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REVISION 003 TO A INVITATION TO TENDER	Solicitation Closes: At: 2:00 PM On: May 25, 2022	Time Zone: MDT
The referenced document is hereby revised; unless otherwise indicated, all other terms and conditions remain the same.	<b>F.O.B.:</b> Plant: □ Destination: ⊠ Other: □	
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### Amendment 003

This amendment is raised to extend the solicitation closing date, distribute questions and answers and make revisions to the tender package.

### A. Bid Closing Date

The closing date for tender 5P468-21-0263/A is extended from May 17, 2022 to **May 25, 2022 at 2:00PM Mountain Daylight Time (MDT).** Note that the question deadline has not been extended.

### B. Questions and Answers

- **Q3** Could you extend the closing date?
- A3 The solicitation closing date has been extended.

**Q4** Will the trail be closed during construction?

- A4 See specifications section 01 14 00 Work restrictions 1.1 Access and egress.
- Q5 Does Park allow to put construction material on/near trail? Is Park able to designate spots?
- A5 See specification section 01 14 00 Work restrictions 1.1 Access and egress for laydown areas. Placement of construction material on/near the trail within the area of the new railing extension is allowable if it is completed in accordance with the Contract Specifications.

Q6 Is Contractor allowed to use a space in parking lot to set up an office and storage?

- A6 See specifications section 01 11 00 Summary of work, 01 14 00 Work restrictions, 01 35 43 Environmental procedures and 01 52 00 Construction facilities.
- **Q7** Please clarify the liquidation damage.

**A7** Liquidated damages do not apply to this contract; however, GC5.10 Assessments and Damages for Late Completion may apply if the work is not completed by the contract completion date.

Section 5.R.R2850D - GC5 - Terms of Payment - Buyandsell.gc.ca

**Q8** Please clarify the period for bonding and warranty.

**A8** Please refer to GC9: Contract Security. The forms for the performance bond (form <u>PWGSC-TPSGC</u> 505) and labour and material payment bond (form <u>PWGSC-TPSGC 506</u>) indicate the applicable periods for each. Please refer to GC3: Execution and control of the work, Warranty and rectification of defects in work. Please also refer to the specifications for any further warranty requirements if applicable. Links have been provided below for bidders' reference:

Section 5.R.R2890D - GC9 - Contract Security - Buyandsell.gc.ca

Section 5.R.R2830D - GC3 - Execution and Control of the Work - Buyandsell.gc.ca

**Q9** Are Parks Canada willing to compensate the contractor for materials ordered but not installed until August. Due to price fluctuations and supply shortages it is beneficial to order materials sooner rather than waiting until closer to project start up

A9 Please refer to GC5 – Terms of Payment, 5.4 Progress Payment. The contractor's progress claims may include any Material that was delivered to the Work site but not incorporated into the Work, during that payment period.

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Refer to the specifications for other payment details such as but not limited to Section 01 29 01

1.1.4 The prices bid for supply and installation of materials shall be full compensation for supplying, delivering, loading, unloading, handling, storage, breakage, waste, hauling, installing, cleaning, testing, and placing in service the work together with all work subsidiary and incidentals thereto for which separate payment is not provided elsewhere. Payment shall be only for materials actually installed unless otherwise approved in writing in advance by Departmental Representative

Q10 If a fire suppression unit is located onsite in general location of welding activity, is this considered a mitigation factor to prevent shut down if wildfire conditions are favorable? A10

- Fire suppression unit/equipment should be located where the grinding/welding is being completed, not just the 'general location'.

- When fire rating is HIGH, work stoppage will be dependent on specific work location and fire suppression equipment/resources or ongoing fires in the park.

When fire rating is EXTREME, no welding or grinding will be allowed.

- Historical information for reference only: In the past 11 years (2010-2021), there have been 169 days in LOW, 118 in MODERATE, 44 in HIGH and 4 in EXTREME during the months of September and October. Meaning 1% of days have been EXTREME during that time.

### C. Tender Package Revisions

## Specification Section - 01 35 43 Environmental procedures 1.8.4

Please remove the word "Index" from the section below - it is not relevant to the Fire Danger Rating

- The Contractor shall maintain an awareness of the fire danger rating (Index) in the work area by contacting the Parks Fire Duty Officer. Fire prevention care is to be commensurate with the fire Index. Fire Duty Officer 403-763-8025 or banff-firedutyofficer@pc.gc.ca.
  - 4.1. Each day before welding, the Fire Duty Officer is required to be called. Work will be permitted depending on Fire Danger Rating.
  - 4.2. During times of welding and grinding, wet the area with a Wajax bag (20L backpack pump). In the event of a fire, use the wajax bag to extinguish the fire.

# ALL OTHER TERMS & CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED.