



**THE CITY OF WINNIPEG**

# **TENDER**

**TENDER NO. 708-2025**

**WOODBINE AVENUE WASTEWATER SEWER REPLACEMENT**

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## **PART B - BIDDING PROCEDURES**

### **B1. CONTRACT TITLE**

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### **B2. SUBMISSION DEADLINE**

B2.1 The Submission Deadline is 12:00 noon Winnipeg time August 27, 2025.

B2.2 The Contract Administrator or the Manager of Purchasing 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 view the Site without making an appointment.

B3.2 The Bidder/Proponent is responsible for inspecting the Site, the nature of the Work to be done and all conditions that might affect their Bid/Proposal or their performance of the Work, and shall assume all risk for conditions existing or arising in the course of the Work which have been or could have been determined through such inspection.

### **B4. ENQUIRIES**

B4.1 All enquiries shall be directed to the Contract Administrator identified in D6.1.

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 notify the Contract Administrator of the error, discrepancy or omission, or request a clarification as to the meaning or intent of the provision 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.

B4.5 The Bidder shall not be entitled to rely on any response or interpretation received pursuant to B4 unless that response or interpretation is provided by the Contract Administrator in writing.

B4.6 Any enquiries concerning submitting through MERX should be addressed to:  
MERX Customer Support  
Phone: 1-800-964-6379  
Email: merx@merx.com

### **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 MERX website at [www.merx.com](http://www.merx.com).
- B6.4 The Bidder is responsible for ensuring that they have 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 Bidder shall acknowledge receipt of each addendum in Paragraph 10 of Form A: Bid/Proposal. Failure to acknowledge receipt of an addendum may render a Bid non-responsive.
- B6.6 Notwithstanding B4, 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 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 proposed work schedule and the dates specified in the Supplemental Conditions for Substantial Performance and 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 Substantial Performance and Total Performance.

- B7.5 The Contract Administrator, after assessing the request for approval of a substitute, may in their 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 they wish 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 their 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 B18.
- 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 COMPONENTS**

- B8.1 The Bid shall consist of the following components:
- (a) Form A: Bid/Proposal;
  - (b) Form B: Prices;
  - (c) Form G1: Bid Bond and Agreement to Bond.
- B8.2 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.
- B8.3 The Bid shall be submitted electronically through MERX at [www.merx.com](http://www.merx.com).
- B8.3.1 Bids will **only** be accepted electronically through MERX.
- B8.4 Bidders are advised that inclusion of terms and conditions inconsistent with the Tender document, including the General Conditions, will be evaluated in accordance with B18.1(a).

## **B9. BID**

- B9.1 The Bidder 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 Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in their own name, their 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 their 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/Proposal, the Bidder shall identify a contact person who is authorized to represent the Bidder for purposes of the Bid.
- B9.4 Paragraph 13 of Form A: Bid/Proposal shall be signed in accordance with the following requirements:
- (a) if the Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in their 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 their duly authorized officer or officers;
  - (d) if the Bidder is carrying on business under a name other than their 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 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 Prices stated on Form B: Prices shall not include any costs which may be incurred by the Contractor with respect to any applicable funding agreement obligations as outlined in D35. Any such costs shall be determined in accordance with D35.
- 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).
- B10.5 The Bidder shall enter the Total Bid Price from Form B: Prices into the Total Bid Price field in MERX.
- B10.5.1 Bidders are advised that the calculation indicated in B18.4 will prevail over the Total Bid Price entered in MERX.

## **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) Tri-Core Projects Ltd. – Constructability query.



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

- B12.1** Further to C3.2, 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:
- (i) exercise an improper influence over the objective, unbiased and impartial exercise of the independent judgment of the City with respect to the evaluation of Bids or award of the Contract; or
  - (ii) compromise, impair or be incompatible with the effective performance of a Bidder's obligations under the Contract;
- (e) has contractual or other obligations to the City that could or would be seen to have been compromised or impaired as a result of their 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 their 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 their 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 their 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 their 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 their sole discretion:
- (a) disqualify a Bidder that fails to disclose a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest of the Bidder or any of their employees proposed for the Work;
  - (b) require the removal or replacement of any employees proposed for the Work that has a perceived, actual or potential Conflict of Interest that the City, in their 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 their 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 their 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; 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, Purchasing Division website at <https://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Templates/files/debar.pdf>

B13.3 The Bidder and/or any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:

- (a) have successfully carried out work similar in nature, scope and value to the Work; and
- (b) be fully capable of performing the Work required to be in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract; and
- (c) have a written workplace safety and health program if required pursuant to The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba);
- (d) have completed the Accessible Customer Service online training required by the Accessibility for Manitobans Act (AMA) (see B13.6 and D8)

B13.4 Further to B13.1(a), the Bidder and/or any proposed Subcontractor undertaking the manhole construction must be able to demonstrate the following qualifications. Senior project site personnel (foremen, superintendents, or similar) which can demonstrate the following qualifications will be considered when evaluating the qualifications of the Bidder or Subcontractor:

- (a) A minimum of one (1) successful installation of shoring within close proximity (within two (2) metres) to critical water pipelines (feeder mains or aqueducts). See E14.

B13.5 Further to B13.3(c), the Bidder shall, within five (5) Business Days of a request by the Contract Administrator, provide proof satisfactory to the Contract Administrator that the Bidder/Subcontractor has a workplace safety and health program meeting the requirements of The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba), by providing:

- (a) Written confirmation of a safety and health certification meeting SAFE Work Manitoba's SAFE Work Certified Standard (e.g., COR™ and SECOR™) in the form of:
  - (i) a copy of their valid Manitoba COR certificate and Letter of Good Standing (or Manitoba equivalency) as issued under the Certificate of Recognition (COR) Program administered by the Construction Safety Association of Manitoba or by the Manitoba Heavy Construction Association's WORKSAFELY™ COR™ Program; or
  - (ii) a copy of their valid Manitoba SECOR™ certificate and Letter of Good Standing (or Manitoba equivalency) as issued under the Small Employer Certificate of Recognition Program (SECOR™) administered by the Construction Safety

Association of Manitoba or by the Manitoba Heavy Construction Association's WORKSAFELY™ COR™ Program; or

- (b) a report or letter to that effect from an independent reviewer acceptable to the City. A list of acceptable reviewers and the review template are available at <http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Safety/default.stm>.

- B13.6 Further to B13.3(d), the Bidder acknowledges that they and all Subcontractors have obtained training required by the Accessibility for Manitobans Act (AMA) available at <https://accessibilitymb.ca/resources-events-and-training/online-training.html> for anyone that may have any interaction with the public on behalf of the City of Winnipeg.
- B13.7 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.
- B13.8 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. BID SECURITY**

- B14.1 The Bidder shall include in their Bid Submission bid security in the form of a digital bid bond, in the amount of at least ten percent (10%) of the Total Bid Price, and agreement to bond of a company registered to conduct the business of a surety in Manitoba, in Form G1: Bid Bond and Agreement to Bond, available: <https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4929/>.
- B14.2 Bid security shall be submitted in a digital format meeting the following criteria:
- (a) The version submitted by the Bidder must have valid digital signatures and seals;
  - (b) The version submitted by the Bidder must be verifiable by the City with respect to the totality and wholeness of the bond form, including: the content; all digital signatures and digital seals; with the surety company, or an approved verification service provider of the surety company.
  - (c) The version submitted must be viewable, printable and storable in standard electronic file formats compatible with the City, and in a single file. Allowable formats include pdf.
  - (d) The verification may be conducted by the City immediately or at any time during the life of the bond and at the discretion of the City with no requirement for passwords or fees.
  - (e) The results of the verification must provide a clear, immediate and printable indication of pass or fail regarding B14.2(a).
- B14.3 Bonds failing the verification process will not be considered to be valid and the bid shall be determined to be non-responsive in accordance with B18.1(a).
- B14.4 Bonds passing the verification process will be treated as original and authentic.
- B14.4.1 If the Bidder submits alternative bids, the bid security shall be in the amount of the specified percentage of the highest Total Bid Price submitted.
- B14.5 The bid security of the successful Bidder and the next two lowest evaluated responsive and responsible Bidders will be released by the City when a Contract for the Work has been duly formed with the successful Bidder and the contract securities are furnished as provided herein. The bid securities of all other Bidders will be released when a Contract is awarded.
- B14.6 The bid securities of all Bidders will be released by the City as soon as practicable following notification by the Contract Administrator to the Bidders that no award of Contract will be made pursuant to the Tender.

