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**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

**DEMANDE DE PROPOSITION**

**Proposal To: Parks Canada Agency**

We hereby offer to sell to His Majesty the King in right of Canada, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out herein, referred to herein or attached hereto, the goods, services, and construction listed herein and on any attached sheets at the price(s) set out therefor.

**Proposition à: l'Agence Parcs Canada**

Nous offrons par la présente de vendre à Sa Majesté le Roi du Chef du Canada, aux conditions énoncées ou incluses par référence dans la présente et aux annexes ci-jointes, les biens, services et travaux de construction énumérés ici et sur toute feuille ci-annexée, au(x) prix indiqué(s).

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**Parks Canada Agency**  
**Calgary, AB**

<b>Title-Sujet</b> 5P468-22-0199/A - Backcountry Shelters Design, Banff National Park		
<b>Solicitation No. - N° de l'invitation</b> 5P468-22-0199/A		<b>Date:</b> December 8, 2022
<b>GETS Reference No. – N° de référence du SEAG</b> PW-22-01016770		<b>Client Ref. No. – N° de réf du client</b> N/A
<b>Solicitation Closes – L'invitation prend fin :</b>		
<b>at – à</b> 2:00 PM	<b>on – le</b> January 12, 2023	<b>Time Zone - Fuseau horaire</b> MST
<b>F.O.B. - F.A.B.</b> <b>Plant-Usine:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Destination:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Other-Autre:</b> <input type="checkbox"/>		
<b>Address Inquiries to: - Adresser toute demande de renseignements à :</b> Aarondeep Maan      Aarondeep.maana@pc.gc.ca		
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone</b> 403-585-7139		<b>Fax No. – N° de FAX</b> 1-855-983-1808
<b>Destination of Goods, Services, and Construction:</b> <b>Destination des biens, services et construction:</b>  See Herein – Voir aux présentes		

**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE BIDDER**  
**À COMPLÉTER PAR LE SOUMISSIONNAIRE**

<b>Vendor/Firm Name – Nom du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</b>	
<b>Address - Adresse</b>	
<b>Name of person authorized to sign on behalf of the Vendor/Firm</b> <b>Nom de la personne autorisée à signer au nom du fournisseur/de l'entrepreneur</b>	
<b>Title - Titre</b>	
<b>Telephone No. - N° de téléphone:</b> _____	
<b>E-mail Address – Adresse E-mail::</b> _____	
<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>

## IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPONENTS

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The Proponent should be cognisant of the size of the email as a whole, and not only the attachments. Please take into consideration that some attachments, when sent, may be resized during the email transfer. If the email size is too large, the Proponent should send the proposal in multiple emails properly labeled with the solicitation number, project name, and indicate how many emails are included (ex. 1 of 2).

Emails with links to proposal documents will not be accepted. Proposal documents must be sent as email attachments.

### **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. New vendors who are awarded a contract will be required to register their direct deposit information with Parks Canada to receive payment.

Additional information on this Government of Canada initiative is available at:

<http://www.directdeposit.gc.ca>

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## SUPPLEMENTARY INSTRUCTIONS TO PROPONENTS (SI)

### SI1 INTRODUCTION

1. Parks Canada Agency (PCA) intends to retain an individual consulting firm or joint venture to provide the professional services for the project as set out in this Request for Proposal (RFP).
2. This is a single phase selection process.
3. Proponents responding to this RFP are requested to submit a full and complete proposal. The proposal will cover not only the qualifications, experience and organization of the proposed Consultant Team, but also the detailed approach to the work, and the pricing and terms offered. A combination of the technical and price of services submissions will constitute the proposal.

### SI2 PROPOSAL DOCUMENTS

1. All instructions, general terms, conditions and clauses identified in the RFP by number, date and title, are hereby incorporated by reference into and form part of this solicitation and any resultant contract.

All instructions, general terms, conditions and clauses identified in the RFP 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.

All references 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 references to the Department of Public Works and Government Services Canada shall be deleted and replaced with the Parks Canada Agency.

