



THE CITY OF WINNIPEG

BID OPPORTUNITY

BID OPPORTUNITY NO. 745-2018

**SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF SNOW PLOWS AND SNOW BLOWER
ATTACHMENTS FOR TRACKLESS SIDEWALK MACHINES**

Note to Bidders: Please be aware of revisions to B13.4

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PART B - BIDDING PROCEDURES

B1. CONTRACT TITLE

B1.1 SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF SNOW PLOWS AND SNOW BLOWER ATTACHMENTS FOR TRACKLESS SIDEWALK MACHINES

B2. SUBMISSION DEADLINE

B2.1 The Submission Deadline is 4:00 p.m. Winnipeg time, September 4, 2018.

B2.2 Bids determined by the Manager of Materials to have been received later than the Submission Deadline will not be accepted and will be returned upon request.

B2.3 The Contract Administrator or the Manager of Materials may extend the Submission Deadline by issuing an addendum at any time prior to the time and date specified in B2.1.

B3. ENQUIRIES

B3.1 All enquiries shall be directed to the Contract Administrator identified in D4.1.

B3.2 If the Bidder finds errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Bid Opportunity, or is unsure of the meaning or intent of any provision therein, the Bidder shall promptly notify the Contract Administrator of the error, discrepancy or omission at least five (5) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.

B3.3 If the Bidder is unsure of the meaning or intent of any provision therein, the Bidder should request clarification as to the meaning or intent prior to the Submission Deadline.

B3.4 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, require a correction to or a clarification of the Bid Opportunity will be provided by the Contract Administrator to all Bidders by issuing an addendum.

B3.5 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, do not require a correction to or a clarification of the Bid Opportunity will be provided by the Contract Administrator only to the Bidder who made the enquiry.

B3.6 The Bidder shall not be entitled to rely on any response or interpretation received pursuant to B3 unless that response or interpretation is provided by the Contract Administrator in writing.

B4. CONFIDENTIALITY

B4.1 Information provided to a Bidder by the City or acquired by a Bidder by way of further enquiries or through investigation is confidential. Such information shall not be used or disclosed in any way without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator. The use and disclosure of the confidential information shall not apply to information which:

- (a) was known to the Bidder before receipt hereof; or
- (b) becomes publicly known other than through the Bidder; or
- (c) is disclosed pursuant to the requirements of a governmental authority or judicial order.

B4.2 The Bidder shall not make any statement of fact or opinion regarding any aspect of the Bid Opportunity to the media or any member of the public without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.

B5. ADDENDA

- B5.1 The Contract Administrator may, at any time prior to the Submission deadline, issue addenda correcting errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Bid Opportunity, or clarifying the meaning or intent of any provision therein.
- B5.2 The Contract Administrator will issue each addendum at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, or provide at least two (2) Business Days by extending the Submission Deadline.
- B5.3 Addenda will be available on the Bid Opportunities page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/bidopp.asp>
- B5.4 The Bidder is responsible for ensuring that he/she has received all addenda and is advised to check the Materials Management Division website for addenda regularly and shortly before the Submission Deadline, as may be amended by addendum.
- B5.5 The Bidder shall acknowledge receipt of each addendum in Paragraph 8 of Form A: Bid. Failure to acknowledge receipt of an addendum may render a Bid non-responsive.

B6. SUBSTITUTES

- B6.1 The Work is based on the materials, equipment, methods and products specified in the Bid Opportunity.
- B6.2 Substitutions shall not be allowed unless application has been made to and prior approval has been granted by the Contract Administrator in writing.
- B6.3 Requests for approval of a substitute will not be considered unless received in writing by the Contract Administrator at least seven (7) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B6.4 The Bidder shall ensure that any and all requests for approval of a substitute:
- (a) provide sufficient information and details to enable the Contract Administrator to determine the acceptability of the material, equipment, method or product as either an approved equal or alternative;
 - (b) identify any and all changes required in the applicable Work, and all changes to any other Work, which would become necessary to accommodate the substitute;
 - (c) identify any anticipated cost or time savings that may be associated with the substitute;
 - (d) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved equal, the substitute will fully perform the functions called for by the general design, be of equal or superior substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the Contract;
 - (e) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved alternative, the substitute will adequately perform the functions called for by the general design, be similar in substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the Contract.
- B6.5 The Contract Administrator, after assessing the request for approval of a substitute, may in his/her sole discretion grant approval for the use of a substitute as an “approved equal” or as an “approved alternative”, or may refuse to grant approval of the substitute.
- B6.6 The Contract Administrator will provide a response in writing, at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, to the Bidder who requested approval of the substitute.
- B6.6.1 The Contract Administrator will issue an Addendum, disclosing the approved materials, equipment, methods and products to all potential Bidders. The Bidder requesting and

obtaining the approval of a substitute shall be responsible for disseminating information regarding the approval to any person or persons he/she wishes to inform.