**B15. OPENING OF BIDS AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION**

- B15.1 Bids will not be opened publicly.
- B15.2 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 MERX website at [www.merx.com](http://www.merx.com).
- B15.3 After award of Contract, the name(s) of the successful Bidder(s) and their Contract amount(s) will be available on the MERX website at [www.merx.com](http://www.merx.com).
- B15.4 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).
- B15.4.1 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.

**B16. IRREVOCABLE BID**

- B16.1 The Bid(s) submitted by the Bidder 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 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 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 BIDS**

- B17.1 A Bidder may withdraw their Bid without penalty at any time prior to the Submission Deadline.

**B18. EVALUATION OF BIDS**

- B18.1 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 there from (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.
- B18.2 Further to B18.1(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.
- B18.3 Further to B18.1(b), the Award Authority shall reject any Bid submitted by a Bidder who does not demonstrate, in their Bid or in other information required to be submitted, that they are qualified.
- B18.4 Further to B18.1(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.
- B18.4.1 Bidders are advised that the calculation indicated in B18.4 will prevail over the Total Bid Price entered in MERX.

- B18.4.2 Further to B18.1(a), in the event that a unit price is not provided on Form B: Prices, the City may determine the unit price by dividing the Amount (extended price) by the approximate quantity, for the purposes of evaluation and payment.

**B19. AWARD OF CONTRACT**

- B19.1 The City will give notice of the award of the Contract or will give notice that no award will be made.
- B19.2 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.
- B19.2.1 Without limiting the generality of B19.2, 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 their own forces;
  - (d) only one Bid is received; or
  - (e) in the judgment of the Award Authority, the interests of the City would best be served by not awarding a Contract.
- B19.3 The Work of this Contract is contingent upon Council approval of sufficient funding in the 2025 Capital Budget. If the Capital Budget approved by Council does not include sufficient funding for the Work, the City will have no obligation to award a Contract.
- B19.4 If funding for the Work is provided to the City of Winnipeg by the Government of Manitoba and/or the Government of Canada, Bidders are advised that the terms of D35 shall immediately take effect upon confirmation of such funding, regardless of when funding is confirmed.
- B19.5 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 B18.
- B19.5.1 Following the award of contract, a Bidder will be provided with information related to the evaluation of their Bid upon written request to the Contract Administrator.

## PART C - GENERAL CONDITIONS

### C0. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- C0.1 The *General Conditions for Construction* (Revision 2020-01-31) are applicable to the Work of the Contract.
- C0.1.1 The *General Conditions for Construction* are available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Purchasing 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 Tender to a section, clause or subclause with the prefix “C” designates a section, clause or subclause in the *General Conditions for Construction*.

## PART D - SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS

### GENERAL

#### D1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

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

#### D2. FORM OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- D2.1 Notwithstanding C4.1(c) and C4.4, the Contract Documents will be provided to the Contractor electronically and there will be no requirement for execution and return to the City by the Contractor. Accordingly, the provisions under C4.4(a) and C4.4(b) are no longer applicable.

#### D3. SCOPE OF WORK

- D3.1 The Work to be done under the Contract shall consist of the trenchless installation of a new wastewater sewer on Woodbine Avenue at Main Street, abandonment of a section of the existing Woodbine Avenue wastewater sewer, partial demolition and modification of manhole S-MH00000443 complete with new drop structure. The existing wastewater sewer on Woodbine Avenue is partially collapsed between manhole S-MH00000444 and the connection to the Interceptor pipe on Main Street. The purpose of the project is to replace the failing wastewater sewer on Woodbine Avenue.
- D3.2 The major components of the Work are as follows:
- (a) Temporary flow diversion and implementation of flow control measures.
  - (b) Installation of approximately 15 m of new 250 mm wastewater sewer.
  - (c) Partial demolition of the existing manhole S-MH00000443 on the Main Street Interceptor and installation of new riser sections to accommodate the connection of the new 250 mm wastewater on Woodbine Avenue to the Main Street Interceptor.
  - (d) Connection of new 250 mm wastewater sewer to manhole S-MH00000444 on Woodbine Avenue.
  - (e) Abandonment of existing 250 mm wastewater sewer on Woodbine Avenue between manhole S-MH00000444 and the Main Street Interceptor.
  - (f) Surface restoration and related works.

#### D4. SITE INVESTIGATION DUE DILIGENCE AND RISK

- D4.1 Notwithstanding C3.1, the Contractor acknowledges that the site investigation reports and other site information included in this Tender have been provided to it and may be relied upon by the Contractor to the extent that the Contractor uses Good Industry Practice in interpreting such report(s) and site information and carries out the Work in accordance with Good Industry Practice based upon such report(s) and the information contained in them and such other site information. In the event that a site condition related to:
- (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 Site conditions, including but not limited to subsurface hazardous materials or other concealed physical conditions;
  - (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 the performance of the Work;
- that could not have been “properly inferable”, “readily apparent” and readily discoverable” using Good Industry Practice by the Contractor, results in additional Work which is a direct result of this newly discovered site condition, such additional Work will be considered by the City under Changes in Work.

## **D5. DEFINITIONS**

D5.1 When used in this Tender:

- (a) **“Payment Certification”** means the Contract Administrator’s statement of the sums certified to be paid by the City to the Contractor with reference to its interim and final progress estimates and/or the Contractor’s Proper Invoice;
- (b) **“Proper Invoice”** means the definition within *The Builders’ Liens Act*, R.S.M. 1987, c. B91 and any subsequent amendments thereto, and also includes the criteria to be included in an invoice, as set out in the Measurement and Payment provisions of the Contract;
- (c) **“Supply Chain Disruption”** means an inability by the Contractor to obtain goods or services from third parties necessary to perform the Work of the Contract within the schedule specified therein, despite the Contractor making all reasonable commercial efforts to procure same. Contractors are advised that increased costs do not, in and of themselves, amount to a Supply Chain Disruption;
- (d) **“The Builders’ Liens Act”** or **“the BLA”** means *The Builders’ Liens Act*, R.S.M. 1987, c. B91 and any subsequent amendments thereto.

## **D6. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR**

D6.1 The Contract Administrator is AECOM Canada ULC, represented by:

Jordan Thompson, P. Eng.  
Municipal Engineer

Telephone No. 204-477-5381  
Email Address [jordan.thompson@aecom.com](mailto:jordan.thompson@aecom.com)

D6.2 At the pre-construction meeting, Mr. Thompson will identify additional personnel representing the Contract Administrator and their respective roles and responsibilities for the Work.

## **D7. CONTRACTOR'S SUPERVISOR**

D7.1 At the pre-construction meeting, the Contractor shall identify their designated supervisor and any additional personnel representing the Contractor and their respective roles and responsibilities for the Work.

## **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.

## **D9. SUPPLIER CODE OF CONDUCT**

- D9.1 The Contractor has reviewed and understands the City's Supplier Code of Conduct. This document is located at: <https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4891>
- D9.2 The Contractor agrees to comply with the Supplier Code of Conduct as it may be amended or replaced from time to time. The Contractor is responsible for periodically checking the above link for updates to the Supplier Code of Conduct. Contract signature on Form A: Bid/Proposal from the Contractor signifies agreement to the Supplier Code of Conduct which comes into effect once the Contract starts.
- D9.3 If there is a conflict between the Contract and the Supplier Code of Conduct – the Contract will prevail.

