

# THE CITY OF WINNIPEG

# **TENDER**

**TENDER NO. 981-2019** 

**BACK-UP GENERATOR INSPECTION, TEST AND MAINTENANCE** 

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### **APPENDIX A**

#### **PART B - BIDDING PROCEDURES**

#### **B1.** CONTRACT TITLE

B1.1 BACK-UP GENERATOR INSPECTION, TEST AND MAINTENANCE

#### **B2. SUBMISSION DEADLINE**

- B2.1 The Submission Deadline is 4:00 p.m. Winnipeg time, December 19, 2019.
- 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.** SITE INVESTIGATION

- B3.1 Further to C3.1, the Bidder may make an appointment to view the Site by contacting the Contract Administrator.
- B3.1 The Bidder is advised that a Generator Log Book containing current and past generator reference material will be available at the Site for viewing by the Bidder
- B3.2 The Bidder shall not be entitled to rely on any information or interpretation received at the Site investigation unless that information or interpretation is the Bidder's direct observation, or is provided by the Contract Administrator in writing.
- B3.3 The Bidder is responsible for determining:
  - (a) the location of any utility which can be determined from the records or other information available at the offices of any public authority or person, including a municipal corporation and any board or commission thereof, having jurisdiction or control over the utility;
  - (b) the nature of the surface and subsurface conditions at the Site;
  - (c) the location, nature, quality or quantity of the materials to be removed or to be employed in the performance of the Work;
  - (d) the nature, quality or quantity of the Plant needed to perform the Work;
  - (e) all matters concerning access to the Site, power supplies, location of existing services, utilities or materials necessary for the completion of the Work; and
  - (f) all other matters which could in any way affect his/her Bid or the performance of the Work.

#### **B4. ENQUIRIES**

- B4.1 All enquiries shall be directed to the Contract Administrator identified in D5.1.
- B4.2 If the Bidder finds errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Tender, 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.
- B4.3 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, require a correction to or a clarification of the Tender will be provided by the Contract Administrator to all Bidders by issuing an addendum.
- B4.4 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, do not require a correction to or a clarification of the Tender will be provided by the Contract Administrator only to the Bidder who made the enquiry.

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B4.5 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.

#### **B5.** CONFIDENTIALITY

- B5.1 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.
- B5.2 The Bidder shall not make any statement of fact or opinion regarding any aspect of the Tender to the media or any member of the public without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.

#### B6. ADDENDA

- B6.1 The Contract Administrator may, at any time prior to the Submission Deadline, issue addenda correcting errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Tender, or clarifying the meaning or intent of any provision therein.
- B6.2 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.
- B6.3 Addenda will be available on the Bid Opportunities page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/bidopp.asp">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/bidopp.asp</a>
- B6.4 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.
- B6.5 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.
- B6.6 Notwithstanding B3, enquiries related to an Addendum may be directed to the Contract Administrator indicated in D5.

#### **B7.** SUBSTITUTES

- B7.1 The Work is based on the Plant, Materials and methods specified in the Tender.
- B7.2 Substitutions shall not be allowed unless application has been made to and prior approval has been granted by the Contract Administrator in writing.
- B7.3 Requests for approval of a substitute will not be considered unless received in writing by the Contract Administrator at least five (5) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B7.4 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 Plant, Material or method 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.
- B7.5 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.
- B7.6 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.
- B7.6.1 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.
- B7.7 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an "approved equal", any Bidder may use the approved equal in place of the specified item.
- B7.8 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 B17.
- B7.9 No later claim by the Contractor for an addition to the Total Bid Price because of any other changes in the Work necessitated by the use of an approved equal or an approved alternative will be considered.

