



**THE CITY OF WINNIPEG**

# **REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

**RFP NO. 51-2022**

**PROVISION OF INSURANCE AND RELATED RISK MANAGEMENT SERVICES**

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## **PART B - BIDDING PROCEDURES**

### **B1. CONTRACT TITLE**

B1.1 PROVISION OF INSURANCE AND RELATED RISK MANAGEMENT SERVICES

### **B2. SUBMISSION DEADLINE**

B2.1 The Submission Deadline is 12:00 noon Winnipeg time, August 12, 2022.

B2.2 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 D6.1.

B3.2 If the Proponent finds errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Request for Proposal, or is unsure of the meaning or intent of any provision therein, the Proponent 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 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, require a correction to or a clarification of the Request for Proposal will be provided by the Contract Administrator to all Proponents by issuing an addendum.

B3.4 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, do not require a correction to or a clarification of the Request for Proposal will be provided by the Contract Administrator only to the Proponent who made the enquiry.

B3.5 All correspondence or contact by Proponents with the City in respect of this RFP must be directly and only with the Contract Administrator. Failure to restrict correspondence and contact to the Contract Administrator may result in the rejection of the Proponents Proposal Submission.

B3.6 The Proponent 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.

B3.7 Any enquiries concerning submitting through MERX should be addressed to:  
MERX Customer Support  
Phone: 1-800-964-6379  
Email: merx@merx.com

### **B4. CONFIDENTIALITY**

B4.1 Information provided to a Proponent by the City or acquired by a Proponent 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 Proponent before receipt hereof; or
- (b) becomes publicly known other than through the Proponent; or
- (c) is disclosed pursuant to the requirements of a governmental authority or judicial order.

B4.2 The Proponent shall not make any statement of fact or opinion regarding any aspect of the Request for Proposal to the media or any member of the public without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.

## **B5. SOLICITATION AND NO CONTACT**

B5.1 Bidders shall not contact or solicit the insurance markets or reinsurers on behalf of the City prior to the award of the Contract. Bidders are advised that doing so may result in their Proposal submission being rejected.

## **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 Request for Proposal, 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 MERX website at [www.merx.com](http://www.merx.com).

B6.4 The Proponent is responsible for ensuring that he/she has received all addenda and is advised to check the MERX website for addenda regularly and shortly before the Submission Deadline, as may be amended by addendum.

B6.5 The Proponent shall acknowledge receipt of each addendum in Paragraph 10 of Form A: Bid/Proposal. Failure to acknowledge receipt of an addendum may render a Proposal non-responsive.

B6.6 Notwithstanding B3, enquiries related to an Addendum may be directed to the Contract Administrator indicated in D6.

## **B7. SUBSTITUTES**

B7.1 The Work is based on the Plant, Materials and methods specified in the Request for Proposal.

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 Proponent 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 proposed work schedule and the dates specified in the Supplemental Conditions for Total Performance;
- (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 proposed work schedule and the dates specified in the Supplemental Conditions for Total Performance.

- 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 Proponent 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 Proponents. The Proponent 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 Proponent 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 Proponent 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 B20.
- 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. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION**

- B8.1 The Proposal shall consist of the following components:
- (a) Form A: Bid/Proposal;
  - (b) Form B: Fees(s) for Service in accordance with B10; and
  - (c) Form N: Insurance Broker/Advisor and Related Services.
- B8.1.1 Notwithstanding B8.1(c) the Proponent shall provide a written response to each question on Form N: Insurance Broker/Advisor and Related Services (herein called Form N).
- B8.2 Further to B8.1 all components of the Proposal shall be fully completed or provided in the order indicated, and submitted by the Proponent no later than the Submission Deadline, with all required entries made clearly and completely, to constitute a responsive Proposal.
- B8.3 Proposal format, including number of pages, size of pages and, font, etc., will not be regulated, except that the Proposal should contain a table of contents, page numbering and should be in the Sections identified above. Proponents are encouraged to use their creativity to submit a Proposal which provides the requested information for evaluation and other information which illustrates the strength of their proposed solution
- B8.4 The Proposal shall be submitted electronically through MERX at [www.merx.com](http://www.merx.com).
- B8.4.1 Proposals will **only** be accepted electronically through MERX.
- B8.5 Proponents are advised that inclusion of terms and conditions inconsistent with the Request for Proposal, will be evaluated in accordance with B20.1(a).
- B8.6 Any cost or expense incurred by the Proponent that is associated with the preparation of the Proposal shall be borne solely by the Proponent.

## **B9. PROPOSAL**

- B9.1 The Proponent shall complete Form A: Bid/Proposal, making all required entries.
- B9.2 Paragraph 2 of Form A: Bid/Proposal shall be completed in accordance with the following requirements:

- (a) if the Proponent is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, his/her name shall be inserted;
- (b) if the Proponent is a partnership, the full name of the partnership shall be inserted;
- (c) if the Proponent is a corporation, the full name of the corporation shall be inserted;
- (d) if the Proponent 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 Proposal 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/Proposal, the Proponent shall identify a contact person who is authorized to represent the Proponent for purposes of the Proposal.