## **D10. UNFAIR LABOUR PRACTICES**

- D10.1 Further to C3.2, the Contractor declares that in bidding for the Work and in entering into this Contract, the Contractor and any proposed Subcontractor(s) conduct their respective business in accordance with established international codes embodied in United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) <https://www.un.org/en/about-us/universal-declaration-of-human-rights> International Labour Organization (ILO) [https://www.ilo.org/global/lang--en/index.htm](https://www.ilo.org/global/lang-en/index.htm) conventions as ratified by Canada.
- D10.2 The City of Winnipeg is committed and requires its Contractors and their Subcontractors, to be committed to upholding and promoting international human and labour rights, including fundamental principles and rights at work covered by ILO eight (8) fundamental conventions and the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights which includes child and forced labour.
- D10.3 Upon request from the Contract Administrator, the Contractor shall provide disclosure of the sources (by company and country) of the raw materials used in the Work and a description of the manufacturing environment or processes (labour unions, minimum wages, safety, etc.).
- D10.4 Failure to provide the evidence required under D10.3, may be determined to be an event of default in accordance with C18.
- D10.5 In the event that the City, in its sole discretion, determines the Contractor to have violated the requirements of this section, it will be considered a fundamental breach of the Contract and the Contractor shall pay to the City a sum specified by the Contract Administrator in writing ("Unfair Labour Practice Penalty"). Such a violation shall also be considered an Event of Default, and shall entitle the City to pursue all other remedies it is entitled to in connection with same pursuant to the Contract.
- D10.5.1 The Unfair Labour Practice Penalty shall be such a sum as determined appropriate by the City, having due regard to the gravity of the Contractor's violation of the above requirements, any cost of obtaining replacement goods/ services or rectification of the

breach, and the impact upon the City's reputation in the eyes of the public as a result of same.

D10.5.2 The Contractor shall pay the Unfair Labour Practice Penalty to the City within thirty (30) Calendar Days of receiving a demand for same in accordance with D10.5. The City may also hold back the amount of the Unfair Labour Practice Penalty from payment for any amount it owes the Contractor.

D10.5.3 The obligations and rights conveyed by this clause survive the expiry or termination of this Contract, and may be exercised by the City following the performance of the Work, should the City determine, that a violation by the Contractor of the above clauses has occurred following same. In no instance shall the Unfair Labour Practice Penalty exceed the total of twice the Contract value.

#### **D11. FURNISHING OF DOCUMENTS**

D11.1 Upon award of the Contract, the Contractor will be provided with 'issued for construction' Contract Documents electronically, including Drawings in PDF format only.

#### **SUBMISSIONS**

#### **D12. AUTHORITY TO CARRY ON BUSINESS**

D12.1 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.

#### **D13. SAFE WORK PLAN**

D13.1 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.

D13.2 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, Purchasing Division website at <http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Safety/default.stm>

D13.3 Notwithstanding B13.4 at any time during the term of the Contract, the City may, at their sole discretion and acting reasonably, require an updated COR Certificate or Annual Letter of good Standing. A Contractor, who fails to provide a satisfactory COR Certificate or Annual Letter of good Standing, will not be permitted to continue to perform any Work.

#### **D14. INSURANCE**

D14.1 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, with a cross-liability clause, such liability policy to also contain contractual liability, unlicensed motor vehicle liability, non-owned automobile liability, broad form property damage cover and products and completed operations, 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 Work. 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) an all risks Installation Floater carrying adequate limits to cover all machinery, equipment, supplies and/or materials intended to enter into and form part of any installation.

D14.2 Deductibles shall be borne by the Contractor.

D14.3 The Contractor shall provide the City Solicitor 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 but in no event later than the date specified in C4.1 for the return of the executed Contract Documents, as applicable.

D14.4 The Contractor shall not cancel, materially alter, or cause each policy to lapse without providing at least thirty (30) Calendar Days prior written notice to the Contract Administrator.

## **D15. CONTRACT SECURITY**

D15.1 The Contractor shall provide and maintain the performance bond and the labour and material payment bond until the expiration of the warranty period in the form of:

- (a) a performance bond of a company registered to conduct the business of a surety in Manitoba, in the amount of fifty percent (50%) of the Contract Price; and
- (b) labour and material payment bond of a company registered to conduct the business of a surety in Manitoba, in an amount equal to fifty percent (50%) of the Contract Price.

D15.1.1 Bonds are available at:

- (a) Performance Bond <https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4928/>
  - (i) Performance Bond – Schedule A - Form of Notice  
<https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4831/>
  - (ii) Performance Bond – Schedule B – Surety's Acknowledgement  
<https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4832/>
  - (iii) Performance Bond – Schedule C – Surety's Position  
<https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4833/>
- (b) Labour & Material Payment Bond <https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4930/>
  - (i) L&M Bond – Schedule A – Notice of Claim  
<https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4834/>
  - (ii) L&M Bond – Schedule B – Acknowledgement of a Notice  
<https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4835/>
  - (iii) L&M Bond – Schedule C – Surety's Position  
<https://www.winnipeg.ca/media/4836/>

D15.1.2 Where the contract security is a performance bond, it may be submitted in hard copy or digital format. If submitted in digital format the contract security must meet the following criteria:

- (a) the version submitted by the Contractor must have valid digital signatures and seals;
- (b) the version submitted by the Contractor must be verifiable by the City with respect to the totality and wholeness of the bond form, including: the content; all digital signatures and digital seals; with the surety company, or an approved verification service provider of the surety company.
- (c) the version submitted must be viewable, printable and storable in standard electronic file formats compatible with the City, and in a single file. Allowable formats include pdf.
- (d) the verification may be conducted by the City immediately or at any time during the life of the bond and at the discretion of the City with no requirement for passwords or fees.

- (e) the results of the verification must provide a clear, immediate and printable indication of pass or fail regarding D15.1(b).

D15.1.3 Digital bonds failing the verification process will not be considered to be valid and may be determined to be an event of default in accordance with C18.1. If a digital bond fails the verification process, the Contractor may provide a replacement bond (in hard copy or digital format) within seven (7) Calendar Days of the City's request or within such greater period of time as the City in their discretion, exercised reasonably, allows.

D15.1.4 Digital bonds passing the verification process will be treated as original and authentic.

D15.2 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator identified in D6 with the required performance and labour and material payment bonds within seven (7) Calendar Days of notification of the award of the Contract by way of an award letter and 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.

D15.3 The Contractor shall, as soon as practicable after entering into a contract with a Subcontractor:

- (a) give the Subcontractor written notice of the existence of the labour and material payment bond in D15.1(b); and
- (b) post a notice of the bond and/or a copy of that bond in a conspicuous location at the Site of the Work.

#### **D16. SUBCONTRACTOR LIST**

D16.1 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a complete list of the Subcontractors whom the Contractor proposes to engage (Form J: Subcontractor List) at least two (2) Business Days prior to the commencement of any Work on the Site but in no event later than the date specified in the General Conditions for the return of the executed Contract Documents, if applicable.

#### **D17. EQUIPMENT LIST**

D17.1 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a complete list of the equipment which the Contractor proposes to utilize (Form K: Equipment List) at least two (2) 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.

#### **D18. DETAILED WORK SCHEDULE**

D18.1 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a detailed work schedule at least two (2) 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.

D18.2 The detailed work schedule shall consist of the following:

- (a) a critical path method (C.P.M.) schedule for the Work;
  - (b) a Gantt chart for the Work based on the C.P.M. schedule;
- all acceptable to the Contract Administrator.

D18.3 Further to D18.2(a), the C.P.M. schedule shall clearly identify the start and completion dates of all of the following activities/tasks making up the Work as well as showing those activities/tasks on the critical path.

- (a) Commencement Date
- (b) Mobilization
- (c) Traffic and Work Site Staging
- (d) Implementation of temporary flow diversion and control measures

- (e) Exposure/daylighting of existing utilities and Feeder Main
- (f) Excavation, shoring, and partial demolition of existing manhole on the Main Street Interceptor. Lowering of surcharge in the Interceptor sewer is required, by others.
- (g) Installation of new wastewater sewer
- (h) Installation of new manhole sections on the existing Main Street Interceptor manhole
- (i) Backfill
- (j) Surface Restorations
- (k) Substantial Performance
- (l) Total Performance

D18.4 Further to D18.2(b), the Gantt chart shall show the time on a weekly basis, required to carry out the Work of each trade, or specification division. The time shall be on the horizontal axis, and the type of trade shall be on the vertical axis.

#### **D19. REQUIREMENTS FOR SITE ACCESSIBILITY PLAN**

D19.1 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with an Accessibility 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.

D19.2 The Accessibility Plan shall demonstrate how the Contractor will accommodate the safe passage of pedestrians and cyclists in accordance with the Manual of Temporary Traffic Control, the Contract Drawings, Staging Plans, and Streets By-Law No. 1481/77 at all times for the duration of the Construction. Unless noted in the Contract, the Accessibility Plan must include a written plan for the following:

- (a) How the Contractor will maintain at least one crossing in each direction for each intersection (one north/south crosswalk and one east/west crosswalk).
- (b) How the Contractor will maintain access to bus stops within the site.
- (c) How the Contractor will maintain access to pedestrian corridors and half signals.
- (d) How the Contractor will maintain cycling facilities.
- (e) How the Contractor will maintain access to residents and businesses unless otherwise noted in the Contract.
- (f) Any required detour signage at adjacent crossings to facilitate sidewalk or active transportation pathway closures.

