Corporate Finance Department
Materials Management Division

931-2015 ADDENDUM 1

PROVISION OF LABORATORY TESTING SERVICES

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THIS ADDENDUM SHALL BE INCORPORATED INTO THE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL AND SHALL FORM A PART OF THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

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PART D – SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS

Revise: D2.2(a) to read: Contractor will be responsible for samples from the time they take **possession** from the agreed upon location.

Revise: D2.2(b) to read: Contractor will be responsible for prepared sample bottles until a City of Winnipeg employee takes **possession** from the agreed upon location.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q1 In regards to Item 17 (Fecal Coliforms by Quanti-tray to true endpoint) and 21 (Total Coloforms by E.Coli by Quanti-tray to true endpoint).Can you provide some background information in regards to the requirement for Quanti-tray to true endpoint? Can you provide a range of past results for total coliforms, fecal coliforms and e coli by Quanti-tray?

A1 Option to replace all MPNU method testing. No past results are available for testing to true endpoint by Quanti-tray analysis.

Q2 In regards to item 6, Triclopry is listed twice (each with a different detection limit), which detection limit, 0.2µg/L or 0.05µg/L, is required?

A2 0.05µg/L

Q3 Please confirm the detection limit requirement for Item 2. Are the units of ng/L correct or is this a typo?

A3 Units for ng/L are correct.

Q4 In regards to Item 1, Taste and Odour Compounds: Can you please provide the information in regards to the objectives you are trying to meet with these parameters? Are the detection limits a specific requirement or are they based on historical data?

A4 Operational requirement. Detection limits requesting.

Q5 In regards to B11.3c), Description of Legal Sampling Ability: Do you mean the ability for the laboratory to accept legal samples or are you inquiring about collecting samples in the field?

A5 Ability to accept legal samples.

Q6 In regards to B12.2, are we to assume that each of Section (A to F) is a “type of testing”? Are you asking for at least one workflow per Section (i.e. section A to F)?

A6 “Type of testing” refers to Biological Analysis type testing and Chemical Analysis type testing. Therefore provide at least one (1) typical workflow for Biological Analysis and Chemical Analysis for each section (A to F) which scope of work is being proposed if that type of analysis is included.

Q7 The EMS Lab Data File Format seemed to be missing the even pages and the whole document is only 9 pages. Is this correct?

A7 See update document with additional pages.

Q7 In regards to Item 34 and the request for tetraethyl lead: Can please provide a method reference for this parameter? Can you confirm if you are looking for xylene extractable lead and if the results are used for regulatory purposes or for treatment?

A8 No specific required method reference for parameter. Looking for Alkyl-lead which includes tetraethyl lead and tetramethyl lead, both with MDL 5.0 µg/L.

Q9 Can you confirm if you require acid digestion for total metals analysis? And if this requirement is the same for all sections requesting total metals?

A9 Yes total metal analysis includes a digestion. Yes this is the same for all parameters.