:

April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024 April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025 April 1, 2025 to March 31, 2026 April 1, 2026 to March 31, 2027

#### 6.6. **Authorities**

#### 6.6.1. Contracting Authority

The Contracting Authority for the Contract is:

Christine Piché Advisor Parks Canada Agency National Contracting Services **Chief Financial Officer Directorate** Gatineau, QC

Telephone: 873-355-8841 E-mail address: christine.piche@pc.gc.ca

The Contracting Authority is responsible for the management of the Contract and any changes to the Contract must be authorized in writing by the Contracting Authority. The Contractor must not perform work in excess of or outside the scope of the Contract based on verbal or written requests or instructions from anybody other than the Contracting Authority.

#### 6.6.2. Project Authority

The Project Authority for the Contract is:

#### \*\*\* to be provided at contract award \*\*\*

The Project Authority is the representative of the department or agency for whom the Work is being carried out under the Contract and is responsible for all matters concerning the technical content of the Work under the Contract. Technical matters may be discussed with the Project Authority; however, the Project Authority has no authority to authorize changes to the scope of the Work. Changes to the scope of the Work can only be made through a contract amendment issued by the Contracting Authority.

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#### 6.6.3. Contractor's Representative

The Contractor's Representative for the Contract is:

Representative's Name:			
Representative's Title:			
Legal Vendor/ Firm Name:			
<b>Operating Vendor/Firm Name</b> (if different than above):			
Physical Address:			
City:	Province/ Territory:		Postal Code:
Telephone:		Facsimile:	
Email Address:			
Procurement Business Number (PBN) or Goods and Services Tax (GST) Number:			

# 6.7. Proactive Disclosure of Contracts with Former Public Servants

\*\*\* SACC Manual clause A3025C to be inserted at contract award, if applicable \*\*\*

#### 6.8. Payment

#### 6.8.1. Basis of Payment

In consideration of the Contractor satisfactorily completing all of its obligations under the Contract, the Contractor will be paid a *firm price (to be inserted at contract award), as specified in Annex B of the contract.* 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.

# 6.8.2. Terms of payment – Monthly Payment

Canada will pay the Contractor on a monthly basis for work performed during the month covered by the invoice in accordance with the payment provisions of the Contract if:

a. an accurate and complete invoice and any other documents required by the Contract have been submitted in accordance with the invoicing instructions provided in the Contract;

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- b. all such documents have been verified by Canada;
- c. the Work performed has been accepted by Canada.

#### 6.9. 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.

#### 6.10. Certifications and Additional Information

#### 6.10.1. Compliance

Unless specified otherwise, the continuous compliance with the certifications provided by the Contractor in its bid or precedent to contract award, and the ongoing cooperation in providing additional information are conditions of the Contract and failure to comply will constitute the Contractor in default. Certifications are subject to verification by Canada during the entire period of the Contract.

#### 6.11. Applicable Laws

The Contract must be interpreted and governed, and the relations between the parties determined, by the laws in force in Quebec.

#### 6.12. 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 Articles of Agreement;
- (b) The general conditions 2010C (2021-12-02), General conditions: Services (medium complexity);
- (c) Annex A, Statement of Work;
- (d) Annex B, Basis of Payment;
- (e) Annex C, Insurance Requirements;
- (f) Annex D, Attestation and Proof of Compliance with Occupational Health and Safety (OHS);
- (g) The Contractor's bid dated \*\*\* to be inserted at contract award \*\*\*.

# 6.13. Insurance Requirements

The Contractor must comply with the insurance requirements specified in Annex C. The Contractor must maintain the required insurance coverage for the duration of the Contract. Compliance with the insurance requirements does not release the Contractor from or reduce its liability under the Contract.

The Contractor is responsible for deciding if additional insurance coverage is necessary to fulfill its obligation under the Contract and to ensure compliance with any applicable law. Any additional insurance coverage is at the Contractor's expense, and for its own benefit and protection.