D19.3 The Accessibility Plan may also include figures, sketches, or drawings to demonstrate the proposed plan.

D19.4 The Accessibility Plan shall include written details on how the Contractor intends to review, maintain, and document all items related to the Accessibility Plan on-site during Construction, including, but not limited to:

- (a) Signage
- (b) Temporary Ramping
- (c) Transit Stops
- (d) Detour Signage

D19.5 At minimum, the Contractor shall review the site conditions on a daily basis to ensure that all features related to the Accessibility Plan are in place. The site review is intended to correct deficiencies as a result of unforeseen events such as wind, traffic, or the general public. Deficiencies that are direct result of the Contractors actions must be corrected immediately.

D19.6 Any changes to the Accessibility Plan must be approved by the Contract Administrator.

- D19.7 Upon request from the Contract Administrator, the Contractor shall provide records demonstrating that the site has been maintained.
- D19.8 Deficiencies as a direct result of actions by the Contractor that are not immediately corrected and/or failure to produce records that demonstrate that the site was maintained in compliance with the Accessibility Plan may result in a pay adjustment via the monthly Progress Payment. The rate of pay adjustment will be as per the following schedule:
- (a) First Offence – A warning will be issued and documented in the weekly or bi-weekly site meeting.
  - (b) Second Offence – A field instruction to immediately correct the site will be issued by the Contract Administrator.
- D19.9 Third and subsequent Offences – A pay reduction will be issued in the amount of \$250.00 per instance and per day.

## **SCHEDULE OF WORK**

### **D20. COMMENCEMENT**

- D20.1 The Contractor shall not commence any Work until they are in receipt of an award letter from the Award Authority authorizing the commencement of the Work.
- D20.2 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 D12;
    - (ii) evidence of the workers compensation coverage specified in C6.15;
    - (iii) the Safe Work Plan specified in D13;
    - (iv) evidence of the insurance specified in D14;
    - (v) the contract security specified in D15;
    - (vi) the Subcontractor list specified in D16;
    - (vii) the equipment list specified in D17;
    - (viii) the Requirements for Site Accessibility Plan specified in D19; and
    - (ix) the direct deposit application form specified in D30
  - (b) the Contractor has attended a pre-construction meeting with the Contract Administrator, or the Contract Administrator has waived the requirement for a pre-construction meeting.
- D20.3 The City intends to award this Contract by September 24, 2025.
- D20.3.1 If the actual date of award is later than the intended date, the dates specified for Critical Stages, Substantial Performance, and Total Performance will be adjusted by the difference between the aforementioned intended and actual dates.

### **D21. WORKING DAYS**

- D21.1 Further to C1.1(tt), the Contract Administrator's determination of whether or not atmospheric and Site conditions are such that a Working Day is deemed to have elapsed may be based at one time on one type of work while at another time a Working Day may be based on another type of work. When more than one type of major work is involved, the quantity of equipment that must be able to work in order to meet the requirements of a Working Day may vary considerably from that specified in the General Conditions.
- D21.2 In the event that incidental work is behind schedule which, in the opinion of the Contract Administrator, should have been or could have been carried out by the Contractor in conjunction with or immediately following work of a major type, the City hereby reserves the right to charge Working Days on the incidental work until such time as it is up to schedule.

- D21.3 When the major type of work involves restoration of the site to the condition it was prior to rainfall, Working Days shall not be charged.
- D21.4 The Contract Administrator will furnish the Contractor with a daily record for each major type of work showing various information concerning the equipment, the time it worked, could have worked and Working Days charged. This report is to be signed each day by an authorized representative of the Contractor.

## **D22. SCHEDULE RESTRICTIONS**

- D22.1 The schedule shall be developed such that connection to the existing interceptor system are undertaken during dry weather flow periods, which occurs during cold months when freezing conditions are prevalent and the likelihood of encountering rainfall and surface runoff events is reduced (October through March), or during periods where wet weather is not anticipated, forecast or occurring.
- D22.2 NEWPCC Pumping Operations
- D22.2.1 Water levels within the Main Street interceptor sewer are partially controlled by pump operations at the downstream NEWPCC. Upon request from the Contractor, the City will endeavour to lower water levels within the downstream interceptor system, within their available means to do so, through modifying the NEWPCC pumping operations.
- D22.2.2 Scheduling of modified NEWPCC pumping operations will be based on a number of factors, including routine maintenance and repair work, sewer flows, weather, etc. The City shall endeavour to make the requested time periods available to the Contractor to schedule his Work, without limiting the City's control over the operation of the regional collection system to complete other work, maintain adequate system service, and maintain the integrity of the infrastructure. The City shall reserve the right to cancel and/or delay the scheduled dates at any time due to any circumstances that could adversely affect the collection system operation, including but not limited to high water demand, abnormal weather, failures of related collection system components, operational concerns at the NEWPCC, and/or security concerns.
- D22.2.3 The Contractor shall provide any request to the Contract Administrator, in writing, a minimum of fifteen (15) Business Days in advance of the proposed date. The City will endeavour to schedule the shutdown as requested, pursuant to D22.2.2.
- D22.2.4 Scheduling restrictions for modified NEWPCC pumping operations:
- (a) Duration of modified pumping operations shall be reduced as much as practicable to complete the work, to a maximum of fourteen (14) Calendar Days.
  - (b) Work within the Main Street Interceptor, requiring implementation of flow control measures, shall be completed in accordance with D22.1.

## **D23. SUBSTANTIAL PERFORMANCE**

- D23.1 The Contractor shall achieve Substantial Performance within thirty (30) consecutive Working Days of the commencement of the Work as specified in D20, or November 28, 2025, whichever comes first.
- D23.2 When the Contractor considers the Work to be substantially performed, the Contractor shall arrange, attend and assist in the inspection of the Work with the Contract Administrator for purposes of verifying Substantial Performance. Any defects or deficiencies in the Work noted during that inspection shall be remedied by the Contractor at the earliest possible instance and the Contract Administrator notified so that the Work can be reinspected.
- D23.3 The date on which the Work has been certified by the Contract Administrator as being substantially performed to the requirements of the Contract through the issue of a certificate of Substantial Performance is the date on which Substantial Performance has been achieved.

## **D24. TOTAL PERFORMANCE**

- D24.1 The Contractor shall achieve Total Performance within forty (40) consecutive Working Days of the commencement of the Work as specified in D20, or June 15, 2026, whichever comes first.
- D24.2 When the Contractor or the Contract Administrator considers the Work to be totally performed, the Contractor shall arrange, attend and assist in the inspection of the Work with the Contract Administrator for purposes of verifying Total Performance. Any defects or deficiencies in the Work noted during that inspection shall be remedied by the Contractor at the earliest possible instance and the Contract Administrator notified so that the Work can be reinspected.
- D24.3 The date on which the Work has been certified by the Contract Administrator as being totally performed to the requirements of the Contract through the issue of a certificate of Total Performance is the date on which Total Performance has been achieved.

## **D25. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES**

- D25.1 If the Contractor fails to achieve Substantial Performance or Total Performance in accordance with the Contract by the days fixed herein for same, the Contractor shall pay the City the following amounts per Working Day for each and every Working Day following the days fixed herein for same during which such failure continues:
- (a) Substantial Performance – Two Thousand Three Hundred dollars (\$2,300);
  - (b) Total Performance – One Thousand dollars (\$1,000).
- D25.2 The amounts specified for liquidated damages in D25.1 are based on a genuine pre-estimate of the City's losses in the event that the Contractor does not achieve, Critical Stages, Substantial Performance or Total Performance by the days fixed herein for same.
- D25.3 The City may reduce any payment to the Contractor by the amount of any liquidated damages assessed.