#### **B8.** BID SUBMISSION

- B8.1 The Bid shall consist of the following components:
  - (a) Form A: Bid;
  - (b) Form B: Prices:
- B8.2 Further to B8.1, the Bidder should include the written correspondence from the Contract Administrator approving a substitute in accordance with B7.
- B8.3 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.
- B8.4 The Bid may be submitted by mail, courier or personal delivery, or by facsimile transmission.
- B8.5 If the Bid is submitted by mail, courier or personal delivery, it shall be enclosed and sealed in an envelope clearly marked with the Tender 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

- B8.5.1 Samples or other components of the Bid which cannot reasonably be enclosed in the envelope may be packaged separately, but shall be clearly marked with the Tender number, the Bidder's name and address, and an indication that the contents are part of the Bidder's Bid Submission.
- B8.6 If the Bid is submitted by facsimile transmission, it shall be submitted to 204-949-1178
- B8.6.1 The Bidder is advised that the City cannot take responsibility for the availability of the facsimile machine at any time or guarantee the successful receipt of a faxed Bid Submission.
- B8.7 Bidders are advised not to include any information/literature except as requested in accordance with B8.1.
- B8.8 Bidders are advised that inclusion of terms and conditions inconsistent with the Tender document, including the General Conditions, will be evaluated in accordance with B17.1(a).
- B8.9 Bids submitted by internet electronic mail (e-mail) will not be accepted.

#### B9. BID

- B9.1 The Bidder shall complete Form A: Bid, making all required entries.
- B9.2 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.
- B9.2.1 If a Bid is submitted jointly by two or more persons, each and all such persons shall identify themselves in accordance with B9.2.
- B9.3 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.
- B9.4 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;
  - (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.
- B9.4.1 The name and official capacity of all individuals signing Form A: Bid should be printed below such signatures.
- B9.5 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.

#### B10. PRICES

- B10.1 The Bidder shall state a price in Canadian funds for each item of the Work identified on Form B: Prices.
- B10.1.1 Notwithstanding C11.1.3, prices on Form B: Prices shall not include the Goods and Services Tax (GST) or Manitoba Retail Sales Tax (MRST, also known as PST), which shall be extra where applicable.
- B10.2 The quantities listed on Form B: Prices are to be considered approximate only. The City will use said quantities for the purpose of comparing Bids.
- B10.3 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.
- B10.4 Payments to Non-Resident Contractors are subject to Non-Resident Withholding Tax pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada).

#### **B11. DISCLOSURE**

- B11.1 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.
- B11.2 The Persons are:
  - (a) Cummins Sales and Service Technical specifications provided for use in the work

#### B12. CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND GOOD FAITH

- B12.1 Bidders, by responding to this Tender, declare that no Conflict of Interest currently exists, or is reasonably expected to exist in the future.
- B12.2 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:

- 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;
- 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 Tender 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 Tender process) of strategic and/or material relevance to the Tender 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.
- B12.3 In connection with its Bid, each entity identified in B12.2 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 Tender 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.
- B12.4 Without limiting B12.3, 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.
- B12.5 Without limiting B12.3, 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;
  - 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 B12.4 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.
- B12.6 The final determination of whether a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest exists shall be made by the City, in its sole discretion.

#### **B13. QUALIFICATION**

- B13.1 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.
- B13.2 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 https://winnipeg.ca/finance/findata/matmgt/listing/debar.pdf
- B13.3 The Bidder and/or any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:

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  - (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);
- B13.4 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.
- B13.5 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.

#### B14. OPENING OF BIDS AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

- B14.1 Bids will not be opened publicly.
- B14.2 Following the Submission Deadline, the names of the Bidders and their Total Bid Prices (unevaluated, and pending review and verification of conformance with requirements) 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 <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/</a>
- B14.3 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 <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/</a>
- B14.4 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).
- B14.4.1 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.

#### **B15.** IRREVOCABLE BID

- B15.1 The Bid(s) submitted by the Bidder shall be irrevocable for the time period specified in Paragraph 9 of Form A: Bid.
- B15.2 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.

#### **B16.** WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS

- B16.1 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.
- B16.1.1 Notwithstanding C22.5, 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.
- B16.1.2 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.

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- B16.1.3 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 B16.1.3(b), declare the Bid withdrawn.
- B16.2 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 B15.2 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.

#### **B17.** EVALUATION OF BIDS

- B17.1 Award of the Contract shall be based on the following bid evaluation criteria:
  - (a) compliance by the Bidder with the requirements of the Tender, or acceptable deviation therefrom (pass/fail);
  - (b) qualifications of the Bidder and the Subcontractors, if any, pursuant to B13(pass/fail);
  - (c) Total Bid Price;
  - (d) economic analysis of any approved alternative pursuant to B7;
- B17.2 Further to B17.1(a), the Award Authority may reject a Bid as being non-responsive if the Bid 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.
- B17.3 Further to B17.1(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 qualified.
- B17.4 Further to B17.1(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.
- B17.4.1 Further to B17.1(a), in the event that a unit price is not provided on Form B: Prices, the City will determine the unit price by dividing the Amount (extended price) by the approximate quantity, for the purposes of evaluation and payment.
- B17.5 This Contract will be awarded as a whole.