2. The following are the proposal documents:
  - (a) Supplementary Instructions to Proponents (SI);  
R1410T (2022-01-28), General Instructions (GI) – Architectural and/or Engineering Services – Request for Proposal;  
Submission Requirements and Evaluation (SRE);
  - (b) the general terms, conditions and clauses, as amended, identified in the Agreement clause;
  - (c) Project Brief / Terms of Reference;
  - (d) the document entitled " Doing Business with PWGSC Documentation and Deliverables Manual";
  - (e) any amendment to the solicitation document issued prior to the date set for receipt of proposals; and
  - (f) the proposal, Declaration/Certifications Form and Price Proposal Form.
3. Submission of a proposal constitutes acknowledgment that the Proponent has read and agrees to be bound by these documents.

### **SI3 QUESTIONS OR REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION**

Questions or requests for clarification during the solicitation period must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Authority named on the RFP - Page 1 as early as possible. Enquiries should be received no later than **eight (8) business days** prior to the closing date identified on the front page of the Request for Proposal. Enquiries received after that date may not be answered prior to the closing date of the solicitation.

### **SI4 CANADA'S TRADE AGREEMENTS**

This procurement is subject to the provisions of the World Trade Organization – Agreement on Government Procurement (WTO – AGP), Canada-Peru Free Trade Agreement (CPFTA), Canada-Ukraine Free Trade Agreement (CUFTA), Comprehensive Economic Trade Agreement (CETA), Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP), Canada-United Kingdom Trade Continuity Agreement (Canada-UKTCA), Canada-Chile Free Trade Agreement (CCFTA), Canada-Colombia Free Trade Agreement (CCoFTA), Canada-Panama Free Trade Agreement (CPaFTA), Canada-Honduras Free Trade Agreement (CHFTA), Canada-Korea Free Trade Agreement (CKFTA) and Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA)

### **SI5 CERTIFICATIONS**

#### **1. Integrity Provisions – Declaration of Convicted Offences**

As applicable, pursuant to subsection Declaration of Convicted Offences, of section 01 of the General Instructions, the Proponent must provide with its bid, a completed [Declaration Form](#), to be given further consideration in the procurement process.

#### **2. Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Proposal Certification**

By submitting a proposal, the Proponent certifies that the Proponent, and any of the Proponent's members if the Proponent is a Joint Venture, is not named on the Federal Contractors Program (FCP) for employment equity "[FCP Limited Eligibility to Bid](#)" list ([http://www.labour.gc.ca/eng/standards\\_equity/eq/emp/fcp/list/inelig.shtml](http://www.labour.gc.ca/eng/standards_equity/eq/emp/fcp/list/inelig.shtml)) available from Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC) - Labour's website.

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

## SI6 WEB SITES

The connection to some of the Web sites in the RFP is established by the use of hyperlinks. The following is a list of the addresses of the Web sites:

Employment Equity Act

<http://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/E-5.401/index.html>

Federal Contractors Program (FCP)

[http://www.labour.gc.ca/eng/standards\\_equity/eq/emp/fcp/index.shtml](http://www.labour.gc.ca/eng/standards_equity/eq/emp/fcp/index.shtml)

Certificate of Commitment to Implement Employment Equity form LAB 1168

<http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/cgi-bin/search/eforms/index.cgi?app=profile&form=lab1168&dept=sc&lang=e>

Code of Conduct for Procurement

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/cndt-cndct/contexte-context-eng.html>

Lobbying Act

<http://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/L-12.4/?noCookie>

CanadaBuys Tender opportunities page

<https://canadabuys.canada.ca/en/tender-opportunities>

Supplier Registration Information

<https://srisupplier.contractscanada.gc.ca>

Consultant Performance Evaluation Report Form

<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/app-acq/forms/documents/2913-1.pdf>