## **D26. SUPPLY CHAIN DISRUPTION SCHEDULE DELAYS**

- D26.1 The City acknowledges that the schedule for this Contract may be impacted by the Supply Chain Disruption. Commencement and progress of the Work shall be performed by the Contractor with due consideration to the delivery requirements and schedule identified in the Contract in close consultation with the Contract Administrator.
- D26.2 If the Contractor is delayed in the performance of the Work by reason of the Supply Chain Disruption, 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.
- D26.3 A minimum of seven (7) Calendar Days prior to the commencement of Work, the Contractor shall declare whether a Supply Chain Disruption will affect the start date. The Contractor shall provide sufficient evidence that the delay is directly related to a Supply Chain Disruption, including but not limited to ordering of Material or Goods, production and/or manufacturing schedules or availability of staff as appropriate.
- D26.4 For any delay related to Supply Chain Disruption 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 D26.3. Failure to provide this notice will result in no additional time delays being considered by the City.
- D26.5 The Work schedule, including the durations identified in D23 to D24 where applicable, will be adjusted to reflect delays accepted by the Contract Administrator. No additional payment will be made for adjustment of schedules except where seasonal work, not previously identified in the Contract, is carried over to the following construction season.



- D26.6 Where Work not previously identified is being carried over solely as a result of delays related to Supply Chain Disruption, as confirmed by the Contract Administrator, the cost of temporary works to maintain the Work in a safe manner until Work recommences, will be considered by the Contract Administrator. Where the Work is carried over only partially due to Supply Chain Disruption, a partial consideration of the cost of temporary works will be considered by the Contract Administrator.
- D26.7 Any time or cost implications as a result of Supply Chain Disruption and in accordance with the above, as confirmed by the Contract Administrator, shall be documented in accordance with C7.

## **CONTROL OF WORK**

### **D27. JOB MEETINGS**

- D27.1 Regular weekly job meetings will be held at the Site. These meetings shall be attended by a minimum of one representative of the Contract Administrator, one representative of the City and one representative of the Contractor. Each representative shall be a responsible person capable of expressing the position of the Contract Administrator, the City and the Contractor respectively on any matter discussed at the meeting including the Work schedule and the need to make any revisions to the Work schedule. The progress of the Work will be reviewed at each of these meetings.
- D27.2 The Contract Administrator reserves the right to cancel any job meeting or call additional job meetings whenever they deem it necessary.

### **D28. PRIME CONTRACTOR – THE WORKPLACE SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT (MANITOBA)**

- D28.1 Further to C6.26, the Contractor shall be the Prime Contractor and shall serve as, and have the duties of the Prime Contractor in accordance with The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba).

### **D29. THE WORKPLACE SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT (MANITOBA) – QUALIFICATIONS**

- D29.1 Further to B13.4, the Contractor/Subcontractor must, throughout the term of the Contract, have a Workplace Safety and Health Program meeting the requirements of The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba). At any time during the term of the Contract, the City may, at their sole discretion and acting reasonably, require updated proof of compliance, as set out in B13.4.

## **INVOICES & MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT**

### **D30. MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT**

- D30.1 C12.2 is deleted and replaced with the following:
- C12.2 The amounts to be paid by the City to the Contractor shall be as set out in the Payment Certification. In the event the Payment Certification does not align with the Contractor's Proper Invoice and payment by the City to the Contractor is not made, or not going to be made, for the invoiced amount within 28 Calendar Days of receipt of the Proper Invoice, the City will issue a notice of non-payment to the Contractor in accordance with the BLA.
- C12.2.1 For unit price Contracts, such sums shall be determined by the Contract Administrator upon the basis of the unit prices for the various classes of the Work stated on Form B: Prices. The total amount to be paid to the Contractor for the Work will be the amount arrived at by measuring the amount of each class of the Work listed on Form B: Prices and performed in accordance with the Contract, and pricing the same, in accordance with the unit prices stated thereon.

C12.2.2 For lump sum Contracts, such sums shall be determined by the Contract Administrator upon the basis of the lump sum price stated on Form B: Prices, if applicable, but in any event the lump sum price broken down into the percentage completed for each portion of the Work, commonly referred to as detailed prices.

D30.2 C12.7 to C12.15 are deleted and replaced with the following:

- C12.7 By the seventh (7) Calendar Day after the end of each month, the Contract Administrator shall issue to the Contractor a progress estimate indicating its opinion of the quantity and value of Work performed during the previous month. The Contractor may use the progress estimate to form part of its Proper Invoice as support of the type and quantity of Work performed. In the event the Contractor chooses to produce its own documentation of the type and quantity of Work performed to form part of its Proper Invoice, the content shall be in accordance with C12.2 and the format of such documentation should follow that of a typical progress estimate, including all evidence and records of measurement that the Contract Administrator would require to certify payment. In either event the Contractor shall include such supporting documentation as part of its invoice.
- C12.8 If the Contractor agrees with the progress estimate provided by the Contract Administrator it should indicate that on its Proper Invoice. If the Contractor does not agree with the progress estimate provided by the Contract Administrator it should attempt to reconcile the discrepancy, which could result in a revised progress estimate to be provided by the Contract Administrator or a revised invoice by the Contractor, so that the progress estimate and the Proper Invoice align. In the event that the discrepancy is not reconciled then the Contractor should detail the items within the progress estimate that it disagrees with in order that the value on the Proper Invoice aligns with and is supported by the progress estimate with noted discrepancies.
- C12.9 Any payment made by the City to the Contractor on account of a Proper Invoice shall be less any holdback required to be made by The Builders' Liens Act, and such holdbacks or other amounts which the City is entitled to withhold pursuant to the Contract.
- C12.10 If in the Contractor's opinion the Work performed during the previous month is minimal or does not warrant an invoice, the Contractor is permitted to not submit an invoice on the condition that the Contractor advises the Contractor Administrator in writing.
- C12.11 Unless agreed to by the Contract Administrator, in writing, on an exception basis, the Contractor shall not submit invoices more frequently than monthly.
- C12.12 Any reference to payment submittals or payment processes in the NMS Sections of the Contract are deleted and replaced with the payment submittals and payment processes within Section C12 of the General Conditions, as amended by the Supplemental Conditions.

## **FINAL PAYMENT**

- C12.13 The Contractor shall indicate on its invoice if it is the final invoice for Work performed under the Contract. Payment Certification, in response to receipt of the final Proper Invoice by the Contractor, shall be subject to the following conditions:
- (a) issuance by the Contract Administrator of a certificate of Total Performance;
  - (b) receipt by the City of a certificate from the Workers Compensation Board stating that full payment has been made to the Board with respect to all assessments owing.

- C12.14 Payment on account of the holdback made by the City pursuant to The Builders' Liens Act, shall be paid to the Contractor when the time for filing liens or trust claims has elapsed, unless the City is in receipt of a lien or trust claim.
- C12.15 Neither the issuance of a certificate of Total Performance nor the payment of the final Proper Invoice shall relieve the Contractor from their responsibilities either under C13 or as a result of any breach of the Contract by the Contractor including, but not limited to, defective or deficient Work appearing after Total Performance, nor shall it conclude or prejudice any of the powers of the Contract Administrator or the Chief Administrative Officer hereunder.
- C12.16 Subject to C12.17, acceptance by the Contractor of payment on account of the final Proper Invoice shall constitute a waiver and release by them of all claims against the City whether for payment for Work done, damages or otherwise arising out of the Contract.
- C12.17 If the Contractor disputes a Payment Certification related to a notice of non-payment by the City to the Contractor in accordance with the BLA, the Contractor may appeal the determination of the Contract Administrator to the Chief Administrative Officer as provided for in C21. If prior to the appeal being concluded, the Contractor gives a notice of adjudication to the City pursuant to the BLA, the appeal process will be discontinued.

## **INVOICES**

D30.3 Further to C12, the Contractor:

- (a) shall submit invoices for Work performed during the previous calendar month in accordance with the instruction on the City's website at:  
<https://www.winnipeg.ca/finance/corporate-accounts-payable.stm>; and
- (b) should copy the Contract Administrator on submission of its invoice.

## **D31. PAYMENT**

- D31.1 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).
- D31.2 Further to E9, no payment will be made for Cash Allowances other than as set out in E9.4.

## **WARRANTY**

### **D32. WARRANTY**

- D32.1 Warranty is as stated in C13.