The Contractor must forward to the Contracting Authority within ten (10) days after the date of award of the Contract, a Certificate of Insurance evidencing the insurance coverage and confirming that the insurance policy complying with the requirements is in force. For Canadian-based Contractors, coverage must be placed with an Insurer licensed to carry out business in Canada, however, for Foreign-based Contractors, coverage must be placed with an Insurer with an A.M. Best Rating no less than "A-". The Contractor must, if requested by the Contracting Authority, forward to Canada a certified true copy of all applicable insurance policies.

#### 6.14. 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 Contract or before recommending payment.

#### 6.15. Government Site Regulations

The Contractor must comply with all regulations, instructions and directives in force on the site where the Work is performed.

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#### ANNEX A

#### STATEMENT OF WORK

# **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

#### INTERPRETATION

In this statement, "the Agency" refers to the Parks Canada Agency, Mauricie and Western Quebec Field Unit.

In this statement, the "Representative" refers to the Head of Technical Services at Parks Canada or his or her authorized representative.

In this statement, the "Contractor" refers to the company selected to perform all the work described herein, according to the instructions and specifications provided for this purpose.

The words, expressions and abbreviations with a known technical or professional meaning must be understood as such in this statement.

#### WORK SCHEDULE

All work or activities specified in this statement must be completed within the dates, times or days specified in section **2. WORK DESCRIPTION** in this document.

#### CONTRACTOR'S USE OF THE SITE

Do not unduly clutter the premises with materials and equipment.

The Contractor shall comply with all applicable Agency regulations, including but not limited to fire safety, parking and traffic control regulations.

#### CONTRACTOR'S LIABILITY

The Contractor shall notify the Agency of any accident or incident that causes damage to Parks Canada or third-party property. It must also immediately report any injuries caused to site users.

If, in the course of operations carried out by the Contractor, damage is caused to Agency property, the Contractor shall bear the cost of repairs.

#### SAFETY

The Contractor shall ensure compliance with all occupational safety requirements, including the clothing worn by its employees, the equipment used and the work methods recommended.

The Contractor shall ensure that the work complies with the requirements of the Canada Labour Code and the Commission de la santé et de la sécurité du travail du Québec (CSST).

The Contractor shall ensure, at its own expense, the health and safety of persons on the site, protect the assets on the site and, in areas adjacent to the site, protect persons and the environment insofar as they are affected by the work.

The Contractor shall ensure safe access to the site for Agency staff, occupants and visitors for the duration of the work.

It shall also comply with the Canada Labour Code Part II:

https://www.laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/L-2/

#### EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS

The Contractor shall provide cleaning, stripping and waxing materials. It shall also provide laundry detergent and garbage bags for the garbage cans.

At the Agency's request, the Contractor must prove that the equipment and tools it proposes to use are sufficient in number as well as suitable, safe and in good condition.

#### WASTE DISPOSAL

All waste and old dismantled materials shall be disposed of outside of La Mauricie National Park in a recognized landfill site at the Contractor's expense.

#### CONTRACTOR'S STAFF

- The people to whom the Contractor will delegate this work must be competent, honest and respectful to park visitors and employees.
- The Contractor must designate a supervisor and provide the Agency with this person's contact information so that he or she can be easily reached if necessary.

#### SUPPORT PROVIDED BY THE AGENCY

- The Agency shall provide the Contractor with janitorial space on each floor of the main and secondary Operations Centre buildings.
- The Agency shall provide the Contractor with toilet paper, hand soap and a cleaning cart for the Contractor to refill soap and paper towel dispensers.
- One or more keys will be provided to access the work site, as needed.
- In the event of the loss of one or more keys, a non-refundable \$500.00 fee shall be charged to the Contractor per lost key.

#### WORK DESCRIPTION

#### OBJECTIVES

Provide housekeeping services for the La Mauricie National Park Operations Centre.

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#### AREAS OF FOCUS

- Main building, Complex and secondary building (Hercules) of the St-Mathieu-du-Parc Operations Centre located at 50 Lac Goulet Road, St-Mathieu-du-Parc, QC G0X1N0.
- This statement includes all spaces in the buildings where access is not restricted, including hallways, offices, meeting rooms, etc.

#### TIMELINE AND WORK SCHEDULE

Housekeeping services shall be provided Monday through Friday inclusive, except in the case of exceptions and holidays, as authorized by the Agency Representative.