#### **B18.** AWARD OF CONTRACT

- B18.1 The City will give notice of the award of the Contract or will give notice that no award will be made.
- B18.2 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 qualified, and the Bids are determined to be responsive.
- B18.2.1 Without limiting the generality of B18.2, 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

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- (e) in the judgment of the Award Authority, the interests of the City would best be served by not awarding a Contract.
- B18.3 Where an award of Contract is made by the City, the award shall be made to the qualified Bidder submitting the lowest evaluated responsive Bid in accordance with B17.
- B18.3.1 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.
- B18.4 Notwithstanding C4.1, the City may issue a purchase order to the successful Bidder in lieu of the execution of a Contract.
- B18.5 The Contract Documents, 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**

#### CO. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- C0.1 The General Conditions for Supply of Services (Revision 2019-01-15) are applicable to the Work of the Contract.
- C0.1.1 The General Conditions for Supply of Services are available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen\_cond.stm">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen\_cond.stm</a>
- C0.2 A reference in the Tender to a section, clause or subclause with the prefix "C" designates a section, clause or subclause in the *General Conditions for Supply of Services*.

#### **PART D - SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS**

#### **GENERAL**

#### D1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

D1.1 In addition to the *General Conditions for Supply of Services*, 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 Inspection, Testing and Maintenance of Back-Up Generators for five (5) Winnipeg Fleet Management Agency Fueling Sites for the period from January 1, 2020 until December 31, 2020, with the option of three (3) mutually agreed upon one (1) year extensions.
- D2.1.1 The City may negotiate the extension option with the Contractor within ninety (90)
  Calendar Days prior to the expiry date of the Contract. The City shall incur no liability to the Contractor as a result of such negotiations.
- D2.1.2 Changes resulting from such negotiations shall become effective on January 1st of the respective year. Changes to the Contract shall not be implemented by the Contractor without written approval by the Contract Administrator.
- D2.2 The major components of the Work are as follows:
  - (a) Inspection, Testing and Maintenance of the Back-Up Generators at five (5) Winnipeg Fleet Management Agency Fueling Sites per Tables 1, 2, 3 and 4
  - (b) The City reserves the right to add or delete locations or alter the major equipment components as required by changes in its operations during the term of the contract
- D2.3 Including but not limited to the following locations:
  - (a) 1220 Pacific Avenue
  - (b) 2546 McPhillips Street
  - (c) 552 Plinguet Street
  - (d) 1539 Waverley Street
  - (e) 735 Assiniboine Park Drive
- D2.4 The Work shall be done on an "as required" basis during the term of the Contract.
- D2.4.1 The type and quantity of Work to be performed under this Contract shall be as authorized from time to time by the Contract Administrator and/or Users.
- D2.4.2 Notwithstanding C7.4, the City shall have no obligation under the Contract to purchase any quantity of any item in excess of its actual operational requirements.

#### D3. COOPERATIVE PURCHASE

- D3.1 The Contractor is advised that this is a cooperative purchase.
- D3.2 The Contract Administrator may, from time to time during the term of the Contract, approve other public sector organizations and utilities, including but not limited to municipalities, universities, schools and hospitals, to be participants in the cooperative purchase.
- D3.3 The Contract Administrator will notify the Contractor of a potential participant and provide a list of the delivery locations and estimated quantities.
- D3.4 If any location of the potential participant is more than ten (10) kilometres beyond the boundaries of the City of Winnipeg, the Contractor shall, within fifteen (15) Calendar Days of the

written notice, notify the Contract Administrator of the amount of any additional delivery charge for the location.