## **DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

### **D33. DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

- D33.1 If the Contractor disagrees with any opinion, determination, or decision of the Contract Administrator, the Contractor shall act in accordance with the Contract Administrator's opinion, determination, or decision unless and until same is modified by the process followed by the parties pursuant to D33.
- D33.2 The entire text of C21.4 is deleted, and amended to read: "Intentionally Deleted"
- D33.3 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 their written Appeal Form, in the manner and format set out on the City's Purchasing 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 their Appeal Form.
- D33.4 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.
- D33.4.1 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.
- D33.4.2 As these negotiations are not an adjudicative hearing, neither party may have legal counsel present during the negotiations.
- D33.4.3 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.
- D33.4.4 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 D33.4.3, 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.

## **INDEMNITY**

### **D34. INDEMNITY**

- D34.1 Indemnity shall be as stated in C17.
- D34.2 Notwithstanding C17.1, the Contractor shall save harmless and indemnify the City in the amount of twice the Contract Price or five million dollars (\$5,000,000), whichever is greater, against all costs, damages or expenses arising from actions, claims, demands and proceedings, by whomsoever brought, made or taken as a result of negligent acts or negligent omissions of the Contractor, their Subcontractors, employees or agents in the performance or purported performance of the Work, and more particularly from:
- (a) accidental injury to or death of any person whether retained by or in the employ of the contractor or not, arising directly or indirectly by reason of the performance of the Work, or by reason of any trespass on or damage to property;
  - (b) damage to any property owned in whole or in part by the City, or which the City by duty or custom is obliged, directly or indirectly, in any way or to any degree, to construct, repair or maintain;

- (c) damage to, or trespass or encroachment upon, property owned by persons other than the City;
  - (d) any claim for lien or trust claim served upon the City pursuant to The Builders' Liens Act;
  - (e) failure to pay a Workers Compensation assessment, or Federal or Provincial taxes;
  - (f) unauthorized use of any design, device, material or process covered by letters patent, copyright, trademark or trade name in connection with the Work;
  - (g) inaccuracies in any information provided to the City by the Contractor.
- D34.3 Further to C17, The City shall save harmless and indemnify the Contractor in the amount of twice the Contract Price or five million dollars (\$5,000,000), whichever is greater, against all costs, damages or expenses arising from actions, claims, demands and proceedings, by whomsoever brought, made or taken as a result of negligent acts or negligent omissions of the City, their employees or agents in the performance of its obligation under the Contract.

### THIRD PARTY AGREEMENTS

#### D35. FUNDING AND/OR CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT OBLIGATIONS

- D35.1 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.
- D35.2 Further to D35.1, in the event that the obligations in D35 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.
- D35.3 For the purposes of D35:
- (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.
- D35.4 Modified Insurance Requirements
- D35.4.1 If not already required under the insurance requirements identified in D14, 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 their Ministers, officers, employees, and agents shall be added as additional insureds.
- D35.4.2 If not already required under the insurance requirements identified in D14, 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.
- D35.4.3 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.
- D35.4.4 Further to D14.3, 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.

D35.4.5 All policies must be taken out with insurers licensed to carry on business in the Province of Manitoba.

D35.5 Indemnification By Contractor

D35.5.1 In addition to the indemnity obligations outlined in C17 of the General Conditions for Construction, 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.

D35.5.2 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.

D35.6 Records Retention and Audits

D35.6.1 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.

D35.6.2 In addition to the record keeping and inspection obligations outlined in C6 of the General Conditions for Construction, 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 D35.6.1 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.

D35.7 Other Obligations

D35.7.1 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.

D35.7.2 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.

D35.7.3 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.

D35.7.4 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.

D35.7.5 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.

D35.7.6 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.

## **ADJUSTMENTS FOR CHANGES IN LAW, TAX OR TARIFFS**

### **D36. ADJUSTMENTS FOR CHANGES IN LAWS, TAXES OR TARIFFS**

D36.1 Further to C12.4 and subject to C6.13, the Contract Price shall be adjusted if any change in a law or tax imposed under the Excise Act, the Excise Tax Act, the Customs Act, the Customs Tariff, The Mining Tax Act (Manitoba), or The Retail Sales Tax Act (Manitoba), by an act of the Congress of the United States of America, or by Executive Order by the President of the United States under the International Emergency Economic Powers Act of the United States of America or similar legislation:

- (a) occurs after the Submission Deadline;
- (b) applies to Material; and
- (c) affects the cost of that Material to the Contractor.

D36.2 Further to C12.5, if a change referred to in C12.4 occurs, the Contract Price shall be increased or decreased by an amount equal to the amount that is established, by an examination of the relevant records of the Contractor, to be the increase or decrease in the cost incurred that is directly attributable to that change, and which the Contractor has proven to the Contract Administrator represents the minimum amount of increase necessary in order to obtain necessary Material or Plant. For the avoidance of doubt, the Contractor shall be required to provide satisfactory proof that it has investigated alternative options for obtaining equivalent Material or Plant and reducing or eliminating the increase in Contract Price, up to and including entering into purchase agreements with vendors located in other jurisdictions, in order for Contractor to be able to avail itself of the increase in Contract Price permitted

(See D16)

# WOODBINE AVENUE WASTEWATER SEWER REPLACEMENT

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**FORM K: EQUIPMENT**  
(See D17)

**WOODBINE AVENUE WASTEWATER SEWER REPLACEMENT**

<b>1. Category/type:</b>	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
<b>2. Category/type:</b>	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
<b>3. Category/type:</b>	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	

**FORM K: EQUIPMENT**  
(See D17)

**WOODBINE AVENUE WASTEWATER SEWER REPLACEMENT**

<b>4. Category/type:</b>	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
<b>5. Category/type:</b>	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
<b>6. Category/type:</b>	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	
Make/Model/Year: _____	Serial No.: _____
Registered owner: _____	

## PART E - SPECIFICATIONS

### GENERAL

#### E1. APPLICABLE SPECIFICATIONS AND DRAWINGS

- E1.1 These Specifications shall apply to the Work.
- E1.2 *The City of Winnipeg Standard Construction Specifications* in their entirety, whether or not specifically listed on Form B: Prices, shall apply to the Work.
- E1.2.1 *The City of Winnipeg Standard Construction Specifications* is available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Purchasing Division website at <http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Spec/Default.stm>
- E1.2.2 The version in effect three (3) Business Days before the Submission Deadline shall apply.
- E1.2.3 Further to C2.4(d), Specifications included in the Tender shall govern over *The City of Winnipeg Standard Construction Specifications*.
- 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.
- E1.4 The following are applicable to the Work:

<u>Drawing No.</u>	<u>Drawing Name/Title</u>
13629	COVER
13630	INDEX PAGE
13631	PLAN / PROFILE – WOODBINE AVENUE AT MAIN STREET

<u>Appendix No.</u>	<u>Title</u>
A	Geotechnical Investigation Memorandum

#### E2. SOILS INVESTIGATION REPORT

- E2.1 Further to C3.1, a Geotechnical Investigation was completed in 2022 for a similar wastewater sewer repair on Murray Avenue at Main Street, approximately 420 m south of Woodbine Avenue and Main Street. A copy of the Geotechnical Investigation Memorandum is included in Appendix A for information and may not be representative of conditions on site.

### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

#### E3. OFFICE FACILITIES

- E3.1 The Contractor shall supply office facilities meeting the following requirements:
- (a) the field office shall be for the exclusive use of the Contract Administrator;
  - (b) the building shall be conveniently located near the Site of the Work at a location approved by the Contract Administrator;
  - (c) the building shall have a minimum floor area of 25 m<sup>2</sup>, a height of 2.4 m with two (2) windows for cross ventilation and a door entrance with a suitable lock;
  - (d) the building shall be suitable for all weather use. It shall be equipped with an electric heater and air conditioner so that the room temperature can be maintained between either 16-18 or 24-25 degrees Celsius;

- (e) the building shall be adequately lighted with fluorescent fixtures and have a minimum of three (3) wall outlets;
- (f) the building shall be furnished with one (1) desk, one drafting table, table 3 m X 1.2 m, one (1) stool, one (1) four-drawer legal size filing cabinet, and a minimum of six (6) chairs;
- (g) a portable toilet shall be located near the field office building. The toilet shall have a locking door.
- (h) the field office building and the portable toilet shall be cleaned on a weekly basis immediately prior to each Site meeting. The Contract Administrator may request additional cleaning when he/she deems it necessary.

#### **E4. SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN**

E4.1 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a Site Development Plan at least ten (10) Business Days prior to the commencement of any Work on the Site.