Housekeeping services shall be provided between 4:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m.

Housekeeping services shall be provided between April 1, 2022 and March 31, 2023 for the first year of the contract.

Housekeeping services for option years shall be provided as follows:

First year: April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024

Second year: April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025

Third year: April 1, 2025 to March 31, 2026

Fourth year: April 1, 2026 to March 31, 2027

#### **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

- For the first year, daily housekeeping services provided in the main building, Monday through Sunday inclusive, from **April 1 to October 15**, shall consist of:

Vacuuming.

Collecting waste and emptying garbage cans.

Emptying outdoor ashtrays.

Cleaning and dusting the furniture, except when files or documents are present.

Cleaning shelves, the tops of thermostats, baseboard heaters, edges of office structures, counters, tables, blinds, chairs, stoves, refrigerators, microwaves, cabinets and any other surface where dust or dirt may settle.

Cleaning and disinfecting toilets, sinks, faucets, urinals and wash basins.

Washing mirrors and vanity counters, separating composite or metallic materials and cleaning partitions in the bathrooms.

Refilling dispensers with soap, paper towel and toilet paper.

Replacing dishcloths and table linens.

Cleaning the inner and outer doors and entire interior of the elevator.

Sweeping and/or mopping floors once a week or as needed.

Locking access doors after each visit.

Washing and drying dishcloths and table linens once per work week or as needed (a washer shall be available to the Contractor in the secondary building).

It is strongly recommended to use ecological household products with a neutral footprint on the environment.

- For the first year, daily housekeeping services provided in the main building, Monday through Sunday inclusive, from **October 16 to March 31**, shall consist of:

Cleaning and disinfecting toilets, bathroom stalls, sinks and faucets.

Collecting waste and emptying garbage cans.

Replacing dishcloths and table linens.

The other duties listed in the above paragraph of section 2.4 will be performed on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays only.

- In the secondary building, the Contractor shall provide the same housekeeping services as in the main building for both the men's and women's bathrooms, the "T" passage and the first aid room.
- The Contractor shall wash indoor windows once a month.
- The Contractor shall run a mixture of water and bleach through the floor drains once a month.
- The Contractor shall wash outdoor windows on the second floor twice a year, in the spring and fall.
- The Contractor shall wash the carpets and wax the floors twice a year, in May and November.
- Upon agreement with the Contractor, the Agency shall arrange for the relocation of filing cabinets and heavy objects or furniture to make cleaning and waxing possible at these locations once a year.
- Cleaning products must be phosphate-free and biodegradable to be authorized for use.

#### ADDITIONAL WORK

Any claim for additional work not provided for in the contract will be rejected unless such work is authorized in advance by written agreement with the Agency Representative and accompanied by a lump sum price.

Any defects in the buildings or equipment must be reported immediately to the Agency Representative.

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# 2.6 MONITORING OF SERVICES RENDERED

- A checklist provided by the Agency Representative shall be completed by the Contractor and approved by the Agency Representative at the end of each work week.
- The checklist will be used to monitor the work carried out during that week.

#### 2.7 PROTECTION OF THE PUBLIC

All work shall be carried out discretely, avoiding inconveniencing the public as much as possible.

#### 2.8 MEETINGS

A kick-off meeting to start the work will be scheduled, if necessary.

The selected Contractor shall return the following completed and signed form provided by the Parks Canada Representative before the work begins: ANNEXD: Attestation and Proof of Compliance with Occupational Health and Safety (OHS) of the Request for Quotation document.

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#### ANNEX B

#### **BASIS OF PAYMENT**

A) Bidders must submit a price in the format indicated in this Schedule "B" - Basis of Payment or their bid will be deemed non-responsive.

Bidders must provide their prices based on the requirements outlined in Schedule "A" - Statement of Work. Bidders must submit all-inclusive fixed prices (materials, labour, tools, equipment, accessories, transportation and company overhead). Taxes are extra.

Year 1 of the contract (from April 1st 2022 to March 31 2022)			
Description	LumpSum		
	(excluding applicable taxes)		
Cleaning and Maintenance for year 2022-2023	\$		
TOTAL YEAR 1 – 2022 - 2023 (excluding applicable taxes)	\$		

Option Year 1 (from April 1st 2023 to March 31 2024)			
Description	Lump Sum		
	(excluding applicable taxes)		
Cleaning and Maintenance for year 2023-2024	\$		
TOTAL OPTION YEAR 1 – 2023 - 2024 (excluding applicable taxes)	\$		

Option Year 2 (from April 1st 2024 to March 31 2025)			
Description	Lump Sum		
	(excluding applicable taxes)		
Cleaning and Maintenance for year 2024-2025	\$		
TOTAL OPTION YEAR 2 – 2024 - 2025 (excluding applicable taxes)	\$		

Option Year 3 (from April 1st 2025 to March 31 2026)		
Description	Lump Sum (excluding applicable taxes)	
Cleaning and Maintenance for year 2025-2026	\$	
TOTAL OPTION YEAR 3 – 2025 - 2026 (excluding applicable taxes)	\$	

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Option Year 4 (from April 1st 2026 to March 31 2027)	
Description	Lump Sum
	(excluding applicable taxes)
Cleaning and Maintenance for year 2026-2027	\$
TOTAL OPTION YEAR 4 – 2026 - 2027 (excluding applicable taxes)	\$

	SUMMARY	GLOBAL PRICE (Excluding applicable taxes)
1	First year of contract (2022-2023)	\$
2	1st Option Year (2023-2024)	\$
3	2 <sup>nd</sup> Option Year (2024-2025)	\$
4	3rd Option Years (2025-2026)	\$
5	4th Option Year (2026-2027)	\$
	GRAND TOTAL OF THE SUBMISSION (excluding applicable taxes)	\$

# B) Complete Bid Price Breakdown

A complete and detailed breakdown of the bid price according to a breakdown established by Parks Canada at **Appendix A – Price Breakdown** is required as part of the bid.

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#### ANNEX C

#### INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

#### Commercial General Liability Insurance (G2001C) 2018-06-21

- 1. The Contractor must obtain Commercial General Liability Insurance, and maintain it in force throughout the duration of the Contract, in an amount usual for a contract of this nature, but for not less than \$2,000,000 per accident or occurrence and in the annual aggregate.
- 2. The Commercial General Liability policy must include the following:
  - a. Additional Insured: Canada is added as an additional insured, but only with respect to liability arising out of the Contractor's performance of the Contract. The interest of Canada should read as follows: Canada, as represented by Public Works and Government Services Canada.
  - b. Bodily Injury and Property Damage to third parties arising out of the operations of the Contractor.
  - c. Products and Completed Operations: Coverage for bodily injury or property damage arising out of goods or products manufactured, sold, handled, or distributed by the Contractor and/or arising out of operations that have been completed by the Contractor.
  - d. Personal Injury: While not limited to, the coverage must include Violation of Privacy, Libel and Slander, False Arrest, Detention or Imprisonment and Defamation of Character.
  - e. Cross Liability/Separation of Insureds: Without increasing the limit of liability, the policy must protect all insured parties to the full extent of coverage provided. Further, the policy must apply to each Insured in the same manner and to the same extent as if a separate policy had been issued to each.
  - f. Blanket Contractual Liability: The policy must, on a blanket basis or by specific reference to the Contract, extend to assumed liabilities with respect to contractual provisions.
  - g. Employees and, if applicable, Volunteers must be included as Additional Insured.
  - h. Employers' Liability (or confirmation that all employees are covered by Worker's compensation (WSIB) or similar program)
  - i. Broad Form Property Damage including Completed Operations: Expands the Property Damage coverage to include certain losses that would otherwise be excluded by the standard care, custody or control exclusion found in a standard policy.
  - j. Notice of Cancellation: The Contractor will provide the Contracting Authority thirty (30) days prior written notice of policy cancellation or any changes to the insurance policy.
  - k. If the policy is written on a claims-made basis, coverage must be in place for a period of at least 12 months after the completion or termination of the Contract.