- D3.5 If any additional delivery charges are identified by the Contractor, the potential participant may accept or decline to participate in the cooperative purchase.
- D3.6 The Contractor shall enter into a contract with each participant under the same terms and conditions as this Contract except:
  - (a) supply under the contract shall not commence until the expiry or lawful termination of any other contract(s) binding the participant for the same services;
  - (b) a participant may specify a duration of Contract shorter than the duration of this Contract;
  - (c) a participant may specify that only some items under this Contract and/or less than its total requirement for an item are to be supplied under its contract; and
  - (d) any additional delivery charge identified and accepted in accordance with clause D3.4 and D3.5 will apply.
- D3.7 Each participant will be responsible for the administration of its contract and the fulfilment of its obligations under its contract. The City shall not incur any liability arising from any such contract.
- D3.8 No participant shall have the right or authority to effect a change in the Contract, or of any other participant in this Contract.

#### D4. DEFINITIONS

- D4.1 When used in this Tender:
  - (a) "**User**" means a person, department or other administrative unit of the City authorized by the Contract Administrator to order Work under this Contract;

#### D5. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR

D5.1 The Contract Administrator is:

Richard Schwarz, C.E.T. Winnipeg Fleet Management Agency

Telephone No. 204 391-5418

Email Address: rschwarz@Winnipeg.ca

D5.2 General and technical enquires shall be directed to:

Alanna Van Buren Senior Clerk – Fuel and Rentals Winnipeg Fleet Management Agency

Telephone No. 204-986-8370

Email Address: <a href="mailto:lvanburen@winnipeg.ca">lvanburen@winnipeg.ca</a>

D5.3 At the pre-commencement meeting, the Contract Administrator will identify additional personnel representing the Contract Administrator and their respective roles and responsibilities for the Work.

#### D6. CONTRACTOR'S SUPERVISOR

D6.1 Further to C6.19, the Contractor shall employ and keep on the Work, at all times during the performance of the Work, a competent supervisor and assistants, if necessary, acceptable to the Contract Administrator. The supervisor shall represent the Contractor on the Site. The supervisor shall not be replaced without the prior consent of the Contract Administrator unless the supervisor proves to be unsatisfactory to the Contractor and ceases to be in his/her employ.

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- D6.2 Before commencement of Work, the Contractor shall identify his/her designated supervisor and any additional personnel representing the Contractor and their respective roles and responsibilities for the Work.
- D6.2.1 Further to C5.5 Contract Administrator may give instructions or orders to the Contractor's supervisor and such instructions or orders shall be deemed to have been given to the Contractor.

#### D7. OWNERSHIP OF INFORMATION, CONFIDENTIALITY AND NON DISCLOSURE

- D7.1 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.
- D7.2 The Contractor shall not make any public announcements or press releases regarding the Contract, without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.
- D7.3 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.
- D7.4 A Contractor who violates any provision of D6 may be determined to be in breach of Contract.

#### D8. NOTICES

D8.1 Notwithstanding C22.3, all notices of appeal to the Chief Administrative Officer shall be sent to the attention of the Chief Financial Officer.

#### **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.

#### D10. SAFE WORK PLAN

- D10.1 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a Safe Work Plan at least five (5) Business Days prior to the commencement of any Work on the Site but in no event later than the date specified in C4.1 for the return of the executed Contract Documents, if applicable.
- D10.2 The Safe Work Plan should be prepared and submitted in the format shown in the City's template which is available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Safety/default.stm">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Safety/default.stm</a>

#### D11. INSURANCE

D11.1 The Contractor shall provide and maintain the following insurance coverage:

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- (a) commercial general liability insurance, in the amount of at least two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) inclusive, with The City added as an additional insured; such liability policy to also contain a cross-liability clause, non-owned automobile liability and products and completed operations cover, to remain in place at all times during the performance of the Work and throughout the Warranty period;
- (b) if applicable, Automobile Liability Insurance covering all motor vehicles, owned and operated and used or to be used by the Contractor directly or indirectly in the performance of the Service. The Limit of Liability shall not be less than \$2,000,000 inclusive for loss or damage including personal injuries and death resulting from any one accident or occurrence;
- (c) contractor's pollution liability (CPL) insurance in the amount of at least one million dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence and two million dollars (\$2,000,000) aggregate insuring against claims covering third party injury and property damage claims and including cleanup costs and transported cargo as a result of pollution conditions arising suddenly or gradually from the Contractors operations and completed operations. Such policy shall contain a twelve (12) month extended reporting period or continue for twelve (12) months after Total Performance.
- D11.2 Deductibles shall be borne by the Contractor.
- D11.3 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a certificate(s) of insurance, in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, at least two (2) Business Days prior to the commencement of any Work on the Site but in no event later than seven (7) Calendar Days from notification of the award of Contract.
- D11.4 The Contractor shall not cancel, materially alter, or cause the policy to lapse without providing at least thirty (30) Calendar Days prior written notice to the Contract Administrator.
- D11.5 The City shall have the right to alter the limits and/or coverages as reasonably required from time to time during the continuance of this agreement.
- D11.6 All policies shall be placed with insurers licensed to carry on business in the Province of Manitoba