Canadian economic sanctions

<http://www.international.gc.ca/sanctions/index.aspx?lang=eng>

National Joint Council (NJC) Travel Directive

<http://www.njc-cnm.gc.ca/directive/travel-voyage/index-eng.php>

## TERMS, CONDITIONS AND CLAUSES

### AGREEMENT

1. The Consultant understands and agrees that upon acceptance of the offer by Canada, a binding Agreement shall be formed between Canada and the Consultant and the documents forming the Agreement shall be the following:
  - (a) the Front Page and this Agreement clause;
  - (b) the General Terms, Conditions and Clauses, as amended, identified as:
    - R1210D (2022-01-28), General Condition (GC) 1 - General Provisions – Architectural and/or Engineering Services
    - R1215D (2016-01-28), General Condition (GC) 2 - Administration of the Contract
    - R1220D (2015-02-25), General Condition (GC) 3 - Consultant Services
    - R1225D (2015-04-01), General Condition (GC) 4 - Intellectual Property
    - R1230D (2018-06-21), General Condition (GC) 5 - Terms of Payment
    - R1235D (2011-05-16), General Condition (GC) 6 - Changes
    - R1240D (2018-06-21), General Condition (GC) 7 - Taking the Services Out of the Consultant's Hands, Suspension or Termination
    - R1245D (2016-01-28), General Condition (GC) 8 - Dispute Resolution
    - R1250D (2017-11-28) R1650D (2017-11-28), General Condition (GC) 9 - Indemnification and InsuranceAgreement Particulars
  - (c) Project Brief / Terms of Reference;
  - (d) the document entitled "Doing Business with PWGSC Documentation and Deliverables Manual";
  - (e) any amendment to the solicitation document incorporated in the Agreement before the date of the Agreement;
  - (f) the proposal, the Declaration/Certifications Form and the Price Proposal Form.
2. The documents identified above by title, number and date are hereby incorporated by reference into and form part of this Agreement, as though expressly set out herein, subject to any other express terms and conditions herein contained.

The documents identified above by title, number and date are set out in the Standard Acquisition Clauses and Conditions (SACC) Manual, issued by Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC). The SACC Manual is available on the PWGSC Web site:  
<https://buyandsell.gc.ca/policy-and-guidelines/standard-acquisition-clauses-and-conditions-manual>

All references 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 references to the Department of Public Works and Government Services Canada shall be deleted and replaced with the Parks Canada Agency.
3. If there is a discrepancy between the wording of any documents that appear on the following 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) any amendment or variation in the Agreement that is made in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Agreement;
  - (b) any amendment to the solicitation document incorporated in the Agreement before the date of the Agreement;
  - (c) this Agreement clause;
  - (d) Supplementary Conditions;

- (e) General Terms, Conditions and Clauses;
- (f) Agreement Particulars;
- (g) Project Brief / Terms of Reference;
- (h) the document entitled "Doing Business with PWGSC Documentation and Deliverables Manual";
- (i) the proposal.



## **SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS (SC)**

### **SC1 SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS**

There are no supplementary conditions which apply to the Agreement.

### **SC2 SECURITY REQUIREMENT**

There is no security requirement applicable to this Agreement.

### **SC3 LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS**

1. Communication between Canada and the Consultant shall be in the language of choice of the Consultant Team, which shall be deemed to be the language of the Consultant's proposal.
2. The Consultant's services during construction tender call (such as addenda preparation, tenderers' briefing meetings, technical answers to questions by bidders, including translation of bidder's questions) shall be provided expeditiously in both languages, as necessary.
3. The Consultant's services during construction shall be provided in the language of choice of the Contractor. The successful Contractor will be asked to commit to one or other of Canada's official languages upon award of the Construction Contract and, thereafter construction and contract administration services will be conducted in the language chosen by the Contractor.
4. Other required services in both of Canada's official languages (such as construction documentation) are described in detail in the Project Brief.
5. The Consultant Team, including the Prime Consultant, Sub-Consultants and Specialists Consultants shall ensure that the services being provided in either language shall be to a professional standard.

### **SC4 Compliance with on-site measures, standing orders, policies, and rules**

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

## **AGREEMENT PARTICULARS**

The Agreement Particulars will be issued at time of award of contract and will identify the fee to be paid to the Consultant for the services determined in the Price Proposal Form.

**APPENDIX A - TEAM IDENTIFICATION FORMAT**

For details on this format, please see Appendix E - SRE in the Request For Proposal.