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#### ANNEX D

# ATTESTATION AND PROOF OF COMPLIANCE WITH OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY (OHS)

\*\*\* to be completed after contract award \*\*\*

# The following form must be completed and signed prior to commencing work on Parks Canada Sites.

# Submission of this completed form, satisfactory to Parks Canada, is a condition of gaining access to the work place.

Parks Canada recognizes that federal OHS legislation places certain specific responsibilities upon Parks Canada as owner of the work place. In order to meet those responsibilities, Parks Canada is implementing a contractor safety regime that will ensure that roles and responsibilities assigned under Part II of the Canada Labour Code and the Canada Occupational Health and Safety Regulations are implemented and observed when involving contractor(s) to undertake works in Parks Canada work places.

Parks Canada Responsible Authority/Project Lead	Address	Contact Information
Project Manager		
Prime Contractor		
<b>Subcontractor(s)</b> (add additional fields as required)		

#### Location of Work

General	Descri	ntion c	of Work	to he	Completed
General	DESCIT	uuuu u			COMPLETER

# Mark "Yes" where applicable.

A meeting has been held to discuss hazards and access to the work place and all known and foreseeable hazards have been identified to the contractor and/or subcontractor(s)
The contractor and/or its subcontractor(s) will comply with all federal and provincial/territorial legislation and Parks Canada's policies and procedures, regarding occupational health and safety.
The contractor and/or its subcontractor(s) will provide all prescribed safety materials, equipment, devices and clothing.
The contractor and/or its subcontractor(s) will ensure that its employees are familiar with and use all prescribed safety materials, equipment, devices and clothing at all times.
The contractor and/or its subcontractor(s) will ensure that its activities do not endanger the health and safety of Parks Canada employees.
The contractor and/or its subcontractor(s) has inspected the site and has carried out a hazard assessment and has put in place a health and safety plan and informed its employees accordingly, prior to the commencement of the work.
Where a contractor and/or its subcontractor(s) will be storing, handling or using hazardous substances in the work place, it will place warning signs at access points warning persons of the presence of the substances and any precautions to be taken to prevent or reduce any hazard of injury or death.
The contractor and/or its subcontractor(s) will ensure that its employees are instructed in respect of any emergency procedures applicable to the site.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (contractor), certify that I have read, understood and attest that my firm, employees and all sub-contractors will comply with the requirements set out in this document and the terms and conditions of the contract.

Name:\_\_\_\_\_

Signature:	
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Date:\_\_\_\_\_

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# ANNEX E - TO PART 1 OF THE BID SOLICITATION

# SITE VISIT CERTIFICATION

l,	(first and last name), as the representative of
	_ (name of business) pursuant to
all personnel that will attend this site visit on the b	_ <i>(insert solicitation number)</i> , warrant and certify that business' behalf are:
(a) fully vaccinated against COVID-19; or	

(b) for personnel that are unable to be vaccinated due to a certified medical contraindication, religion or other prohibited grounds of discrimination under the Canadian Human Rights Act, subject to accommodation and mitigation measures that have been presented to and approved by Canada.

I certify that all personnel that will attend on behalf of *(name of business)* have been notified of the vaccination requirements of the Government of Canada's COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel, and that the

with this requirement. (name of business) has certified to their compliance

I certify that the information provided is true as of the date indicated below and will continue to be true for the duration of the site visit. I understand that the certifications provided to Canada are subject to verification at all times. Canada reserves the right to request additional information to verify the certifications at all times. I also understand that Canada will declare a bid non-responsive or a contractor in default, if a certification is found to be untrue, whether made knowingly or unknowingly.

#### Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:\_\_\_\_\_

Information you provide on this Certification Form and in accordance with the Government of Canada's COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel will be protected, used, stored and disclosed in accordance with the Privacy Act. Please note that you have a right to access and correct any information on your file, and you have a right to file a complaint with the Office of the Privacy Commissioner regarding the handling of your personal information. These rights also apply to all individuals who are deemed to be personnel for the purpose for the Contract and who require access to federal government workplaces where they may come into contact with public servants.

