

#### TENDER ADDENDUM

Design, Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Radio Communication System SS007

**December 8, 2022** 

### **ADDENDUM No. 4**

The present addendum is raised to answer the questions below.

This shall be read in conjunction with and shall form an integral part of the Tender / Proposal and Agreement Documents:

## **Question 57:**

#### **Performance and Material and Labour Bonds**

Typically, a labour and material bond would only be in place for the installation period and not for the whole contract duration. Would the NCC accept a performance bond renewable every year for the 6 years and a material & labor bond for only 1 or 2 years based on the installation period?

#### Answer 57:

Yes, the NCC will accept Material and Labour bond for the complete installation period.

### **Under Appendix J, Tender & Contract Security Requirements:**

**<u>Delete in its entirety:</u>** Types and Amounts of Contract Security.

#### **Insert:**

### TYPES AND AMOUNTS OF CONTRACT SECURITY

- 1. The successful Contractor shall deliver to the NCC:
  - a. upon notification of acceptance of tender, furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment of Labour and Material Bond for each at 25% of TOTAL PRICE LMR & Microwave system (including taxes) of the Contract ("Initial term of the bond"). Each bond is renewable annually for years 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the Contract and, for each of the option years (option years 1 and 2) if exercised. The Labour and Material bond is renewable annually for the period of installation.

- 2. A performance bond and a labour and material payment bond referred to in paragraph 1) shall be in a form and be issued by a bonding or surety company that is approved by the NCC.
  - a. The approved form for the performance bond is enclosed at the end.
  - b. The approved form for the labour and material payment bond is enclosed at the end.
  - c. The list of approved bonding or surety companies is displayed at the following Website: <a href="http://www.tbs-sct.gc.ca/pol/doc-eng.aspx?id=14494">http://www.tbs-sct.gc.ca/pol/doc-eng.aspx?id=14494</a> .

### **Question 58:**

## Follow-Up Question to Addendum 2:

a) Question 30: It is stated that the Radio Contractor will be responsible for any costs related to access requiring the Park Operator. For any cost where the Park Operator is involved, should this be captured in the pricing pages or can the Contractor invoice NCC for these costs? What would typical costs for these services be?

### Answer 58:

The NCC will absorb the access costs for the Contractor's work in the Park

### **Question 59:**

### **Conservation Officer Fleet Document**

a) Appendix A states that "Unit quantities are indicated for some key items as assistance to the Bidders, however Bidders shall verify, change, and enter (where not previously entered) ALL quantities to ensure all quantities are accurate and as required by the Specification." The provided Conservation Officer Fleet Document shows a total of 10 vehicles requiring mobile radios, but the pricing pages show a quantity of 16. Is the Bidder expected to update to 10 or are there additional vehicles for mobiles to be installed? Is there any requirement for special installations on ATVs or snowmobiles?

#### Answer 59:

We will proceed with the higher quantities on the forms and the actual quantities can be determined with the selected Contractor based on the unit prices

### **Question 60:**

Coverage in the park is unachievable without adding a site in the park, sites outside the park will not provide the coverage needed in the park.

We ask that your team reconsider either using the Chelsea Fire tower or allowing the deployment of a new site inside the park.

## Answer 60:

The Chelsea fire tower is not to taken into consideration for this project.

# **Question 61:**

We would ask for an additional extension to the closing date (3 month - April 2023)

### Answer 61:

No additional extension will be granted

All other terms and conditions remain the same.

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