The prime consultant and other members of the Consultant Team shall be, or eligible to be, licensed, certified or otherwise authorized to provide the necessary professional services to the full extent that may be required by provincial or territorial law.

**I. Prime Consultant (Proponent – Architect):**

Firm or Joint Venture Name: .....

Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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**II. Key Sub Consultants / Specialists:**

**Solar System Specialist OR Electrical Engineer**

Firm Name: .....

Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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**Grey Water Specialist**

Firm Name: .....

Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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**Civil Engineer**

Firm Name: .....  
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Key Individuals and provincial professional licensing status and/or professional accreditation:

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**APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM**

**Project Title:** 5P468-22-0199/A - Backcountry Shelters Design, Banff National Park

**1. Proponent Information**

<b>NAME OF PROPONENT:</b>	
Street Address:	Mailing Address (if different than street address)
City:	City:
Prov./Terr./State:	Prov./Terr./State:
Postal/ZIP Code:	Postal/ZIP Code:
Phone #: (    )	Fax#: (    )
E-Mail:	
Procurement Business Number:	

**Type of Organization**

- Sole Proprietorship
- Partnership
- Corporation
- Joint Venture

**Size of Organization**

- Number of Employees: \_\_\_\_\_
- Graduate Architects/ Professional Engineers: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other Professionals: \_\_\_\_\_
- Technical Support: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM (CONT'D)

### Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Certification

I, the Proponent, by submitting the present information to the Contracting Authority, certify that the information provided is true as of the date indicated below. The certifications provided to Canada are subject to verification at all times. I understand that Canada will declare a proposal non-responsive, or will declare a consultant in default, if a certification is found to be untrue, whether during the proposal evaluation period or during the contract period. Canada will have the right to ask for additional information to verify the Proponent's certifications. Failure to comply with any request or requirement imposed by Canada may render the proposal non-responsive or constitute a default under the contract.

For further information on the Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity visit Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC)-Labour's website.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_(YY/MM/DD) (If left blank, the date will be deemed to be the bid closing date.)

Complete both A and B.

A. Check only one of the following:

- A1. The Proponent certifies having no work force in Canada.
- A2. The Proponent certifies being a public sector employer.
- A3. The Proponent certifies being a federally regulated employer being subject to the Employment Equity Act.
- A4. The Proponent certifies having a combined work force in Canada of less than 100 permanent full-time and/or permanent part-time employees.

A5. The Proponent has a combined work force in Canada of 100 or more employees; and

- A5.1. The Proponent certifies already having a valid and current Agreement to Implement Employment Equity (AIEE) in place with ESDC-Labour.

**OR**

- A5.2. The Proponent certifies having submitted the Agreement to Implement Employment Equity (LAB1168) to ESDC-Labour. As this is a condition to contract award, proceed to completing the form Agreement to Implement Employment Equity (LAB1168), duly signing it, and transmit it to ESDC-Labour.

B. Check only one of the following:

- B1. The Proponent is not a Joint Venture.

**OR**

- B2. The Proponent is a Joint Venture and each member of the Joint Venture must provide the Contracting Authority with a completed Federal Contractors Program for Employment Equity - Certification. (Refer to the Joint Venture section of the General Instructions)

## APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM (CONT'D)

### Former Public Servant (FPS) - Certification

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 FPS, proponents 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 proposals is completed, Canada will inform the Proponent 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 proposal non-responsive.

#### Definitions

For the purposes of this clause,

"former public servant" is any former member of a department as defined in the *Financial Administration Act*, 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 *Public Service Superannuation Act* (PSSA), R.S., 1985, c.P-36, and any increases paid pursuant to the *Supplementary Retirement Benefits Act*, R.S., 1985, c.S-24 as it affects the PSSA. It does not include pensions payable pursuant to the *Canadian Forces Superannuation Act*, R.S., 1985, c.C-17, the *Defence Services Pension Continuation Act*, 1970, c.D-3, the *Royal Canadian Mounted Police Pension Continuation Act*, 1970, c.R-10, and the *Royal Canadian Mounted Police Superannuation Act*, R.S., 1985, c.R-11, the *Members of Parliament Retiring Allowances Act*, R.S., 1985, c.M-5, and that portion of pension payable to the *Canada Pension Plan Act*, R.S., 1985, c.C-8.

## APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM (CONT'D)

### Former Public Servant in Receipt of a Pension

As per the above definitions, is the Proponent a FPS in receipt of a pension?

YES ( ) NO ( )

If so, the Proponent 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, proponents agree that the successful Proponent'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 Contracting Policy Notice: 2012-2 and the Guidelines on the Proactive Disclosure of Contracts.

### Work Force Adjustment Directive

Is the Proponent a FPS who received a lump sum payment pursuant to the terms of a work force reduction program? YES ( ) NO ( )

If so, the Proponent 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.

For all contracts awarded during the lump sum payment period, the total amount of fees that may be paid to a FPS who received a lump sum payment is \$5,000, including Applicable Taxes.

**APPENDIX B - DECLARATION/CERTIFICATIONS FORM**

**Name of Proponent:**

**DECLARATION:**

I, the undersigned, being a principal of the proponent, hereby certify that the information given on this form and in the attached proposal is accurate to the best of my knowledge. If any proposal is submitted by a partnership or joint venture, then the following is required from each component entity.

..... Name	..... Signature
..... Title	
I have authority to bind the Corporation / Partnership / Sole Proprietorship / Joint Venture	
..... Name	..... Signature
..... Title	
I have authority to bind the Corporation / Partnership / Sole Proprietorship / Joint Venture	
..... Name	..... Signature
..... Title	
I have authority to bind the Corporation / Partnership / Sole Proprietorship / Joint Venture	

During proposal evaluation period, Parks Canada Agency contact will be with the following person:

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

Telephone Number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

This Appendix "B" should be completed and submitted with the proposal, but may be submitted afterwards as follows: if Appendix "B" is not completed and submitted with the proposal, the Contracting Authority will inform the Proponent of a time frame within which to provide the information. Failure to comply with the request of the Contracting Authority and to provide the certifications within the time frame provided will render the proposal non-responsive.



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**APPENDIX C - PRICE PROPOSAL FORM**

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete this Price Proposal Form and submit to the bid fax or email designated on the Front Page "Request for Proposal" for the receipt of the proposals with the Name of Proponent, Name of Project, PCA Solicitation Number, and the words "PRICE PROPOSAL FORM" typed on the fax cover page or email subject line. Price Proposals are not to include Applicable Taxes.

PROPOSERS SHALL NOT ALTER THIS FORM

**Project Title:** 5P468-22-0199/A - Backcountry Shelters Design, Banff National Park

**Name of Proponent:**

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**The following will form part of the evaluation process:**

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**1. REQUIRED SERVICES**

**Fixed Fee** (R1230D (2018-06-21), GC 5 - Terms of Payment)

Required Services including all related costs, services and deliverables to complete the services specified in the Project Brief and in the RFP documents:

<b>SERVICES</b>	<b>FIXED FEE</b>
RS 1 Three (3) Conceptual Designs Submittal (SOW Reference 3.3.1)	\$.....
RS 2 30% Shelter Design Review (SOW Reference 3.3.3)	\$.....
RS 3 Foundation/Grey Water Tender Package Completion (SOW Reference 3.3.7)	\$.....
RS 4 60% Shelter Design Review (SOW Reference 3.3.3)	\$.....
RS 5 Shelter Tender Package Completion (SOW Reference 3.3.8)	\$.....
RS 6 Final Deliverables (SOW Reference 3.3.9-12)	\$.....

**MAXIMUM FIXED FEES** \$.....

**TOTAL FEE FOR REQUIRED SERVICES** \$.....

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## 2. OPTIONAL SERVICES

Optional Services including all related costs, services and deliverables to complete the services specified in the Project Brief and in the RFP documents:

OS 1 Construction Tender Support (SOW Reference 3.4.1) \$.....

OS 2 Construction Support (SOW Reference 3.4.2) \$.....