- B6.7 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an “approved equal”, any Bidder may use the approved equal in place of the specified item.
- B6.8 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an “approved alternative”, any Bidder bidding that approved alternative may base his/her Total Bid Price upon the specified item but may also indicate an alternative price based upon the approved alternative. Such alternatives will be evaluated in accordance with B16.
- B6.9 No later claim by the Contractor for an addition to the price(s) because of any other changes in the Work necessitated by the use of an approved equal or an approved alternative will be considered.

B7. BID SUBMISSION

- B7.1 The Bid shall consist of the following components:
- (a) Form A: Bid;
 - (b) Form B: Prices;
 - (c) Form N: Detailed Specifications.
- B7.2 Further to B7.1, the Bidder should include the written correspondence from the Contract Administrator approving a substitute in accordance with B6.
- B7.3 All components of the Bid shall be fully completed or provided, and submitted by the Bidder no later than the Submission Deadline, with all required entries made clearly and completely.
- B7.4 The Bid Submission may be submitted by mail, courier or personal delivery, or by facsimile transmission.
- B7.5 If the Bid Submission is submitted by mail, courier or personal delivery, it shall be enclosed and sealed in an envelope clearly marked with the Bid Opportunity number and the Bidder's name and address, and shall be submitted to:
- The City of Winnipeg
Corporate Finance Department
Materials Management Division
185 King Street, Main Floor
Winnipeg MB R3B 1J1
- B7.5.1 Samples or other components of the Bid Submission which cannot reasonably be enclosed in the envelope may be packaged separately, but shall be clearly marked with the Bid Opportunity number, the Bidder's name and address, and an indication that the contents are part of the Bidder's Bid Submission.
- B7.6 If the Bid Submission is submitted by facsimile transmission, it shall be submitted to 204-949-1178.
- B7.6.1 The Bidder is advised that the City cannot take responsibility for the availability of the facsimile machine at any time.
- B7.7 Bidders are advised not to include any information/literature except as requested in accordance with B7.1.
- B7.8 Bidders are advised that inclusion of terms and conditions inconsistent with the Bid Opportunity document, including the General Conditions, will be evaluated in accordance with B16.1(a).
- B7.9 Bids submitted by internet electronic mail (e-mail) will not be accepted.

B8. BID

- B8.1 The Bidder shall complete Form A: Bid, making all required entries.
- B8.2 Paragraph 2 of Form A: Bid shall be completed in accordance with the following requirements:
- (a) if the Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, his/her name shall be inserted;
 - (b) if the Bidder is a partnership, the full name of the partnership shall be inserted;
 - (c) if the Bidder is a corporation, the full name of the corporation shall be inserted;
 - (d) if the Bidder is carrying on business under a name other than his/her own, the business name and the name of every partner or corporation who is the owner of such business name shall be inserted.
- B8.2.1 If a Bid is submitted jointly by two or more persons, each and all such persons shall identify themselves in accordance with B8.2.
- B8.3 In Paragraph 3 of Form A: Bid, the Bidder shall identify a contact person who is authorized to represent the Bidder for purposes of the Bid.
- B8.4 Paragraph 11 of Form A: Bid shall be signed in accordance with the following requirements:
- (a) if the Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, it shall be signed by the Bidder;
 - (b) if the Bidder is a partnership, it shall be signed by the partner or partners who have authority to sign for the partnership;
 - (c) if the Bidder is a corporation, it shall be signed by its duly authorized officer or officers and the corporate seal, if the corporation has one, should be affixed;
 - (d) if the Bidder is carrying on business under a name other than his/her own, it shall be signed by the registered owner of the business name, or by the registered owner's authorized officials if the owner is a partnership or a corporation.
- B8.4.1 The name and official capacity of all individuals signing Form A: Bid should be printed below such signatures.
- B8.4.2 All signatures shall be original.
- B8.5 If a Bid is submitted jointly by two or more persons, the word "Bidder" shall mean each and all such persons, and the undertakings, covenants and obligations of such joint Bidders in the Bid and the Contract, when awarded, shall be both joint and several.