B9.4 Paragraph 13 of Form A: Bid/Proposal shall be signed in accordance with the following requirements:

- (a) if the Proponent is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, it shall be signed by the Proponent;
- (b) if the Proponent is a partnership, it shall be signed by the partner or partners who have authority to sign for the partnership;
- (c) if the Proponent is a corporation, it shall be signed by its duly authorized officer or officers;
- (d) if the Proponent 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/Proposal should be entered below such signatures.

B9.5 If a Proposal is submitted jointly by two or more persons, the word "Proponent" shall mean each and all such persons, and the undertakings, covenants and obligations of such joint Proponents in the Proposal and the Contract, when awarded, shall be both joint and several.

## **B10. FEE(S) FOR SERVICE (SECTION B)**

B10.1 The Proponent shall submit Fees for Service, based on the services outlined in Form B: Fees for Service.

B10.1.1 Fees shall be in Canadian funds.

B10.2 In addition, the Proponent should propose Fees for any other related services not specifically listed in Form N, Section C, which may be beneficial and desirable to the City.

B10.3 Proponents may, but are not required to propose Fees for more than one section based on being successful for more than one area of the Insurance or Related Risk Management Services. However, fees and/or commissions must be disclosed.

B10.3.1 Notwithstanding B10.3, The successful Proponent for Autopac Service to the City will earn the standard commissions and fees set by Manitoba Public Insurance on Autopac transactions.

B10.3.2 Notwithstanding B10.3, successful Proponent(s) will earn a disclosed commission or fee for-service for all other insurance and risk management related services. Premiums for insurance policies payable by the City shall be invoiced on a disclosed commission or "net of commissions"

B10.4 Notwithstanding C11.1.1, Fees 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.

- B10.4.1 Prices stated in response to B10.1 shall not include any costs which may be incurred by the Consultant with respect to any applicable funding agreement obligations as outlined in D20. Any such costs shall be determined in accordance with D20.
- B10.5 The quantities listed on Form N are to be considered approximate only. The City will use said quantities for the purpose of comparing Proposals.
- B10.6 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.
- B10.7 Where applicable, payments to Non-Resident Contractors are subject to Non-Resident Withholding Tax pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada).

**B11. FORM N: INSURANCE BROKER/ADVISOR AND RELATED SERVICES (SECTION C)**

- B11.1 The Proponent shall complete and submit the required responses on Form N: Insurance Broker/Advisor and Related Services.

**B12. DISCLOSURE**

- B12.1 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.

- B12.2 The Persons are:

(a) N/A

**B13. CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND GOOD FAITH**

- B13.1 Further to C3.2, Proponents, by responding to this RFP, declare that no Conflict of Interest currently exists, or is reasonably expected to exist in the future.

- B13.2 Conflict of Interest means any situation or circumstance where a Proponent or Key Personnel 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 Proposals or award of the Contract; or
  - (ii) compromise, impair or be incompatible with the effective performance of a Proponent'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 RFP process or the Project; or
- (f) has knowledge of confidential information (other than confidential information disclosed by the City in the normal course of the RFP process) of strategic and/or material relevance to the RFP process or to the Project that is not available to other proponents and that could or would be seen to give that Proponent an unfair competitive advantage.

- B13.3 In connection with its Proposal, each entity identified in B13.2 shall:



- (a) avoid any perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest in relation to the procurement process and the Project;
- (b) upon discovering any perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest at any time during the RFP 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.

B13.4 Without limiting B13.3, 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 Proponent 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.

B13.5 Without limiting B13.3, 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 Proponent that fails to disclose a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest of the Proponent or any of its Key Personnel;
- (b) require the removal or replacement of any Key Personnel 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 Proponent or Key Personnel proposed for the Work that fails to comply with any requirements prescribed by the City pursuant to B13.4 to avoid or mitigate a Conflict of Interest; and
- (d) disqualify a Proponent if the Proponent, or one of its Key Personnel proposed for the Project, has a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest that, in the City's sole discretion, cannot be avoided or mitigated, or otherwise resolved.

B13.6 The final determination of whether a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest exists shall be made by the City, in its sole discretion.

#### **B14. QUALIFICATION**

B14.1 The Proponent 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 Proponent does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Proponent 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.

B14.2 The Proponent 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://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Templates/files/debar.pdf>

B14.3 The Proponent 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;
- (b) be fully capable of performing the Work required to be in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract;
- (c) have a written workplace safety and health program, if required, pursuant to The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba); and
- (d) have completed the Accessible Customer Service online training required by the Accessibility for Manitobans Act (AMA) (see B14.4 and D8).