**TOTAL FEE FOR OPTIONAL SERVICES** \$.....

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### TOTAL COST OF SERVICES FOR PROPOSAL EVALUATION PURPOSES

TOTAL FEE FOR REQUIRED SERVICES \$.....

TOTAL FEE FOR OPTIONAL SERVICES \$.....

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**TOTAL EVALUATED FEE** \$.....

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**APPENDIX C - PRICE PROPOSAL FORM (CONT'D)**

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**The following will NOT form part of the evaluation process**

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Canada may accept or reject any of the following fees, disbursements and/or hourly rates. Canada reserves the right to negotiate on these fees, disbursements and/or hourly rates.

**HOURLY RATES**

The following hourly rates may be used for future contract amendments

**A) Principals**

Name	Hourly Rate

**B) Staff**

Name	Hourly Rate

**END OF PRICE PROPOSAL FORM**

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## **APPENDIX D – STATEMENT OF WORK**

This document is attached as a separate pdf.

## APPENDIX E - SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND EVALUATION (SRE)

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### SRE 1 GENERAL INFORMATION

#### 1.1 Reference to the Selection Procedure

An 'Overview of the selection procedure' can be found in R1410T General Instructions to Proponents (G13).

#### 1.2 Calculation of Total Score

For this project the Total Score will be established as follows:

Technical Rating x 70%	=	Technical Score (Points)
Price Rating x 30%	=	Price Score (Points)
Total Score	=	Max. 100 Points

### SRE 2 PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

#### 2.1 Requirement for Proposal Format

The following proposal format information should be implemented when preparing the proposal.

- Submit one (1) electronic copy of the proposal
- Paper size should be - 216mm x 279mm (8.5" x 11")
- Minimum font size - 11 point Times or equal
- Minimum margins - 12 mm left, right, top, and bottom
- Double-sided submissions are preferred
- One (1) 'page' means one side of a 216mm x 279mm (8.5" x 11") sheet of paper
- 279mm x 432 mm (11" x 17") fold-out sheets for spreadsheets, organization charts etc. will be counted as two pages.
- The order of the proposals should follow the order established in the Request for Proposal SRE section

#### 2.2 Specific Requirements for Proposal Format

The maximum number of pages (including text and graphics) to be submitted for the Rated Requirements under SRE 3.2 is thirty (30) pages.

The following are not part of the page limitation mentioned above;

- Covering letter
- Table of Contents
- Section dividers (Limited to text for titles only)
- Consultant Team Identification (Appendix A)

- Declaration/Certifications Form (Appendix B)
- Integrity Provisions – Required Documentation
- Front page of the RFP
- Front page of revision(s) to the RFP
- Price Proposal Form (Appendix C)
- CVs (curriculum vitae) – two (2) pages per CV maximum

***Consequence of non-compliance: any pages which extend beyond the above page limitation and any other attachments will be extracted from the proposal and will not be forwarded to the PCA Evaluation Board members for evaluation.***

### **SRE 3 SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND EVALUATION**

#### **3.1 MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS**

Failure to meet the mandatory requirements will render the proposal as non-responsive and no further evaluation will be carried out.

##### **3.1.1 Licensing, Certification or Authorization**

The proponent shall be a (n) Architect, licensed, or eligible to be licensed, certified or otherwise authorized, to provide the necessary professional services to the full extent that may be required by provincial or territorial law in the province of Alberta

##### **3.1.2 Consultant Team Identification**

The consultant team to be identified must include the following:

Proponent (prime consultant) – Architect

Key Sub-consultants / Specialists – Solar System Specialist OR Electrical Engineer, Grey Water Specialist and Civil Engineer

If the proponent proposes to provide multidisciplinary services that might normally be provided by a sub-consultant, this should be indicated here.

Information required - name of firm, key personnel to be assigned to the project. For the prime consultant indicate current license and/or how you intend to meet the provincial or territorial licensing requirements. In the case of a joint venture identify the existing or proposed legal form of the joint venture (refer to R1410T General Instructions to Proponents, GI9 Limitation of submissions). An example of an acceptable format (typical) for submission of the team identification information is provided in Appendix A.