#### **CONTROL OF WORK**

#### D12. COMMENCEMENT

- D12.1 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.
- D12.2 The Contractor shall not commence any Work on the Site until:
  - (a) the Contract Administrator has confirmed receipt and approval of:
    - (i) evidence of authority to carry on business specified in D9;
    - (ii) evidence of the workers compensation coverage specified in C6.14; and
    - (iii) evidence of the insurance specified in D11.
  - (b) the Contractor has attended a meeting with the Contract Administrator, or the Contract Administrator has waived the requirement for a meeting.

#### D13. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

- D13.1 If the Contractor fails to achieve the Work of the Contract in accordance with D2, the Contractor shall pay the City two hundred dollars (\$200.00) per Working Day or each and every Working Day following the day fixed herein until the Work is complete.
- D13.2 The amount specified for liquidated damages in D13.1 is based on a genuine pre-estimate of the City's damages in the event that the Contractor does not achieve the Work of the Contract.

D13.3 The City may reduce any payment to the Contractor by the amount of any liquidated damages assessed.

#### D14. SAFETY

- D14.1 The Contractor shall be solely responsible for safety at the Site and for compliance with all laws, rules, regulations and practices required by the applicable safety legislation.
- D14.2 The Contractor shall be solely responsible for securing the Site, and any existing facility thereon, and for the proper care and protection of the Work already performed.
- D14.3 The Contractor shall do whatever is necessary to ensure that:
  - (a) no person, property, right, easement or privilege is injured, damaged or infringed by reason of the Contractor's activities in performing the Work;
  - (b) the health and safety of all persons employed in the performance of the Work or otherwise is not endangered by the method or means of its performance;
  - (c) adequate medical services are available to all persons employed on the Work and at all times during the performance of the Work;
  - (d) adequate sanitation measures are taken and facilities provided with respect to the Work;
  - (e) pedestrian and other traffic on any public or private road or waterway is not unduly impeded, interrupted or endangered by the performance or existence of the Work or Plant;
  - (f) fire hazards in or about the Work are eliminated;
  - (g) it is mandatory that all proper safety personal protective equipment is worn by all persons employed on the Work and at all times during the performance of the Work including but not limited to:
    - (i) eye/face protection;
    - (ii) hearing protection, when necessary;
    - (iii) safety foot wear;
    - (iv) safety reflective vest

#### D15. SITE CLEANING

- D15.1 The Contractor shall maintain the Site and the Work in a tidy condition and free from the accumulation of waste and debris, other than that caused by the City or by other contractors.
  - (a) As the Work progresses, the Contractor shall remove any Plant and Material not required for the performance of the remaining Work. He shall also remove waste and debris other than that caused by the City or other contractors, and leave the Site and the Work clean and suitable for occupancy by the City unless otherwise specified.

#### D16. INSPECTION

- D16.1 Before beginning or resuming operations upon any portion of the Work, the Contractor shall notify the Contract Administrator so as to enable him to arrange for inspection. If the Contractor fails to notify the Contract Administrator, the Contractor shall, if and when required by the Contract Administrator, forthwith take down or expose and redo that portion of the Work required to facilitate inspection. The cost of such taking down or exposure, and redoing, if any, shall be borne by the Contractor.
- D16.2 If and when required by the Contract Administrator, the Contractor shall take down or expose forthwith any portion of the Work where the Contract Administrator determines that the Work is not in accordance with the Contract. The cost of such taking down or exposure, and redoing, if any, shall fall upon the City if the taking down or exposure indicates that the portion exposed was properly performed, but if otherwise the cost shall be borne by the Contractor

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**ORDERS** 

D17.