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#### ANNEX F - TO PART 5 OF THE BID SOLICITATION

#### COVID-19 VACCINATION REQUIREMENT CERTIFICATION

I,	(first and last name), as the representative of
	(name of business) pursuant to
	, warrant and certify that
all personnel that	

\_\_\_\_\_ (name of business) will provide on the resulting Contract who access federal government workplaces where they may come into contact with public servants will be:

#### (check the applicable option[s] below)

- $\Box$  (a) fully vaccinated against COVID-19;
- □ (b) for personnel that are unable to be vaccinated due to a certified medical contraindication, religion or other prohibited grounds of discrimination under the *Canadian Human Rights Act*, subject to accommodation and mitigation measures that have been presented to and approved by Canada; or
- □ (c) partially vaccinated against COVID-19 for a period of up to 10 weeks from the date of their first dose and subject to temporary measures that have been presented to and approved by Canada, immediately after which period the personnel will meet the conditions of (a) or (b) or will no longer access federal government workplaces where they may come into contact with public servants under this Contract;

until such time that Canada indicates that the vaccination requirements of the COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel are no longer in effect.

I certify that all personnel provided by \_\_\_\_\_\_ (name of business) have been notified of the vaccination requirements of the Government of Canada's COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel, and that the

(name of business) has certified to their compliance

with this requirement.

I certify that the information provided is true as of the date indicated below and will continue to be true for the duration of the Contract. I understand that the certifications provided to Canada are subject to verification at all times. I also understand that Canada will declare a contractor in default, if a certification is found to be untrue, whether made knowingly or unknowingly, during the bid or contract period. Canada reserves the right to ask for additional information to verify the certifications. Failure to comply with any request or requirement imposed by Canada will constitute a default under the Contract.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:\_\_\_\_\_

<u>Optional</u>

Solicitation No.:	Amendment No.:	<b>Contracting Authority:</b>	Ver.11.05.21
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For data purposes only, initial below if your business already has its own mandatory vaccination policy or requirements for employees in place. Initialing below **is not** a substitute for completing the mandatory certification above.

#### Initials:

Information you provide on this Certification Form and in accordance with the Government of Canada's COVID-19 Vaccination Policy for Supplier Personnel will be protected, used, stored and disclosed in accordance with the Privacy Act. Please note that you have a right to access and correct any information on your file, and you have a right to file a complaint with the Office of the Privacy Commissioner regarding the handling of your personal information. These rights also apply to all individuals who are deemed to be personnel for the purpose for the Contract and who require access to federal government workplaces where they may come into contact with public servants.

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### ANNEX G - TO PART 5 OF THE BID SOLICITATION

#### LIST OF NAMES FOR INTEGRITY VERIFICATION FORM

#### Requirements

Section 17 of the <u>Ineligibility and Suspension Policy</u> (the Policy) requires suppliers, regardless of their status under the Policy, to submit a list of names when participating in a procurement process. The required list differs depending on the Bidder's or Offeror's organizational structure:

- Suppliers including those bidding as joint ventures, whether incorporated or not, must provide a complete list of the names of all current directors.
- Privately owned corporations must provide a list of the owners' names.
- Suppliers bidding as sole proprietors, including sole proprietors bidding as joint ventures, whether incorporated or not, must provide a complete list of the names of all owners.
- Suppliers that are a partnership do not need to provide a list of names.

Suppliers may use this form to provide the required list of names with their bid or offer submission. Failure to submit this information with a bid or offer, where required, will render a bid or offer non-responsive, or the supplier otherwise disqualified for award of a contract or real property agreement. Please refer to Information Bulletin: Required information to submit a bid or offer for additional details.