##### **3.1.3 Declaration/Certifications Form**

Proponents must complete, sign and submit the following:

- Appendix B, Declaration/Certifications Form as required.

##### **3.1.4 Integrity Provisions – Required documentation**

In accordance with the Ineligibility and Suspension Policy (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html>), the Proponent must provide, **as applicable**, to be given further consideration in the procurement process, the required documentation as per R1410T (2022-01-28), General instructions 1 (GI1), Integrity Provisions – Proposal, **section 3a**.

## 3.2 RATED REQUIREMENTS

### 3.2.1 Achievements of Proponent on Projects

Describe the Proponent's accomplishments, achievements and experience as prime consultant on projects.

Select a **maximum** of 3 projects undertaken within the last 10 years. Joint venture submissions are not to exceed the maximum number of projects. Only the first 3 projects listed in sequence will receive consideration and any others will receive none as though not included.

#### Information that should be supplied:

- clearly indicate how this project is comparable/relevant to the requested project.
- brief project description and intent. Narratives should include a discussion of design philosophy / approach to meet the intent, design challenges and resolutions.
- budget control and management - i.e. contract price & final construction cost - explain variation
- project schedule control and management - i.e. initial schedule and revised schedule - explain variation
- client references - name, address, phone and fax of client contact at working level - references may be checked
- names of key personnel responsible for project delivery
- awards received

The Proponent (as defined in R1410T General Instructions to Proponents, GI2 Definitions) must possess the knowledge on the above projects. Past project experience from entities other than the Proponent will not be considered in the evaluation unless these entities form part of a joint venture Proponent.

Please indicate those projects which were carried out in joint venture and the responsibilities of each of the involved entities in each project.

### 3.2.5 Scope of Services:

The proponent should demonstrate capability to perform the services and meet project challenges and to provide a plan of action.

#### Information that should be supplied:

- Scope of Services - detailed list of services
- Confirm the makeup of the full project team, including org chart, and names of sub-consultants
- Work Plan - detailed breakdown of work tasks and deliverables
- Project schedule - proposed major milestone schedule
- Significant issues, challenges and constraints expected
- Risk management strategy

### 3.2.7 Design Philosophy / Approach / Methodology

The proponent should elaborate on aspects of the project considered to be a major challenge which will illustrate design philosophy / approach / methodology. This is the opportunity for the Proponent to state the overall design philosophy of the team as well as their approach of resolving design issues and in particular to focus on the unique aspects of the current project.

Information that should be supplied:

- Design Philosophy / Approach / Methodology
- Describe the major challenges and how your team approach will be applied to those particular challenges.

### 3.3 EVALUATION AND RATING

In the first instance, price submissions will remain unopened and only the technical components of the proposals which are responsive will be reviewed, evaluated and rated by a PCA Evaluation Board in accordance with the following to establish Technical Ratings:

Criterion	Weight Factor	Rating	Weighted Rating
Achievements of Proponent	3.0	0 - 10	0 - 30
Scope of Services	4.0	0 - 10	0 - 40
Design Philosophy / Approach / Methodology	3.0	0 - 10	0 - 30
Technical Rating	10.0		0 - 100

To be considered further, proponents **must** achieve a minimum Technical Rating of sixty (60) points out of the hundred (100) points available as specified above.

**No further consideration will be given to proponents not achieving the pass mark of sixty (60) points.**



### Generic Evaluation Table

PCA Evaluation Board members will evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of the Proponent's response to the evaluation criteria and will rate each criterion with even numbers (0, 2, 4, 6, 8 or 10) using the generic evaluation table below.

At the final consensus evaluation meeting, the PCA Evaluation Board members will assign both even and odd numbers in determining the final score for each evaluation criteria.