D17.1 The Contractor shall provide a local Winnipeg telephone number or a toll-free telephone number at which orders for service may be placed.

#### D18. RECORDS

- D18.1 The Contractor shall keep detailed records of the services supplied under the Contract.
- D18.2 The Contractor shall record, as a minimum, for each item listed on Form B: Prices:
  - (a) user name(s) and addresses;
  - (b) order date(s);
  - (c) service date(s); and
  - (d) description and quantity of services provided.
- D18.3 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator or his/her designate with a copy of the records for each Monthly, Semi-Annual and Annual Inspections within fifteen (15) Calendar Days of a request of the Contract Administrator.

#### **MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT**

#### D19. INVOICES

D19.1 Further to C11, the Contractor shall submit an invoice for each portion of work performed delivered 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

- D19.2 Invoices must clearly indicate, as a minimum:
  - (a) the City's purchase order number;
  - (b) date of service/inspection;
  - (c) location of service/inspection;
  - (d) type and quantity of work performed;
  - (e) the amount payable with GST and MRST shown as separate amounts; and
  - (f) the Contractor's GST registration number.
- D19.3 The City will bear no responsibility for delays in approval of invoices which are improperly submitted.
- D19.4 Bid Submissions must not be submitted to the above facsimile number. Bids must be submitted in accordance with B8.

#### D20. PAYMENT

- D20.1 Further to C11, payment shall be in Canadian funds net thirty (30) Calendar Days after receipt and approval of the Contractor's invoice.
- D20.2 Further to C11, the City may at its option pay the Contractor by direct deposit to the Contractor's banking institution.

### **WARRANTY**

#### D21. WARRANTY

- D21.1 Warranty is as stated in C12
- D21.2 Any equipment installed under the Contract as extra work or unscheduled repair shall be warranted for a minimum one (1) year period from the date of installation

### **PART E - SPECIFICATIONS**

#### **GENERAL**

#### E1. APPLICABLE SPECIFICATIONS AND DRAWINGS

- E1.1 These Specifications shall apply to the Work.
- E1.2 The following are applicable to the Work:

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Inspection, Test and Maintenance Requirements Tables

E1.3 Bidders are reminded that requests for approval of substitutes as an approved equal or an approved alternative shall be made in accordance with B7. In every instance where a brand name or design specification is used, the City will also consider approved equals and/or approved alternatives in accordance with B7.

#### E2. SERVICES

- E2.1 The Work to be done under the Contract shall consist of Inspection, Testing and Maintenance, of the Back-Up Generators located at the Winnipeg Fleet Management Agency various Fueling Sites as listed D2.3 Scope of Work.
- E2.2 The Contractor shall complete the Inspection, Testing and Maintenance at each site at the designated intervals and send the completed information on Work performed signed and dated to the Contract Administrator or his/her designate within ten (10) Business days after completion of Work.
- E2.3 All inspection reports shall be submitted to the Contract Administrator or his/her designate for review and approval prior to payment. Each report shall have a section for identifying the items for further maintenance or repair. Should the Contract Administrator or his/her designate find the inspection not to be to prescribed standard(s), the Contractor, at their own expense, shall correct all discrepancies within forty-eight (48) hours.
- E2.4 The Contractor must be available on an on-call basis for repair of failed equipment.
- E2.4.1 Response time to be within 90 minutes.
- E2.5 The Contractor shall prepare maintenance activity check off sheets for use during the course of the Contract.
- E2.5.1 The sheet shall indicate all maintenance activities required under the Contract and indicate the frequency of each.
- E2.5.2 The sheet shall have space for inserting the date each activity is completed along with the initials of the individual completing the Work.
- E2.5.3 Check off sheets shall be submitted to the Contract Administrator or his/her designate for approval prior to use.
- E2.5.4 Sheets shall be to the satisfaction of the Contract Administrator or his/her designate.
- E2.5.5 Provide separate check off sheet packages for each of the five (5) Fueling Sites as listed under Scope of Work D2.3.
- E2.6 The Contractor shall supply and pay for all required lubricants of the type indicated in the maintenance manuals.
- E2.6.1 The Contractor shall supply all other maintenance materials required which shall be paid for by the City on submission of proper invoices.