B14.4 Further to B14.3(d), the Proponent acknowledges they and all Subcontractors have obtained training required by the Accessibility for Manitobans Act (AMA) available at <http://www.accessibilitymb.ca/training.html> for anyone that may have any interaction with the public on behalf of the City of Winnipeg.

B14.5 The Proponent 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 Proponent and of any proposed Subcontractor.

B14.6 The Proponent shall provide, on the request of the Contract Administrator, full access to any of the Proponent's equipment and facilities to confirm, to the Contract Administrator's satisfaction, that the Proponent's equipment and facilities are adequate to perform the Work.

#### **B15. OPENING OF PROPOSALS AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION**

B15.1 Proposals will not be opened publicly.

B15.2 After award of Contract, the Contract amount and the name of the successful Proponent and their address will be available on the MERX website at [www.merx.com](http://www.merx.com).

B15.3 The Proponent is advised any information contained in any Proposal Submission 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).

B15.3.1 To the extent permitted, the City shall treat as confidential information, those aspects of a Proposal Submission identified by the Proponent 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.

B15.4 Following the award of Contract, a Proponent will be provided with information related to the evaluation of his/her submission upon written request to the Contract Administrator.

#### **B16. IRREVOCABLE OFFER**

B16.1 The Proposal(s) submitted by the Proponent shall be irrevocable for the time period specified in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Bid/Proposal.

B16.2 The acceptance by the City of any Proposal shall not release the Proposals of the other responsive Proponents and these Proponents shall be bound by their offers on such until a Contract for the Work has been duly formed and the contract securities have been furnished as herein provided, but any Bid shall be deemed to have lapsed unless accepted within the time period specified in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Bid/Proposal.

#### **B17. WITHDRAWAL OF OFFERS**

B17.1 A Proponent may withdraw his/her Proposal without penalty prior to the Submission Deadline.

## **B18. INTERVIEWS**

B18.1 The Contract Administrator may, in his/her sole discretion, interview Proponents during the evaluation process.

## **B19. NEGOTIATIONS**

B19.1 The City reserves the right to negotiate details of the Contract with any Proponent. Proponents are advised to present their best offer, not a starting point for negotiations in their Proposal Submission.

B19.2 The City may negotiate with the Proponents submitting, in the City's opinion, the most advantageous Proposals. The City may enter into negotiations with one or more Proponents without being obligated to offer the same opportunity to any other Proponents. Negotiations may be concurrent and will involve each Proponent individually. The City shall incur no liability to any Proponent as a result of such negotiations.

B19.3 If, in the course of negotiations pursuant to B19.2, the Proponent amends or modifies a Proposal after the Submission Deadline, the City may consider the amended Proposal as an alternative to the Proposal already submitted without releasing the Proponent from the Proposal as originally submitted.

## **B20. EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS**

B20.1 Award of the Contract shall be based on the following evaluation criteria:

- (a) compliance by the Proponent with the requirements of the Request for Proposal or acceptable deviation therefrom: (pass/fail)
- (b) qualifications of the Proponent and the Subcontractors, if any, pursuant to B14: (pass/fail)
- (c) Fees for Services and Commissions (Section B) 20%
- (d) Form N: Experience of Proponent and Subcontractor (Section C) broken down as follows:
  - (i) Experience of Proponent and Subcontractor (Form N, Section A) 20%
  - (ii) Commercial Expertise and Resources (Form N, Section B) 20%
  - (iii) Services (Form N, Section C) 20%
  - (iv) Risk Management Expertise and Resources (Form N, Section D) 10%
  - (v) Technology (Form N, Section E) 5%
  - (vi) Transition and Implementation Plan (Form N, Section F) 5%

B20.2 Further to B20.1(a), the Award Authority may reject a Proposal as being non-responsive if the Proposal 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 Proposal, or waive technical requirements or minor informalities or irregularities if the interests of the City so require.

B20.3 Further to B20.1(b), the Award Authority shall reject any Proposal submitted by a Proponent who does not demonstrate, in its Proposal or in other information required to be submitted, that it is qualified.

B20.4 If, in the sole opinion of the City, a Proposal does not achieve a pass rating for B20.1(a) and B20.1(b), the Proposal will be determined to be non-responsive and will not be further evaluated.

B20.5 Further to B20.1(c), the Fees for Services and Commissions shall be evaluated considering the fees and/or commissions submitted on Form N. The Proponent who submits the best overall package of service fees and value will receive highest marks information. All other Proponents will be prorated accordingly.

- B20.5.1 Notwithstanding B10 and B11, the Proponent may, but is not required to submit a bid on any one or more section of the Insurance or Related Risk Management Services.
- B20.6 Further to B20.1(d), Form N: Experience of Proponent and Subcontractors will be evaluated considering the information provided by the Proponent on Form N.
- B20.6.1 Further to B20.1(d)(i) Experience of Proponent and Subcontractors will be evaluated considering the information provided on Form N, Section A on the Proponent's experience working on projects of similar size and complexity and/or any other information submitted in his proposal.
- B20.6.2 Further to B20.1(d)(ii) Commercial Expertise and Resources will be evaluated considering the information provided on Form N, Section B on the Proponent's commercial insurance experience and/or any other information submitted in his proposal.
- B20.6.3 Further to B20.1(d)(iii) Services will be evaluated considering the information provided on Form N, Section C on the Proponent's proposal and/or in any other information submitted in his proposal.
- B20.6.4 Further to B20.1(d)(iv) Risk Management Expertise and Resources will be evaluated considering the information provided on Form N, Section D on the Proponent's proposal and/or any other information submitted in his proposal.
- B20.6.5 Further to B20.1(d)(v) Technology will be evaluated considering the information provided on Form N, Section E on the Proponent's proposal and/or any other information submitted in his proposal.
- B20.6.6 Further to B20.1(d)(vi) Transition and Implementation Plan will be evaluated considering the information provided on Form N, Section F on the Proponent's proposal and/or any other information submitted in his proposal.
- B20.7 Notwithstanding B20.1(d), where Proponents fail to provide a response to B20.1(d)(i) to B20.1(d)(vi) the score of zero may be assigned to the incomplete part of the response.
- B20.8 Proposals will be evaluated considering the information in the Proposal Submission and any interviews held in accordance with B18.

## **B21. AWARD OF CONTRACT**

- B21.1 Notwithstanding the following, the City intends to establish an Approved Broker/Advisory Schedule in order to carry out the requirements of the RFP.
- B21.2 The City will give notice of the Proponents inclusion on an Approved Broker/Advisor Schedule by way of a Letter of Award, or will give notice that no award will be made.
- B21.3 The City will have no obligation to award a Contract to a Proponent, even though one or all of the Proponents are determined to be qualified, and the Proposals are determined to be responsive.
- B21.3.1 Without limiting the generality of B21.3, 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 Proposal 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.

- B21.4 Where an award of Contract is made by the City, the award shall be made to the qualified Proponent submitting the most advantageous offer.
- B21.5 Further to Paragraph 7 of Form A: Bid/Proposal and C4, the City may issue an award letter to the successful Proponent in lieu of execution of Contract Documents
- B21.5.1 The Contract documents as defined in C1.1(p) in their entirety shall be deemed to be incorporated in and to form a part of the award letter notwithstanding that they are not necessarily attached to or accompany said award letter.
- B21.6 If funding for the Services is provided to the City of Winnipeg by the Government of Manitoba and/or the Government of Canada, Proponents are advised that the terms of D20 shall immediately take effect upon confirmation of such funding, regardless of when the funding is confirmed.
- B21.7 Following the award of contract, a Proponent will be provided with information related to the evaluation of his/her Proposal upon written request to the Contract Administrator.
- B21.8 If, after the award of Contract, the Project is cancelled, the City reserves the right to terminate the Contract. The Proponent will be paid for all Services rendered up to time of termination.

## **PART C - GENERAL CONDITIONS**

### **C0. GENERAL CONDITIONS**

- C0.1 The *General Conditions for Supply of Services* (Revision 2020-01-31) 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 [http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen\\_cond.stm](http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen_cond.stm)
- C0.2 A reference in the Request for Proposal 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. BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

D2.1 The City of Winnipeg operates under the City of Winnipeg Charter Act as a municipal government in the Province of Manitoba; consists of an elected Mayor and Council, and related committees, and administrative and operating departments; provides such services as, but not limited to: animal services, financial management, recreation programs, community resources, fire, paramedic, museums, cemeteries, inspections, permits, recreation facilities, insect control (aerial and ground) public works, streets, fleet management, overpass and bridge infrastructure, gravel pit, street clearing and maintenance, sewer infrastructure, public transit system, water and waste systems, police services including a police helicopter.

D2.2 The City has in excess of \$7 billion worth of buildings and contents, including but not limited to parks and cultural facilities, swimming pools, recreation centres, fire/paramedic stations, police stations, arenas, libraries, community centres, golf courses, business offices, museums, pumping stations, landfill, zoo, tax sale properties, parkades, repair facilities, garages, water reservoirs, aqueduct, water treatment plants, railroad, wastewater pollution control centres, skateboard parks, underground concourse, overhead walkways, cemeteries, computer systems and equipment, bridges, a large fleet of unlicensed equipment, etc.

D2.3 The City has three (3) main fleets of approximately 642 buses and 2400 licensed vehicles (including light and heavy vehicles, buses, and fire apparatus).

D2.4 The City has an Insurance Reserve Fund with a forecasted 2022 balance of \$5,020,000

D2.5 The City has an insurance program that includes, but may not be limited to insurance as outlined in Appendix A: Current City of Winnipeg Insurance Policies of this proposal.

D2.6 The City's regular Business Hours are 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM Winnipeg time.

D2.7 The Risk Management Division of The City of Winnipeg is responsible for the insurance portfolio, claims management, claims adjusting, risk management, risk retention (Insurance reserve fund) loss control/prevention and all related matters. The City has a significant self-insured liability and property retention, and completely self-insures its professional, environmental and employment practices exposures. All current policies are renewed on an annual basis.

D2.8 The City sponsors, supports and/or manages several projects for which specific risk management and insurance program structures are required. These projects can be significant and may require solutions unique to the projects, proponents, and partnerships charged with the project management.

D2.9 City of Winnipeg Insurance Policies that are currently in place are listed in Appendix A: Current City of Winnipeg Insurance Policies.

D2.9.1 Appendix A is provided for informational purposes only. The actual Insurance Policies required by the City may change as a result of operational requirements.

#### **D3. SCOPE OF SERVICES**

D3.1 The Work to be done by those listed on the Approved Broker/Advisor Schedule shall, on a selected basis, consist of some or all of:

- (a) General Insurance and Autopac services;
- (b) Risk Management Services;
- (c) Project work including but not limited to Private and Public Partnerships, Design Build Projects, Owner Controlled Insurance Programs, and specific consulting projects as required at the request of the Risk Management Division of The City; and
- (d) Other related services as described in Form N Section (D).

D3.2 The Approved Broker/Advisor Schedule shall be for a period of five (5) years from January 1 2023 to December 31 2027, with the option of one (1) mutually agreed upon one (1) year extension:

D3.2.1 The City may negotiate the extension option with the Proponent within ninety (90) Calendar Days prior to the expiry date of the Contract. The City shall incur no liability to the Proponent as a result of such negotiations.

D3.2.2 Changes resulting from such negotiations shall become effective on January 1 2028. Changes to the Contract shall not be implemented by the Contractor without written approval by the Contract Administrator.

D3.2.3 Proponents are advised that, in future, the City may be participating in collaborative procurement initiatives with other levels of government. Accordingly, extensions to this Contract may not be exercised.

D3.3 Notwithstanding D3.1, the type and quantity of Work to be performed under this Contract is subject to annual approval of monies therefore in a budget by Council. Proponents are advised that monies have been approved for work up to and including December 31, 2022.

D3.1 Notwithstanding D3.1, in the event that operational changes result in substantial changes to the requirements for Work, the City reserves the right to alter the type or quantity of work performed under this Contract, or to terminate the Contract, upon thirty (30) Calendar Days written notice by the Contract Administrator. In such an event, no claim may be made for damages on the ground of loss of anticipated profit on Work.

#### **D4. COOPERATIVE PURCHASE**

D4.1 The Contractor is advised that this is a cooperative purchase.

D4.2 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.

D4.3 The Contract Administrator will notify the Contractor of a potential participant and provide a list of the delivery locations and estimated quantities.

D4.4 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.

D4.5 If any additional delivery charges are identified by the Contractor, the potential participant may accept or decline to participate in the cooperative purchase.

D4.6 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 goods;
- (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 D4.4 and D4.5 will apply.

D4.7 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.

D4.8 No participant shall have the right or authority to effect a change in the Contract, or of any other participant in this Contract.

## D5. DEFINITIONS

D5.1 When used in this Request for Proposal:

- (a) **“Approved Broker/Advisor Schedule”** means those brokers/advisors who are authorized by the City of Winnipeg to act on their behalf as a result of the City’s RFP No. 51-2022 Provision of Insurance and Related Risk Management Services;
- (b) **“Business Day”** means any Calendar Day, other than Saturday, Sunday or a Statutory or Civic Holiday;
- (c) **“Insurance Broker/Advisor”** means any commercial insurance or risk management services provider, regardless of form, including but not limited to agent, broker and direct writer;
- (d) **“Proponent”** means any Person or Persons submitting a Proposal for Services; and
- (e) **“Submission Deadline”** means the time and date set out in Part B: Bidding Procedures for the deadline for receipt of Proposals.

## D6. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR

D6.1 The Contract Administrator is:

Cindy Bauer CIP CRM  
Corporate Risk Manager

Telephone No. 204-986-5252  
Email Address: cbauer@winnipeg.ca

D6.2 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.

## D7. NOTICES

D7.1 Except as provided for in C22.4, all notices, requests, nominations, proposals, consents, approvals, statements, authorizations, documents or other communications to the Contractor shall be sent to the address or facsimile number identified by the Contractor in Paragraph 2 of Form A: Bid/Proposal.

D7.2 All notices, requests, nominations, proposals, consents, approvals, statements, authorizations, documents or other communications to the City, except as expressly otherwise required in, D7.4 or elsewhere in the Contract, shall be sent to the attention of the Contract Administrator identified in D4.

D7.3 All notices, requests, nominations, proposals, consents, approvals, statements, authorizations, documents or other communications required to be submitted or returned to the City Solicitor shall be sent to the following facsimile number:

The City of Winnipeg  
Legal Services Department  
Attn: Director of Legal Services  
Facsimile No.: 204 947-9155

## **D8. ACCESSIBLE CUSTOMER SERVICE REQUIREMENTS**

- D8.1 The Accessibility for Manitobans Act (AMA) imposes obligations on The City of Winnipeg to provide accessible customer service to all persons in accordance with the Customer Service Standard Regulation ("CSSR") to ensure inclusive access and participation for all people who live, work or visit Winnipeg regardless of their abilities.
- D8.1.1 The Contractor agrees to comply with the accessible customer service obligations under the CSSR and further agrees that when providing the Goods or Services or otherwise acting on the City of Winnipeg's behalf, shall comply with all obligations under the AMA applicable to public sector bodies.
- D8.1.2 The accessible customer service obligations include, but are not limited to:
- (a) providing barrier-free access to goods and services;
  - (b) providing reasonable accommodations
  - (c) reasonably accommodating assistive devices, support persons, and support animals;
  - (d) providing accessibility features e.g. ramps, wide aisles, accessible washrooms, power doors and elevators
  - (e) inform the public when accessibility features are not available;
  - (f) providing a mechanism or process for receiving and responding to public feedback on the accessibility of all goods and services; and
  - (g) providing adequate training of staff and documentation of same.

## **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. INSURANCE**

- D10.1 The Contractor shall provide and maintain the following insurance coverage:
- (a) commercial general liability insurance, in the amount of at least two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) inclusive, with The City of Winnipeg added as an additional insured; such liability policy to also contain a cross-liability clause, contractual 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;
  - (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) Professional liability insurance to remain in place at all times during the performance and work and for one (1) year after completion of the Contract. Deductible levels and structure are to be disclosed in the bidder's submission and in all cases be borne by the bidder in the event of a claim. This requirement will form part of the evaluation process in B 20.1
- D9.2 Deductibles shall be borne by the Contractor.
- D9.3 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.

- D9.4 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.
- D9.5 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.
- D9.6 All policies shall be taken out with insurers licensed to and authorized to carry on business in the Province of Manitoba

## **SCHEDULE OF WORK**

### **D11. COMMENCEMENT**

- D11.1 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.
- D11.2 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 insurance specified in D10; and
    - (iii) the direct deposit application form specified in D17.
  - (b) the Contractor has attended a meeting with the Contract Administrator, or the Contract Administrator has waived the requirement for a meeting.
- D11.3 The Contractor shall commence the Work on the Site within seven (7) Working Days of receipt of the notice of award.

### **D12. COVID-19 SCHEDULE DELAYS**

- D12.1 The City acknowledges that the schedule for this Contract may be impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Commencement and progress of the Work shall be performed by the Contractor with due consideration to the health and safety of workers and the public, directives from health authorities and various levels of government and in close consultation with the Contract Administrator.
- D12.2 If the Contractor is delayed in the performance of the Work by reason of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Work schedule may be adjusted by a period of time equal to the time lost due to such delay and costs related to such delay will be determined as identified herein.
- D12.3 A minimum of seven (7) Calendar Days prior to the commencement of Work, the Contractor shall declare whether COVID-19 will affect the start date. The Contractor shall provide sufficient evidence that the delay is directly related to COVID-19, including but not limited to evidence related to availability of staff, availability of Material or work by others.
- D12.4 For any delay related to COVID-19 and identified after Work has commenced, the Contractor shall within seven (7) Calendar Days of becoming aware of the anticipated delay declare the additional delay and shall provide sufficient evidence as indicated in D12.3. Failure to provide this notice will result in no additional time delays being considered by the City.
- D12.5 The Work schedule where applicable, will be adjusted to reflect delays accepted by the Contract Administrator.
- D12.6 Any time or cost implications as a result of COVID-19 and in accordance with the above, as confirmed by the Contract Administrator, shall be documented in accordance with C7.

## CONTROL OF WORK

### D13. DEFICIENCIES

- D13.1 Further to C11.7, the Contract Administrator may order the Contractor to alter or improve his/her methods, to increase or improve his/her Plant, to furnish additional or more suitable Material, or to employ additional or more qualified labour if, at any time, the Contract Administrator determines that:
- (a) the Work is not being, or will likely not be, performed satisfactorily; or
  - (b) progress is not being, or will likely not be, maintained in accordance with the work schedule.

### D14. ORDERS

- D14.1 The Contractor shall provide a local Winnipeg telephone number or a toll-free telephone number at which orders for service may be placed.
- D14.2 The Contractor shall provide a too-free telephone number at which telephone conference calls may be placed, as well as having access to Microsoft Teams.

### D15. RECORDS

- D15.1 The Contractor shall keep detailed records of the services supplied under the Contract.
- D15.2 The Contractor shall record, as a minimum:
- (a) order date(s);
  - (b) service date(s); and
  - (c) description and quantity of services provided.
- D15.3 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a copy of the records for each quarter year within fifteen (15) Calendar Days of a request of the Contract Administrator.

## MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

### D16. INVOICES

- D16.1 Further to C12, the Contractor shall submit an invoice for each portion of work performed 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  
Send Invoices to [CityWpgAP-INVOICES@winnipeg.ca](mailto:CityWpgAP-INVOICES@winnipeg.ca)  
Send Invoice Inquiries to [CityWpgAP-INQUIRIES@winnipeg.ca](mailto:CityWpgAP-INQUIRIES@winnipeg.ca)
- D16.2 Invoices must clearly indicate, as a minimum:
- (a) the City's purchase order number;
  - (b) date the services were completed;
  - (c) type of service provided;
  - (d) the amount payable with GST and MRST shown as separate amounts; and
  - (e) the Contractor's GST registration number.
- D16.3 The City will bear no responsibility for delays in approval of invoices which are improperly submitted.

## **D17. PAYMENT**

D17.1 Further to C12, the City shall make payments to the Contractor by direct deposit to the Contractor's banking institution, and by no other means. Payments will not be made until the Contractor has made satisfactory direct deposit arrangements with the City. Direct deposit application forms are at [https://winnipeg.ca/finance/files/Direct\\_Deposit\\_Form.pdf](https://winnipeg.ca/finance/files/Direct_Deposit_Form.pdf).

## **WARRANTY**

### **D18. WARRANTY**

D18.1 Notwithstanding C13, Warranty does not apply to this Contract.

## **DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

### **D19. DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

D19.1 The entire text of C21.4 is deleted, and amended to read: "Intentionally Deleted"

D19.2 The entire text of C21.5 is deleted, and amended to read:

- (a) If Legal Services has determined that the Disputed Matter may proceed in the Appeal Process, the Contractor must, within ten (10) Business Days of the date of the Legal Services Response Letter, submit his written Appeal Form, in the manner and format set out on the City's Materials Management Website, to the Chief Administrative Officer, and to the Contract Administrator. The Contractor may not raise any other disputes other than the Disputed Matter in his Appeal Form.

D19.3 Further to C21, prior to the Contract Administrator's issuance of a Final Determination, the following informal dispute resolution process shall be followed where the Contractor disagrees with any opinion, determination, or decision of the Contract Administrator ("Dispute"):

- (a) In the event of a Dispute, attempts shall be made by the Contract Administrator and the Contractor's equivalent representative to resolve Disputes within the normal course of project dealings between the Contract Administrator and the Contractor's equivalent representative.
- (b) Disputes which in the reasonable opinion of the Contract Administrator or the Contractor's equivalent representative cannot be resolved within the normal course of project dealings as described above shall be referred to a without prejudice escalating negotiation process consisting of, at a minimum, the position levels as shown below and the equivalent Contractor representative levels:
  - (i) The Contract Administrator;
  - (ii) Supervisory level between the Contract Administrator and applicable Department Head;
  - (iii) Department Head.

D19.3.1 Names and positions of Contractor representatives equivalent to the above City position levels shall be determined by the Contractor and communicated to the City at the pre-commencement or kick off meeting.

D19.3.2 As these negotiations are not an adjudicative hearing, neither party may have legal counsel present during the negotiations.

D19.3.3 Both the City and the Contractor agree to make all reasonable efforts to conduct the above escalating negotiation process within twenty (20) Business Days, unless both parties agree, in writing, to extend that period of time.

D19.3.4 If the Dispute is not resolved to the City and Contractor's mutual satisfaction after discussions have occurred at the final escalated level as described above, or the time period set out in D19.3.3, as extended if applicable, has elapsed, the Contract Administrator will issue a Final Determination as defined in C1.1(v), at which point the parties will be governed by the Dispute Resolution process set out in C21.