	<b>INADEQUATE</b>	<b>WEAK</b>	<b>ADEQUATE</b>	<b>FULLY SATISFACTORY</b>	<b>STRONG</b>
<b>0 point</b>	<b>2 points</b>	<b>4 points</b>	<b>6 points</b>	<b>8 points</b>	<b>10 points</b>
Did not submit information which could be evaluated	Lacks complete or almost complete understanding of the requirements.	Has some understanding of the requirements but lacks adequate understanding in some areas of the requirements.	Demonstrates a good understanding of the requirements.	Demonstrates a very good understanding of the requirements.	Demonstrates an excellent understanding of the requirements.
	Weaknesses cannot be corrected	Generally doubtful that weaknesses can be corrected	Weaknesses can be corrected	No significant weaknesses	No apparent weaknesses
	Proponent do not possess qualifications and experience	Proponent lacks qualifications and experience	Proponent has an acceptable level of qualifications and experience	Proponent is qualified and experienced	Proponent is highly qualified and experienced
	Team proposed is not likely able to meet requirements	Team does not cover all components or overall experience is weak	Team covers most components and will likely meet requirements	Team covers all components - some members have worked successfully together	Strong team - has worked successfully together on comparable projects
	Sample projects not related to this requirement	Sample projects generally not related to this requirement	Sample projects generally related to this requirement	Sample projects directly related to this requirement	Leads in sample projects directly related to this requirement
	Extremely poor, insufficient to meet performance requirements	Little capability to meet performance requirements	Acceptable capability, should ensure adequate results	Satisfactory capability, should ensure effective results	Superior capability, should ensure very effective results

#### SRE 4 PRICE OF SERVICES

All price proposal submissions corresponding to responsive proposals which have achieved the pass mark of sixty (60) points will be opened upon completion of the technical evaluation.

To establish the Price Rating, each responsive bid will be prorated against the lowest evaluated price.

The Price Rating is equal to the applicable percentage to establish the Price Score.

#### SRE 5 TOTAL SCORE

Total Scores will be established in accordance with the following:

Rating	Possible Range	% of Total Score	Score (Points)
Technical Rating	0 - 100	70	0 - 70
Price Rating	0 - 100	30	0 - 30
Total Score		100	0 - 100

The Proponent receiving the highest Total Score is the first entity that the Evaluation Board will recommend for the provision of the required services. In the case of a tie, the proponent submitting the lower price for the services will be selected.

## SRE 6 SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS - CHECKLIST

The following list of documents and forms is provided with the intention of assisting the Proponent in ensuring a complete submission. The Proponent is responsible for meeting all submission requirements.

Please follow detailed instructions in R1410T General Instructions to Proponents, G116 Submission of proposal, as amended in SI2 Proposal documents. Proponents may choose to introduce their submissions with a cover letter.

- Team Identification - see typical format in Appendix A
- Declaration/Certifications Form - completed and signed - form provided in Appendix B
- Integrity Provisions – Required documentation – **as applicable** in accordance with the Ineligibility and Suspension Policy (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html>) and as per R1410T (2022-01-28), General Instructions 1 (G11), Integrity Provisions – Proposal, **section 3a**.
- Integrity Provisions - Declaration of Convicted Offences – **with its bid, as applicable** in accordance with the Ineligibility and Suspension Policy (<http://www.tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca/ci-if/politique-policy-eng.html>) and as per R1410T (2022-01-28), General instructions 1 (G11), Integrity Provisions – Proposal, **section 3b**.
- Proposal - one (1) electronic copy
- Front page of RFP
- Front page(s) of any solicitation amendment

In a separate submission:

Price Proposal Form - one (1) completed and submitted to the proposal fax or email designated on the Front Page "Request for Proposal" for the receipt of the proposals.

Note: Proponents submitting their documents via fax: please include a cover page for each submission labeled "Submission 1" for the Technical Proposal and "Submission 2" for the Price Proposal Form.

Proponents submitting their documents via email: please attach 2 separate files each labeled "Submission 1" for the Proposal and "Submission 2" for the Price Proposal Form.

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## **APPENDIX F - DOING BUSINESS WITH PWGSC DOCUMENTATION AND DELIVERABLES MANUAL**

This document is attached as a separate pdf.

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

**APPENDIX G - ATTESTATION AND PROOF OF COMPLIANCE WITH OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY (OHS)**

***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/Contracting Authority (delete as required)		
Prime Contractor		
Subcontractor(s) (add additional fields as required)		

Location of Work
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General Description of Work to be Completed
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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 \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_