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- E2.7 The Contractor shall perform all Work during normal workday hours.
- E2.8 Service call hourly rate for labour shall be from Monday to Friday from 08:00 to 17:00.
- E2.9 Service call hourly rate for overtime shall be Monday to Friday from 17:00 to 8:00.
- E2.10 The Contractor shall make minor repairs and/or replace minor parts as required, at the time of inspection.
- E2.11 Where repairs costs are in excess of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, the Contractor shall contact the Contract Administrator or his/her designate for approval before proceeding.
- E2.12 Upon Contract Administrator's or his/her designate approval, the Contractor shall carry out repair of equipment and system breakdowns.
- E2.12.1 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator or his/her designate with a quotation for the required work for approval prior to commencing the work.
- E2.12.2 The Contractor shall provide all required materials (if not stocked by the City) and labour.
- E2.12.3 Repair of breakdowns shall be paid by the City as extra work.
- E2.12.4 Labour rates will be as per the unit costs quoted on Form "B: PRICES".
- E2.13 Repairs and maintenance work must be carried out in an expedient manner.
- E2.14 Check with operating personnel during weekly site visits to determine any repair or adjustment requirements.
- E2.15 Completed check off sheets for all Generator Sites shall be submitted to the Fuel and Rentals Clerk.

#### E3. EXISTING SERVICES

- E3.1 Notify the Contract Administrator or his/her designate of intended interruption of services and obtain required permission.
- E3.2 Where works involves breaking into or connecting to existing services, give Contract Administrator or his/her designate 48 hours' notice for necessary interruption of mechanical or electrical service throughout course of work.
- E3.2.1 Minimize duration of interruptions.
- E3.2.2 Carry out work at times as directed by the Contract Administrator or his/her designate with minimum disturbance to operations.
- E3.2.3 Adhere to approved schedule and provide notice to affected parties.
- E3.3 Provide temporary services when directed by the Contract Administrator or his/her designate to maintain critical building and tenant systems.
- E3.4 Provide barricades in work areas, as required, to ensure safety of building occupants during work activities under this Contract.
- E3.5 Accept liability for damage to the City's property occurring as a result of activities under this Contract.

#### E4. CONTRACT METHOD

- E4.1 Carry out maintenance contract under stipulated price contract.
- E4.2 Supply of indicated materials for maintenance and materials and labour for extra work activities such as unplanned repairs will be paid by the City based on approved quotations based on quoted labour rates.

#### E5. WORK BY OTHERS

- E5.1 Snow clearing at Fueling sites and at tank locations.
- E5.2 Ordering, fuel supply and filling of fuel tanks.
- E5.3 General housekeeping, other than clean-up of areas required due to maintenance work carried out under this Contract.

#### E6. WORK SEQUENCE

- E6.1 Coordinate maintenance schedule and coordinate with Contract Administrator or his/her designate occupancy during maintenance work.
- E6.2 Maintenance tasks shall be carried out at time intervals recommended by equipment manufacturer and as further indicated in the maintenance manual and the maintenance activity table attached to this section.
- E6.3 Maintain fire access/control.

#### E7. CONTRACTOR USE OF PREMISES

- E7.1 Contractor shall limit his use of premises to allow for City occupancy and the City's normal operation activities.
- E7.2 Coordinate use of the premises with the Contract Administrator or his/her designate.
- E7.3 Obtain and pay for use of additional storage or work areas if needed for operations under this Contract.

#### E8. CITY OCCUPANCY

- E8.1 City will occupy premises during entire period of the maintenance Contract for execution of normal operations.
- E8.2 Cooperate with City in scheduling operations to minimize conflict and to facilitate City usage.
- E8.2.1 Any maintenance work that will require shut down of Fueling systems will have to be scheduled at alternate times so as not to disrupt Fueling operations.

#### E9. DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- E9.1 Maintain at job site or the Contractor's office, one copy of each document as follows:
  - (a) Complete set of as-built drawings;
  - (b) Operating and Maintenance Manuals;
  - (c) Activity Completion Check Off Sheets;
  - (d) Health and Safety Plan and Other Safety Related Documents;
  - (e) Other documents as specified

#### **APPENDIX A**