B9. PRICES

- B9.1 The Bidder shall state a price in Canadian funds for each item of the Work identified on Form B: Prices.
- B9.1.1 Prices on Form B: Prices shall include:
- (a) duty;
 - (b) freight and cartage;
 - (c) Provincial and Federal taxes [except the Goods and Services Tax (GST) and Manitoba Retail Sales Tax (MRST, also known as PST), which shall be extra where applicable] and all charges governmental or otherwise paid;
 - (d) profit and all compensation which shall be due to the Contractor for the Work and all risks and contingencies connected therewith.
- B9.1.2 Prices on Form B: Prices shall **not** include the Manitoba Tire Stewardship Board New Tire Levy (tire tax) which shall be extra where applicable.

B9.1.3 Prices on Form B: Prices shall not include Environmental Handling Charges (EHC) or fees, which shall be extra where applicable.

B9.2 The City will use the quantities for the purpose of comparing Bids.

B9.3 The quantities for which payment will be made to the Contractor are to be determined by the Work actually performed and completed by the Contractor, to be measured as specified in the applicable Specifications.

B10. DISCLOSURE

B10.1 Various Persons provided information or services with respect to this Work. In the City's opinion, this relationship or association does not create a conflict of interest because of this full disclosure. Where applicable, additional material available as a result of contact with these Persons is listed below.

B10.2 The Persons are:

- (a) Joe Johnson Equipment

B11. CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND GOOD FAITH

B11.1 Bidders, by responding to this Bid Opportunity, declare that no Conflict of Interest currently exists, or is reasonably expected to exist in the future.

B11.2 Conflict of Interest means any situation or circumstance where a Bidder or employee of the Bidder proposed for the Work has:

- (a) other commitments;
- (b) relationships;
- (c) financial interests; or
- (d) involvement in ongoing litigation;

that could or would be seen to:

- (i) exercise an improper influence over the objective, unbiased and impartial exercise of the independent judgment of the City with respect to the evaluation of Bids or award of the Contract; or
 - (ii) compromise, impair or be incompatible with the effective performance of a Bidder's obligations under the Contract;
- (e) has contractual or other obligations to the City that could or would be seen to have been compromised or impaired as a result of its participation in the Bid Opportunity process or the Work; or
 - (f) has knowledge of confidential information (other than confidential information disclosed by the City in the normal course of the Bid Opportunity process) of strategic and/or material relevance to the Bid Opportunity process or to the Work that is not available to other bidders and that could or would be seen to give that Bidder an unfair competitive advantage.

B11.3 In connection with its Bid, each entity identified in B11.2 shall:

- (a) avoid any perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest in relation to the procurement process and the Work;
- (b) upon discovering any perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest at any time during the Bid Opportunity process, promptly disclose a detailed description of the Conflict of Interest to the City in a written statement to the Contract Administrator; and
- (c) provide the City with the proposed means to avoid or mitigate, to the greatest extent practicable, any perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest and shall submit any

additional information to the City that the City considers necessary to properly assess the perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest.

- B11.4 Without limiting B11.3, the City may, in its sole discretion, waive any and all perceived, potential or actual Conflicts of Interest. The City's waiver may be based upon such terms and conditions as the City, in its sole discretion, requires to satisfy itself that the Conflict of Interest has been appropriately avoided or mitigated, including requiring the Bidder to put into place such policies, procedures, measures and other safeguards as may be required by and be acceptable to the City, in its sole discretion, to avoid or mitigate the impact of such Conflict of Interest.
- B11.5 Without limiting B11.3, and in addition to all contractual or other rights or rights at law or in equity or legislation that may be available to the City, the City may, in its sole discretion:
- (a) disqualify a Bidder that fails to disclose a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest of the Bidder or any of its employees proposed for the Work;
 - (b) require the removal or replacement of any employees proposed for the Work that has a perceived, actual or potential Conflict of Interest that the City, in its sole discretion, determines cannot be avoided or mitigated;
 - (c) disqualify a Bidder or employees proposed for the Work that fails to comply with any requirements prescribed by the City pursuant to B11.4 to avoid or mitigate a Conflict of Interest; and
 - (d) disqualify a Bidder if the Bidder, or one of its employees proposed for the Work, has a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest that, in the City's sole discretion, cannot be avoided or mitigated, or otherwise resolved.
- B11.6 The final determination of whether a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest exists shall be made by the City, in its sole discretion.