- (a) The Site Development Plan shall at a minimum include:
  - (i) Work areas showing location of all required elements to complete the Work including street and lane closures and tree protection;
  - (ii) Material staging and laydown areas, including fencing and gates (if required);
  - (iii) Staging areas for other Work elements;
  - (iv) Material Storage;
  - (v) Locations of shafts and excavations;
  - (vi) Office facility locations for Contract Administrator and Contractor; and
  - (vii) Temporary vehicle access/egress locations.

E4.2 Measurement and Payment

- (a) The work specified herein will be considered incidental to the Work and will not be measured for payment. No additional payment will be made.

#### **E5. SHOP DRAWINGS**

E5.1 Description

- (a) This Specification shall revise, amend, and supplement the requirements of CW 1110 of the City of Winnipeg's Standard Construction Specifications.
- (b) Submit all Shop Drawings in accordance with CW 1110 except as modified herein.
- (c) The Contractor shall submit specified Shop Drawings to the Contract Administrator for review. All submissions must be in metric units. Where data is in imperial units, the correct metric equivalent shall also be shown on all submissions.

E5.2 Contractors Responsibility

- (a) Review shop drawings, product data and samples prior to submission and stamp and sign drawings indicating conformance to the Contract requirements.
- (b) Verify:
  - (i) Field Measurements
  - (ii) Field Construction Criteria
  - (iii) Catalogue numbers and similar data
- (c) Coordinate each submission with requirements of Work and Contract Documents. Individual shop drawings will not be reviewed until all related drawings are available.
- (d) Notify Contract Administrator, in writing at time of submission, of deviations from requirements of Contract Documents.

- (e) Responsibility for deviations in submission from requirements of Contract Documents is not relieved by Contract Administrator's review of submission unless Contract Administrator gives written acceptance of specified deviations.
- (f) Responsibility for errors and omissions in submission is not relieved by Contract Administrator's review of submittals.
- (g) The Contractor shall make any corrections required by the Contract Administrator and shall resubmit the required number of corrected copies of Shop Drawings. The Contractor shall direct specific attention in writing or on resubmitted Shop Drawings to revisions other than the corrections requested by the Contract Administrator on previous submission.
- (h) After Contract Administrator's review and return of copies, distribute copies to Subcontractors as appropriate.
- (i) Maintain one (1) complete set of reviewed shop drawings, filed by Specification Section Number, at the Site of the Work for use and reference of the Contract Administrator and Subcontractors.

#### E5.3 Shop Drawings

- (a) Original drawings are to be prepared by Contractor, Subcontractor, Supplier, Distributor, or Manufacturer, which illustrate appropriate portion of Work; showing fabrication, layout, setting or erection details as specified in appropriate sections.
- (b) Shop drawings for the following structural components shall bear the seal of a Registered Professional Engineer in the Province of Manitoba.
  - (i) Shoring
  - (ii) Pre-cast concrete structures
- (c) Additional submittal requirements for each component of Work may be listed within the relevant specification section.

#### E5.4 Submission Requirements:

- (a) Schedule submissions at least 10 Calendar Days before dates reviewed submissions will be needed and allow for a 10 Calendar Day period for review by the Contract Administrator of each individual submission and re-submission, unless noted otherwise in the Contract Documents.
- (b) Submit one (1) digital copy (PDF) of shop drawings.
- (c) Accompany submissions with transmittal letter, containing:
  - (i) Date
  - (ii) Project title and Bid Opportunity number
  - (iii) Contractor's name and address
  - (iv) Number of each shop drawing, product data and sample submitted
  - (v) Specification Section, Title, Number and Clause
  - (vi) Drawing Number and Detail/Section Number
  - (vii) Other pertinent data
- (d) Submissions shall include:
  - (i) Date and revision dates.
  - (ii) Project title and Bid Opportunity number.
  - (iii) Name of:
    - ◆ Contractor
    - ◆ Subcontractor
    - ◆ Supplier
    - ◆ Manufacturer
    - ◆ Separate detailer when pertinent
  - (iv) Identification of product of material.

- (v) Relation to adjacent structure or materials.
  - (vi) Field dimensions, clearly identified as such.
  - (vii) Specification section name, number and clause number or drawing number and detail/section number.
  - (viii) Applicable standards, such as CSA or CGSB numbers.
  - (ix) Contractor's stamp, initialed or signed, certifying review of submission, verification of field measurements and compliance with Contract Documents.
- (e) Shop Drawings not meeting the requirements of CW 1100 or the requirements specified herein will be returned to the Contractor without review for resubmission.
- (f) Shop drawing submissions will be limited to two (2) reviews per shop drawing. This shall include a review of the initial submission and a review of the revised submission. Costs associated with subsequent reviews will be charged to the Contractor.

**E5.5 Measurement and Payment**

- (a) The work specified herein will be considered incidental to the Work and will not be measured for payment. No additional payment will be made.

**E6. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

E6.1 The Contractor shall plan and implement the Work of this Contract strictly in accordance with the requirements of the environmental protection measures as herein specified.

E6.2 The Contractor is advised that at least the following Acts, Regulations, and By-laws apply to the Work:

**E6.2.1 Federal**

- (a) Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA) c.16;
- (b) Canadian Environmental Assessment Act (CEAA) c.37;
- (c) Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act and Regulations c.34; and
- (d) Migratory Birds Convention Act, 1994

**E6.2.2 Provincial**

- (a) The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act D12;
- (b) The Endangered Species Act E111;
- (c) The Environment Act c.E125;
- (d) The Fire Prevention Act F80;
- (e) The Manitoba Heritage Resources Act H39.1;
- (f) The Manitoba Noxious Weeds Act N110;
- (g) The Manitoba Nuisance Act N120;
- (h) The Public Health Act c.P210;
- (i) The Workplace Safety and Health Act W120; and
- (j) And current applicable associated regulations.

**E6.2.3 Municipal**

- (a) The City of Winnipeg By-law no. 1/2008;
- (b) The City of Winnipeg Waterway By-Law no. 5888/92; and
- (c) Other applicable Acts, Regulations and By-laws.

E6.3 The Contractor is advised that the following environmental protection measures apply to the Work.

### E6.3.1 Materials Handling and Storage

- (a) Construction materials and debris shall be prevented from entering drainage pipes or channels.
- (b) Construction materials and debris shall also be prevented from accumulating on local roadways and sidewalks when tracked out of the Site by trucks hauling excavated materials.
- (c) The Contractor shall provide on-Site measures to mitigate the tracking of sediment off-Site and therefore reduce the amount of street cleaning required. These measures may take the form of a truck wheel wash (automated or manually operated) or other measures as approved by the Contract Administrator.

### E6.3.2 Fuel Handling and Storage

- (a) The Contractor shall obtain all necessary permits from Manitoba Conservation for the handling and storage of fuel products and shall provide copies to the Contract Administrator.
- (b) All fuel handling and storage facilities shall comply with The Dangerous Goods and Transportation Act Storage and Handling of Petroleum Products Regulation and any local land use permits.
- (c) Fuels, lubricants, and other potentially hazardous materials as defined in The Dangerous Goods and Transportation Act shall be stored and handled within the approved storage areas.
- (d) The Contractor shall ensure that all fuel storage containers are inspected daily for leaks and spillage.
- (e) Products transferred from the fuel storage area(s) to specific Work Sites shall not exceed the daily usage requirement.
- (f) When servicing requires the drainage or pumping of fuels, lubricating oils or other fluids from equipment, a groundsheet of suitable material (such as HDPE) and size shall be spread on the ground to catch the fluid in the event of a leak or spill.
- (g) Refuelling of mobile equipment and vehicles shall take place at least 100 metres from a watercourse.
- (h) The area around storage Sites and fuel lines shall be distinctly marked and kept clear of snow and debris to allow for routine inspection and leak detection.
- (i) A sufficient supply of materials, such as absorbent material and plastic oil booms to clean up minor spills shall be stores nearby on-site. The Contractor shall ensure that additional material can be made available on short notice.

### E6.3.3 Waste Handling and Disposal

- (a) The construction area shall be kept clean and orderly at all times during and at completion of construction.
- (b) At no time during construction shall personal or construction waste be permitted to accumulate for more than one day at any location on the construction site, other than at a dedicated storage area as may be approved by the Contract Administrator.
- (c) All resulting debris shall be deposited at a Waste Disposal Ground operating under the authority of Manitoba Regulation #150/91. Exceptions are liquid industrial and hazardous wastes which may require special disposal methods (see SC:21.4 D).
- (d) Indiscriminate dumping, littering, or abandonment shall not take place.
- (e) No on-site burning of waste is permitted.
- (f) Waste storage areas shall not be located so as to block natural drainage.
- (g) Run-off from a waste storage area shall not be allowed to cause siltation of a watercourse.