## THIRD PARTY AGREEMENTS

### D20. FUNDING AND/OR CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT OBLIGATIONS

- D20.1 In the event that funding for the Work of the Contract is provided to the City of Winnipeg by the Government of Manitoba and/or the Government of Canada, the following terms and conditions shall apply, as required by the applicable funding agreements.
- D20.2 Further to D20.1, in the event that the obligations in D20 apply, actual costs legitimately incurred by the Contractor as a direct result of these obligations ("Funding Costs") shall be determined by the actual cost to the Contractor and not by the valuation method(s) outlined in C7.4. In all other respects Funding Costs will be processed in accordance with Changes in Work under C7.
- D20.3 For the purposes of D20:
- (a) "**Government of Canada**" includes the authorized officials, auditors, and representatives of the Government of Canada; and
  - (b) "**Government of Manitoba**" includes the authorized officials, auditors, and representatives of the Government of Manitoba.
- D20.4 Modified Insurance Requirements
- D20.4.1 Where applicable, the Contractor will be required to provide wrap-up liability insurance in an amount of no less than two million dollars (\$2,000,000) inclusive per occurrence. Such policy will be written in the joint names of the City, Contractor, Consultants and all sub-contractors and sub-consultants and include twelve (12) months completed operations. The Government of Manitoba and its Ministers, officers, employees, and agents shall be added as additional insureds.
- D20.4.2 If applicable the Contractor will be required to provide builders' risk insurance (including boiler and machinery insurance, as applicable) providing all risks coverage at full replacement cost, or such lower level of insurance that the City may identify on a case-by-case basis, such as an installation floater.
- D20.4.3 The Contractor shall obtain and maintain third party liability insurance with minimum coverage of two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) per occurrence on all licensed vehicles operated at the Site. In the event that this requirement conflicts with another licensed vehicle insurance requirement in this Contract, then the requirement that provides the higher level of insurance shall apply.
- D20.4.4 Insurers shall provide satisfactory Certificates of Insurance to the Government of Manitoba prior to commencement of Work as written evidence of the insurance required. The Certificates of Insurance must provide for a minimum of thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the Government of Manitoba in case of insurance cancellation.
- D20.4.5 All policies must be taken out with insurers licensed to carry on business in the Province of Manitoba.
- D20.5 Indemnification By Contractor
- D20.5.1 In addition to the indemnity obligations outlined in C17 of the General Conditions for Services, the Contractor agrees to indemnify and save harmless the Government of Canada and the Government of Manitoba and each of their respective Ministers, officers, servants, employees, and agents from and against all claims and demands, losses, costs, damages, actions, suit or other proceedings brought or pursued in any manner in respect of any matter caused by the Contractor or arising from this Contract or the Work, or from the goods or services provided or required to be provided by the Contractor, except those resulting from the negligence of any of the Government of Canada's or the Government of Manitoba's Ministers, officers, servants, employees, or agents, as the case may be.

- D20.5.2 The Contractor agrees that in no event will Canada or Manitoba, their respective officers, servants, employees or agents be held liable for any damages in contract, tort (including negligence) or otherwise, for:
- (a) any injury to any person, including, but not limited to, death, economic loss or infringement of rights;
  - (b) any damage to or loss or destruction of property of any person; or
  - (c) any obligation of any person, including, but not limited to, any obligation arising from a loan, capital lease or other long term obligation;
- in relation to this Contract or the Work.

## D20.6 Records Retention and Audits

- D20.6.1 The Contractor shall maintain and preserve accurate and complete records in respect of this Contract and the Work, including all accounting records, financial documents, copies of contracts with other parties and other records relating to this Contract and the Work during the term of the Contract and for at least six (6) years after Total Performance. Those records bearing original signatures or professional seals or stamps must be preserved in paper form; other records may be retained in electronic form.

- D20.6.2 In addition to the record keeping and inspection obligations outlined in C6 of the General Conditions for Services, the Contractor shall keep available for inspection and audit at all reasonable times while this Contract is in effect and until at least six (6) years after Total Performance, all records, documents, and contracts referred to in D20.6.1 for inspection, copying and audit by the City of Winnipeg, the Government of Manitoba and/or the Government of Canada and their respective representatives and auditors, and to produce them on demand; to provide reasonable facilities for such inspections, copying and audits, to provide copies of and extracts from such records, documents, or contracts upon request by the City of Winnipeg, the Government of Manitoba, and/or the Government of Canada and their respective representatives and auditors, and to promptly provide such other information and explanations as may be reasonably requested by the City of Winnipeg, the Government of Manitoba, and/or the Government of Canada from time-to-time.

## D20.7 Other Obligations

- D20.7.1 The Contractor consents to the City providing a copy of the Contract Documents to the Government of Manitoba and/or the Government of Canada upon request from either entity.
- D20.7.2 If the Lobbyists Registration Act (Manitoba) applies to the Contractor, the Contractor represents and warrants that it has filed a return and is registered and in full compliance with the obligations of that Act, and covenants that it will continue to comply for the duration of this Contract.
- D20.7.3 The Contractor shall comply with all applicable legislation and standards, whether federal, provincial, or municipal, including (without limitation) labour, environmental, and human rights laws, in the course of providing the Work.
- D20.7.4 The Contractor shall properly account for the Work provided under this Contract and payment received in this respect, prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in effect in Canada, including those principles and standards approved or recommended from time-to-time by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada or the Public Sector Accounting Board, as applicable, applied on a consistent basis.
- D20.7.5 The Contractor represents and warrants that no current or former public servant or public office holder, to whom the Value and Ethics Code for the Public Sector, the Policy on Conflict of Interest and Post Employment, or the Conflict of Interest Act applies, shall derive direct benefit from this Contract, including any employment, payments, or gifts, unless the provision or receipt of such benefits is in compliance with such codes and the legislation.

**D20.7.6** The Contractor represents and warrants that no member of the House of Commons or of the Senate of Canada or of the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba is a shareholder, director or officer of the Contractor or of a Subcontractor, and that no such member is entitled to any benefits arising from this Contract or from a contract with the Contractor or a Subcontractor concerning the Work.