B12. QUALIFICATION

- B12.1 The Bidder shall:
- (a) undertake to be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba, or if the Bidder does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Bidder does carry on business; and
 - (b) be financially capable of carrying out the terms of the Contract; and
 - (c) have all the necessary experience, capital, organization, and equipment to perform the Work in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract.
- B12.2 The Bidder and any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:
- (a) be responsible and not be suspended, debarred or in default of any obligations to the City. A list of suspended or debarred individuals and companies is available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/debar.stm>
- B12.3 The Bidder and/or any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:
- (a) have successfully carried out work similar in nature, scope and value to the Work; and
 - (b) be fully capable of performing the Work required to be in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract; and
 - (c) have a written workplace safety and health program, if required, pursuant to The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba).

B12.4 The Bidder shall submit, within three (3) Business Days of a request by the Contract Administrator, proof satisfactory to the Contract Administrator of the qualifications of the Bidder and of any proposed Subcontractor.

B12.5 The Bidder shall provide, on the request of the Contract Administrator, full access to any of the Bidder's equipment and facilities to confirm, to the Contract Administrator's satisfaction, that the Bidder's equipment and facilities are adequate to perform the Work.

B13. OPENING OF BIDS AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

B13.1 Bids will not be opened publicly.

B13.2 Following the Submission Deadline, the names of the Bidders and their Total Bid Prices (unevaluated, and pending review and verification of conformance with requirements or evaluated prices) will be available on the Closed Bid Opportunities (or Public/Posted Opening & Award Results) page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt>

B13.3 After award of Contract, the name(s) of the successful Bidder(s), their address(es) and the Contract amount(s) will be available on the Closed Bid Opportunities (or Public/Posted Opening & Award Results) page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt>

B13.4 The Bidder is advised that any information contained in any Bid may be released if required by The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Manitoba), by other authorities having jurisdiction, or by law or by City policy or procedures (which may include access by members of City Council).

B13.4.1 To the extent permitted, the City shall treat as confidential information, those aspects of a Bid Submission identified by the Bidder as such in accordance with and by reference to Part 2, Section 17 or Section 18 or Section 26 of The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Manitoba), as amended.

B14. IRREVOCABLE BID

B14.1 The Bid(s) submitted by the Bidder shall be irrevocable for the time period specified in Paragraph 9 of Form A: Bid.

B14.2 The acceptance by the City of any Bid shall not release the Bids of the next two lowest evaluated responsive Bidders and these Bidders shall be bound by their Bids on such Work for the time period specified in Paragraph 9 of Form A: Bid.

B15. WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS

B15.1 A Bidder may withdraw his/her Bid without penalty by giving written notice to the Manager of Materials at any time prior to the Submission Deadline.

B15.1.1 Notwithstanding C21, the time and date of receipt of any notice withdrawing a Bid shall be the time and date of receipt as determined by the Manager of Materials.

B15.1.2 The City will assume that any one of the contact persons named in Paragraph 3 of Form A: Bid or the Bidder's authorized representatives named in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Bid, and only such person, has authority to give notice of withdrawal.

B15.1.3 If a Bidder gives notice of withdrawal prior to the Submission Deadline, the Manager of Materials will:

- (a) retain the Bid until after the Submission Deadline has elapsed;
- (b) open the Bid to identify the contact person named in Paragraph 3 of Form A: Bid and the Bidder's authorized representatives named in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Bid; and

- (c) if the notice has been given by any one of the persons specified in B15.1.3(b), declare the Bid withdrawn.

B15.2 A Bidder who withdraws his/her Bid after the Submission Deadline but before his/her Bid has been released or has lapsed as provided for in B14.2 shall be liable for such damages as are imposed upon the Bidder by law and subject to such sanctions as the Chief Administrative Officer considers appropriate in the circumstances. The City, in such event, shall be entitled to all rights and remedies available to it at law.