#### Supplier Information

Supplier's Legal	Name:		
Organizational St	tructure: () Corporate Entity () Privately Owned Corpora () Sole Proprietor () Partnership	ation	
Supplier's Legal	Address:		
City:	Province / Territory:	Postal Code:	

Supplier's Procurement Business Number (optional):

#### List of Names

Name	Title

Solicitation No.: 5P300-21-0328/A	Amendment No.:		Contracting Authority: Christine Piché	Ver.11.05.21		
Client Reference No.: PR 10212274	00 Christine Piché <b>Title:</b> Housekeeping, La Mauricie National Park					
Declaration						
I,	,	, <b>(name)</b>				
, <b>(position)</b> of						
, <b>(supplier's name)</b> declare that the information provided in this Form is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate and complete. I am aware that failing to provide the list of names will render a bid or offer non-responsive, or I will be otherwise disqualified for award of a contract or real property agreement. I am aware that during the bid or offer evaluation stage, I must, within 10 working days, inform the Contracting Authority in writing of any changes affecting the list of names submitted. I am also aware that after contract award I must inform the						

Registrar of Ineligibility and Suspension within 10 working days of any changes to the list of names

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:

submitted.

Title:

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# ANNEX H - TO PART 5 OF THE BID SOLICITATION

# FORMER PUBLIC SERVANT

Contracts awarded to former public servants (FPS) in receipt of a pension or of a lump sum payment must bear the closest public scrutiny, and reflect fairness in the spending of public funds. In order to comply with Treasury Board policies and directives on contracts awarded to FPSs, bidders must provide the information required below before contract award. If the answer to the questions and, as applicable the information required have not been received by the time the evaluation of bids is completed, Canada will inform the Bidder of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to comply with Canada's request and meet the requirement within the prescribed time frame will render the bid non-responsive.

#### Definitions

For the purposes of this clause,

"former public servant" is any former member of a department as defined in the <u>Financial Administration</u> <u>Act</u>, R.S., 1985, c., F-11, a former member of the Canadian Armed Forces or a former member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. A former public servant may be:

- (a) an individual;
- (b) an individual who has incorporated;
- (c) a partnership made of former public servants; or
- (d) a sole proprietorship or entity where the affected individual has a controlling or major interest in the entity.

"lump sum payment period" means the period measured in weeks of salary, for which payment has been made to facilitate the transition to retirement or to other employment as a result of the implementation of various programs to reduce the size of the Public Service. The lump sum payment period does not include the period of severance pay, which is measured in a like manner.

"pension" means a pension or annual allowance paid under the <u>Public Service Superannuation Act</u> (PSSA), R.S., 1985, c. P-36, and any increases paid pursuant to the <u>Supplementary Retirement Benefits</u> <u>Act</u>, R.S., 1985, c. S-24 as it affects the PSSA. It does not include pensions payable pursuant to the <u>Canadian Forces Superannuation Act</u>, R.S., 1985, c. C-17, the <u>Defence Services Pension Continuation</u> <u>Act</u>, 1970, c. D-3, the <u>Royal Canadian Mounted Police Pension Continuation Act</u>, 1970, c. R-10, and the <u>Royal Canadian Mounted Police Superannuation Act</u>, R.S., 1985, c. R-11, the <u>Members of Parliament</u> <u>Retiring Allowances Act</u>, R.S., 1985, c. M-5, and that portion of pension payable to the <u>Canada Pension</u> <u>Plan Act</u>, R.S., 1985, c. C-8.

# Former Public Servant in Receipt of a Pension

As per the above definitions, is the Bidder a FPS in receipt of a pension? **Yes**() **No**()

If so, the Bidder must provide the following information, for all FPS in receipt of a pension, as applicable:

- (a) name of former public servant;
- (b) date of termination of employment or retirement from the Public Service.

By providing this information, Bidders agree that the successful Bidder's status, with respect to being a former public servant in receipt of a pension, will be reported on departmental websites as part of the

published proactive disclosure reports in accordance with <u>Contracting Policy Notice: 2019-1</u> and the <u>Guidelines on the Proactive Disclosure of Contracts</u>.

# Work Force Adjustment Directive

Is the Bidder a FPS who received a lump sum payment pursuant to the **Yes**() **No**() terms of the Work Force Adjustment Directive?

If so, the Bidder must provide the following information:

- (a) name of former public servant;
- (b) conditions of the lump sum payment incentive;
- (c) date of termination of employment;
- (d) amount of lump sum payment;
- (e) rate of pay on which lump sum payment is based;
- (f) period of lump sum payment including start date, end date and number of weeks;
- (g) number and amount (professional fees) of other contracts subject to the restrictions of a work force adjustment program.