B16. EVALUATION OF BIDS

B16.1 Award of the Contract shall be based on the following bid evaluation criteria:

- (a) compliance by the Bidder with the requirements of the Bid Opportunity or acceptable deviation there from (pass/fail);
- (b) qualifications of the Bidder and the Subcontractors, if any, pursuant to B12 (pass/fail);
- (c) Total Bid Price;
- (d) economic analysis of any approved alternative pursuant to B6;

B16.2 Further to B16.1(a), the Award Authority may reject a Bid as being non-responsive if the Bid Submission is incomplete, obscure or conditional, or contains additions, deletions, alterations or other irregularities. The Award Authority may reject all or any part of any Bid, or waive technical requirements or minor informalities or irregularities if the interests of the City so require.

B16.3 Further to B16.1(b), the Award Authority shall reject any Bid submitted by a Bidder who does not demonstrate, in his/her Bid or in other information required to be submitted, that he/she is responsible and qualified.

B16.4 Further to B16.1(c), the Total Bid Price shall be the sum of the quantities multiplied by the unit prices for each item shown on Form B: Prices.

B16.5 This Contract will be awarded as a whole.

B17. AWARD OF CONTRACT

B17.1 The City will give notice of the award of the Contract or will give notice that no award will be made.

B17.2 The City will have no obligation to award a Contract to a Bidder, even though one or all of the Bidders are determined to be responsible and qualified, and the Bids are determined to be responsive.

B17.2.1 Without limiting the generality of B17.2, the City will have no obligation to award a Contract where:

- (a) the prices exceed the available City funds for the Work;
- (b) the prices are materially in excess of the prices received for similar work in the past;
- (c) the prices are materially in excess of the City's cost to perform the Work, or a significant portion thereof, with its own forces;
- (d) only one Bid is received; or
- (e) in the judgment of the Award Authority, the interests of the City would best be served by not awarding a Contract.

B17.3 Where an award of Contract is made by the City, the award shall be made to the responsible and qualified Bidder submitting the lowest evaluated responsive Bid, in accordance with B16.

- B17.3.1 Following the award of Contract, a Bidder will be provided with information related to the evaluation of his/her Bid upon written request to the Contract Administrator.
- B17.4 Notwithstanding C4 and Paragraph 6 of Form A: Bid, the City may issue a Purchase Order to the successful Bidder in lieu of the execution of a Contract.
- B17.5 The Contract, as defined in C1.1(n)(ii) in their entirety shall be deemed to be incorporated in and to form a part of the purchase order notwithstanding that they are not necessarily attached to or accompany said purchase order.

PART C - GENERAL CONDITIONS

C0. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- C0.1 The *General Conditions for the Supply of Goods* (Revision 2008 05 26) are applicable to the Work of the Contract.
- C0.1.1 The *General Conditions for the Supply of Goods* are available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen_cond.stm
- C0.2 A reference in the Bid Opportunity to a section, clause or subclause with the prefix “**C**” designates a section, clause or subclause in the *General Conditions for Supply of Goods*.

PART D - SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS

GENERAL

D1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

D1.1 In addition to the *General Conditions for the Supply of Goods*, these Supplemental Conditions are applicable to the Work of the Contract.

D2. SCOPE OF WORK

D2.1 The Work to be done under the Contract shall consist of **Supply and Delivery of Snow Plow and Snow Blower Attachments for Trackless Side walk Machines** in accordance with Detailed Specification **18031** and **18032**.

D2.2 Any material, labour or components not specifically mentioned or included herein, but may be required to complete, perfect and place the equipment in successful operation, shall be furnished by the Contractor as though specifically mentioned in these Contract Documents. The Contractor shall supply the equipment and all components and all features that are normally considered to be standard on that equipment, unless specifically excluded in the Form N: Detailed Specifications.

D2.3 Unless specifically stated otherwise in the Form N: Detailed Specifications, only new, unused equipment of current manufacture shall be accepted.

D2.4 Further to C7, if at any time during the 12 (twelve) month period following the award of the Contract, the City requires additional quantities of the Items, the City may request the Contractor to supply up to one hundred percent (100%) additional quantities as extra Work at the unit prices set out in the Contract. The Contractor may decline to supply the additional quantities without penalty.

D3. DEFINITIONS

D3.1 When used in this Bid Opportunity:

- (a) **“Equipment”** or **“Vehicle”** shall be used to describe **Snow Plow and Snow Blower Attachments** in these Contract Documents

D4. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR

D4.1 The Contract Administrator is:

Kris Overby *CET, BSc*

Winnipeg Fleet Management Agency

Telephone No. 204-770-4638

Email: koverby@winnipeg.ca

D5. OWNERSHIP OF INFORMATION, CONFIDENTIALITY AND NON DISCLOSURE

D5.1 The Contract, all deliverables produced or developed, and information provided to or acquired by the Contractor are the property of the City and shall not be appropriated for the Contractors own use, or for the use of any third party.

D5.2 The Contractor shall not make any public announcements or press releases regarding the Contract, without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.

- D5.3 The following shall be confidential and shall not be disclosed by the Contractor to the media or any member of the public without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator;
- (a) information provided to the Contractor by the City or acquired by the Contractor during the course of the Work;
 - (b) the Contract, all deliverables produced or developed; and
 - (c) any statement of fact or opinion regarding any aspect of the Contract.
- D5.4 A Contractor who violates any provision of D5 may be determined to be in breach of Contract.

D6. NOTICES

- D6.1 Notwithstanding C21.3, all notices of appeal to the Chief Administrative Officer shall be sent to the attention of the Chief Financial Officer at the following:

The City of Winnipeg
Attn: Chief Financial Officer
Office of the Chief Administrative Officer
Susan A. Thompson Building
2nd Floor, 510 Main Street
Winnipeg MB R3B 1B9

- D6.2 Bid Submissions must not be submitted to this address. Bids must be submitted in accordance with B7.**

D7. DATA COLLECTION SHEETS

- D7.1 Upon award of Contract, the Contract Administrator will send the Contractor an electronic copy of Data Collection Sheets.
- D7.2 The sheets shall include:
- (a) full details of the data collection requirements specific to the Equipment being offered (including attachments) and shall include service intervals of all components, part numbers on regular maintenance items including belts, filters, oils/fluid types and capacities, engine, transmission, axle, etc., model and serial numbers. The data collection sheet shall be submitted prior or upon delivery of supplied Equipment; and
 - (b) comprehensive details of all Equipment including attachments, components, engine, transmission, axle, etc.
- D7.3 All information, documents or other communications required to be submitted for the data collection sheets shall be sent to the Contract Administrator in D4.1. The communications shall be sent electronically in Word Format only (no exceptions). The form shall be sent to the Contractor at the time of award.
- D7.4 If the data collection sheets have not been submitted by the Contractor to the City, the City will perform the work and acquire the information at its own expense. The costs incurred (up to and including \$500.00 per unit) will be deducted from the Contractor's final invoice.

D8. INSPECTION

- D8.1 Further to C9, inspection of the equipment shall be conducted as promptly as practicable. Thorough examination of the equipment and successful completion of a continuous eight-hour full-performance test by the City shall be required as part of the inspection process. At its option, the City may discontinue the process upon finding a lack of conformance to the specifications. The deficiency shall then be rectified by the Contractor and the inspection process shall then commence anew.
- D8.1.1 The cost of the initial inspection of the equipment shall be borne by the City. The cost of subsequent inspections required, attributable to deficiencies identified in the initial

inspection, shall be the responsibility of the Contractor and charged at the prevailing shop rate for Winnipeg Fleet Management Agency.

- D8.1.2 The City may deduct the amount owing, related to subsequent inspections in accordance with D8.1.1, from any payment required to be made by the City to the Contractor.
- D8.2 Equipment that fails to successfully complete the inspection process shall be rejected by the City and shall be removed from City property by and at the expense of the Contractor, promptly after notification by the Contract Administrator or the equipment inspector.
- D8.3 Notwithstanding D8.1, where multiple quantities of like equipment are being supplied, the City reserves the right, at its discretion, to waive the requirement for a continuous eight-hour full-performance test as part of the inspection process for the remaining pieces of equipment following a successful completion of the test by one or more pieces of equipment.
- D8.4 Total Performance will not be achieved until successful completion of the inspection process.

SUBMISSIONS

D9. AUTHORITY TO CARRY ON BUSINESS

- D9.1 The Contractor shall be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba, or if the Contractor does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Contractor does carry on business, throughout the term of the Contract, and shall provide the Contract Administrator with evidence thereof upon request.

SCHEDULE OF WORK

D10. COMMENCEMENT

- D10.1 The Contractor shall not commence any Work until he/she is in receipt of a notice of award from the City authorizing the commencement of the Work.
- D10.2 The Contractor shall not commence any Work until:
- (a) the Contract Administrator has confirmed receipt and approval of:
 - (i) evidence of authority to carry on business specified in D9.

D11. PARTS AVAILABILITY

- D11.1 In order to assure minimum downtime of the Equipment, the Contractor shall maintain a stock of all replacement parts in North America, either in his/her own inventory or in that of an agency that normally supplies parts to the Contractor, for a period of nine (9) years.
- D11.1.1 Further to D11.1, if replacement parts are not available within the nine (9) years, and the City is required to build or acquire parts by their own means, the Contractor may be charged back 100% of the parts replacement costs.
- D11.2 Parts shall be made available to the Winnipeg Fleet Management Agency, by the Contractor, within three (3) Business Days from a request by the Contract Administrator or designate.
- D11.3 Where Equipment is not available for use due to the Contractor's failure to supply parts in accordance with D11.2, the failure to supply parts may be determined to be an Event of Default in accordance with C16.

D12. TRAINING

- D12.1 The Contractor shall be responsible for providing operational and mechanical training for City of Winnipeg personnel. The training will be at the Contractor's expense.
- D12.2 The training sessions shall be used for familiarization and orientation of the equipment to the satisfaction of the Equipment Operator Training Branch and the WFMA Mechanical Operations Staff. Training may include power point presentations, class room training, and "walk around" hands on training. Specifics to the training sessions may vary depending on the equipment and/or goods.
- D12.3 The training shall be divided into two (2) separate sessions, one for operating personnel and one for mechanical personnel. Training sessions should be based on two (2) Business days for operating personnel and two (2) Business days for mechanical personnel.

OPERATOR TRAINING

- D12.4 The Contract Administrator or the Equipment Operator Training Branch will contact the Contractor to organize training.
- D12.5 The training for operating personnel shall include the following:
- (a) Daily pre-trip inspection items and basic operator maintenance requirements;
 - (b) Familiarization of all controls and their functions;
 - (c) New technologies and differences between current models vs. previous models;
 - (d) Basic demonstration of vehicle/equipment operation with all applicable attachments;
 - (e) Inherent operating errors; and
 - (f) Any other training/familiarization requirements that is specific to the unit.
- D12.6 All operator training materials shall be provided to the Equipment Operator Training Branch no later than (4) Calendar weeks prior to delivery of the vehicles, equipment and/or related attachments.

Equipment Operator Training Branch
960 Thomas Avenue
Winnipeg MB R2L 2E1
E-mail – mailto:lguertin@winnipeg.ca

MECHANICAL TRAINING

- D12.7 The Contract Administrator or the Winnipeg Fleet Management Equipment Inspector will contact the Contractor to arrange mechanical equipment training and familiarization.
- D12.8 The training for mechanical personnel shall include the following:
- (a) Product knowledge trainer with at least one year repair and service experience on the equipment as stated in Form N:Specifications;
 - (b) All Preventative Maintenance Service Points and adjustments required while in service;
 - (c) All diagnostic port locations and basic operations; and
 - (d) Safe movement of the equipment (including lift and or tow points).
- D12.9 All mechanical training materials including service and parts manuals (paper or electronic versions) shall be provided no later than (4) calendar weeks prior to delivery of the vehicles, equipment and/or related attachments to the attention of the Contract Administrator identified in D4.
- D12.10 Facility Locations and hours are as follows:

- (a) 195 Tecumseh St. Repair Facility 6:30 am to 10:30 pm M-F (3 work shifts). Midnight shift is Sunday at 10:30 to 6:30 Thursday morning, each day (4 ten hour shifts);
- (b) 960 Thomas Avenue Repair Facility 6:30 am-10:30 pm M-F (2 work shifts);
- (c) 1539 Waverly St Repair Facility 6:30 am-10:30 pm M-F (2 work shifts);
- (d) 215 Tecumseh St Manufacturing Repair Facility – 7:00 am – 5:00 pm M-F (1 work shift).

MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

D13. PAYMENT

- D13.1 Further to C10, payment shall be in Canadian funds net thirty (30) Calendar Days after the Contractor receives written notification of successful completion of the inspection process or of the equipment being successfully placed into operation.
- D13.2 Notwithstanding that the City will license and insure equipment upon receipt, payment will be made in accordance with D13.1. Licensing and insuring equipment upon receipt does not mean that the inspection process has been successfully completed or that the equipment has been successfully placed into operation.

D14. INVOICES

- D14.1 Further to C10, and upon initial delivery of the equipment, the Contractor shall submit an accurate invoice for the supply and delivery of each piece of equipment specified in the Contract to:

The City of Winnipeg
Corporate Finance - Accounts Payable
4th Floor, Administration Building, 510 Main Street
Winnipeg MB R3B 1B9

Facsimile No.: 204 949-0864
Email: CityWpgAP@winnipeg.ca

- D14.1.1 A copy of the original invoice for each piece of Equipment shall accompany the Equipment upon delivery.
- D14.2 Invoices must clearly indicate, as a minimum:
- (a) The City's order (Purchase Order or Standing Purchase Order Release Authorization) number;
 - (b) Date of delivery;
 - (c) Delivery address;
 - (d) Type and quantity of goods delivered;
 - (e) the amount payable with GST, MRST, and any applicable environmental handling charges/fees identified and shown as separate amounts;
 - (f) The Contractor's GST registration number.
 - (g) The complete breakdown of all large individual components on the completed unit based on the following examples:
 - (i) Refuse truck - truck chassis cost and packer unit cost.
 - (ii) Service body truck - truck chassis cost and service body cost.
 - (iii) Agricultural tractors – base tractor cost and attachment cost for each individual attachment
 - (iv) Other equipment – base equipment unit cost and modification cost for each individual modification.
 - (h) Any additional work or modifications requiring an additional purchase order shall be billed on a separate invoice.

D14.3 The City will bear no responsibility for delays in approval of invoices that are improperly submitted.

D14.4 **Bid Submissions must not be submitted to the above facsimile number. Bids must be submitted in accordance with B7.**

WARRANTY

D15. WARRANTY

D15.1 Notwithstanding C11, and the warranties specified in the Form N: Detailed Specifications applicable to the unit, the warranty period for each piece of Equipment supplied shall begin on the date of successful completion of the inspection process or when the equipment has been successfully placed into operation.

D15.2 The Contractor shall make available a service truck to provide and maintain the following at no cost to the City:

(a) Repair work – for repeated failures outlined in Form N: Detailed Specifications section under Performance Reliability.

(b) Warranty work – for all items covered under the warranty clauses, outlined in Form N: Detailed Specifications section under Warranty.

D15.2.1 If a service truck is not available all transportation costs related to the warranty of the unit are the responsibility of the Contractor.

D15.3 The Contractor shall provide and maintain on-site warranty services throughout the duration of the warranty period specified in Form N: Detailed Specifications. The on-site warranty services shall include the Contractor to provide warranty services anywhere within 10 km of the boundaries of the City of Winnipeg and within normal business hours. On-site warranty services shall only be requested where minor repair work is required, when the equipment is immobile, and where slow moving vehicles require warranty work. On-site warranty work shall only be requested by the City of Winnipeg repair facility supervisors or their designate.

D15.4 If the Contractor is unable to perform on-site warranty services, the City of Winnipeg will provide the service at a rate of \$109.00/hour during normal Winnipeg Fleet Management Agency's business hours or \$129.00/hour for after-hours callouts, which shall be billed to the Contractor over and above the warranty related costs.

D15.5 All incidental warranty related costs (including, but not limited to, Contractor's travel, mileage, deductibles, towing costs, etc.) in executing any part of the warranty shall be the sole responsibility of the Contractor.

D15.6 Equipment that is not available for use due to warranty related issues shall be rectified within three (3) Business Days from the time of notification of failure. If the warranty related failure is not rectified within the three (3) Business Day period, the failure will be considered an Event of Default in accordance with C16.