- (h) Waste storage areas shall be left in a neat and finished appearance and/or restored to their original condition to the satisfaction of the Contract Administrator.
- (i) Equipment shall not be cleaned near watercourses; contaminated water from onshore cleaning operations shall not be permitted to enter watercourses.

#### E6.3.4 Dangerous Goods/Hazardous Waste Handling and Disposal

- (a) Dangerous goods/hazardous waste are identified by, and shall be handled according to, The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act and Regulations.
- (b) The Contractor shall be familiar with The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act and Regulations.
- (c) The Contractor shall have on-site staff that is trained and certified in the handling of the dangerous/hazardous goods, when said dangerous/hazardous goods are being utilized on-site for the performance of the Work.
- (d) Different waste streams shall not be mixed.
- (e) Disposal of dangerous goods/hazardous wastes shall be at approved hazardous waste facilities.
- (f) Liquid hydrocarbons shall not be stored or disposed of in earthen pits on-site.
- (g) Used oils shall be stored in appropriate drums, or tankage, until shipment to waste oil recycling centres, incinerators, or secure disposal facilities approved for such wastes.
- (h) Used oil filters shall be drained, placed in suitable storage containers, and buried or incinerated at approved hazardous waste treatment and disposal facilities.
- (i) Dangerous goods/hazardous waste storage areas shall be located at least 100 metres away from the high water line and be diked.
- (j) Dangerous goods/hazardous waste storage areas shall not be located so as to block natural drainage.
- (k) Run-off from a dangerous goods/hazardous waste storage area shall not be allowed to cause siltation of a watercourse.
- (l) Dangerous goods/hazardous waste storage areas shall be left in a neat and finished appearance and/or restored to their original condition to the satisfaction of the Contract Administrator.

#### E6.3.5 Emergency Response

- (a) The Contractor shall ensure that due care and caution is taken to prevent spills.
- (b) The Contractor shall report all major spills of petroleum products or other hazardous substances with the potential for impacting the environment and threat to human health and safety to the Contract Administrator and Manitoba Environment, immediately after occurrence of the environmental accident, by calling the 24-hour emergency telephone phone number (204) 945-4888. The Contract Administrator shall also be notified.
- (c) The Contractor shall designate a qualified supervisor as the on-site emergency response coordinator for the project. The emergency response coordinator shall have the authority to redirect manpower in order to respond in the event of a spill.
- (d) The following actions shall be taken by the person in charge of the spilled material or the first person(s) arriving at the scene of a hazardous material accident or the on-site emergency response coordinator:
  - (i) Notify emergency-response coordinator of the accident:
    - identify exact location and time of accident
    - indicate injuries, if any
    - request assistance as required by magnitude of accident (Manitoba Environment 24-hour Spill Response Line (204) 945-4888, Police, Fire Department, Ambulance, company backup)
  - (ii) Attend to public safety:



- stop traffic, roadblock/cordon off the immediate danger area
- eliminate ignition sources
- initiate evacuation procedures if necessary
- (iii) Assess situation and gather information on the status of the situation, noting:
  - personnel on site
  - cause and effect of spill
  - estimated extent of damage
  - amount and type of material involved
  - proximity to waterways and the Aqueduct
- (iv) If safe to do so, try to stop the dispersion or flow of spill material:
  - approach from upwind
  - stop or reduce leak if safe to do so
  - dike spill material with dry, inert sorbent material or dry clay soil or sand
  - prevent spill material from entering waterways and utilities by diking
  - prevent spill material from entering manholes and other openings by covering with rubber spill mats or diking
- (v) Resume any effective action to contain, clean up, or stop the flow of the spilled product.
- (e) The emergency response coordinator shall ensure that all environmental accidents involving contaminants shall be documented and reported to the Manitoba Environment according to The Dangerous Goods Handling and Transportation Act Environmental Accident Report Regulation 439/87.
- (f) When dangerous goods are used on-site, materials for containment and cleanup of spill material (e.g. absorbent materials, plastic oil booms, and oversized recovery drums) shall be available on-site.
- (g) Minor spills of such substances that may be contained on land with no significant impact on the environment may be responded to with in-house resources without formal notification to Manitoba Environment.
- (h) City emergency response, 9-1-1, shall be used if other means are not available.

#### E6.4 Vegetation

- (a) Vegetation shall not be disturbed without written permission of the Contract Administrator. The Contractor shall protect plants which may be at risk of accidental damage. Such measures may include protective fencing or signage and shall be
- (b) Herbicides and pesticides shall not be used adjacent to any surface watercourses.
- (c) All landowners adjacent to the area of application of herbicides or pesticides shall be notified prior to the Work.
- (d) Trees and shrubs shall not be felled into watercourses.
- (e) Areas where vegetation is removed during clearing, construction, and decommissioning activities, shall be revegetated as soon as possible in accordance the requirements outlined herein, or as directed by the Contract Administrator.

#### E6.5 Measurement and Payment

- (a) The work specified herein will be considered incidental to the Work and will not be measured for payment. No additional payment will be made.

### E7. PROTECTION OF EXISTING TREES

E7.1 The Contractor shall take the following precautionary steps to prevent damage from construction activities to existing boulevard trees within the limits of the construction area:

- (a) The Contractor shall not stockpile materials and soil or park vehicles and equipment on boulevards within 2 metres of trees.

- (b) Trees identified to be at risk by the Contract Administrator are to be strapped with 25 x 100 x 2400mm wood planks, or suitably protected as approved by the Contract Administrator.
  - (c) Excavation shall be performed in a manner that minimizes damage to the existing root systems. Where possible, excavation shall be carried out such that the edge of the excavation shall be a minimum of 1.5 times the diameter (measured in inches), with the outcome read in feet, from the closest edge of the trunk. Where roots must be cut to facilitate excavation, they shall be pruned neatly at the face of excavation. They must be properly trimmed with sharp tools to prevent crushing or being pulled by construction equipment. No paint is required. All exposed roots must be mulched until the excavated area is filled with clean earth to avoid exposure to sunlight and desiccation.
  - (d) Operation of equipment within the dripline of the trees shall be kept to the minimum required to perform the work required. The dripline of a tree shall be considered to be the ground surface directly beneath the tips of its outermost branches.
  - (e) Work on-site shall be carried out in such a manner so as to minimize damage to existing tree branches. Where damage to branches does occur, they shall be neatly pruned.
- E7.2 All damage to existing trees caused by the Contractor's activities shall be repaired to the requirements and satisfaction of the Contract Administrator and the City Forester or his designate.
- E7.3 Elm trees shall not be pruned at any time between April 1<sup>st</sup> and July 31<sup>st</sup> of any year under provisions of The Forest Health Protection Act and The Forest Health Protection Regulations.
- E7.4 Measurement and Payment
- (a) No separate measurement or payment will be made for the protection of trees.
- E8. WATER SUPPLY**
- E8.1 Further to Section 3.14 of CW 2140 and Section 3.7 of CW 1120 of the General Requirements water supply for the Work may be taken from City of Winnipeg hydrants.
- E8.2 The Contractor shall make the following arrangements for hydrant turn on and turn off.
- (a) Contact City of Winnipeg Water Services Division (WSD) for hydrant turn on and turn off required between 0800 hours and 1500 hours Monday to Friday. Notice for turn on and turn off shall be provided a minimum of 24 hours in advance.
  - (b) Contact Emergency Services Branch (204-986-2626) with a minimum of 2 hours notice for hydrant turn on and turn off required outside of the above hours.
  - (c) The Contractor shall wait at the hydrant from the requested turn on or turn off time until City staff arrives to turn on or turn off the hydrant.
- E8.3 Hydrants shall be considered to be "in the Contractor's control" from the time the City has turned the hydrant on until the City has turned the hydrant off.
- E8.4 Between November 1 and April 30 of any year, or whenever freezing temperatures are occurring or anticipated the Contractor shall take all necessary precautions to prevent freezing of hydrants and related appurtenances for hydrants in their control and shall be responsible to pump out hydrants turned off by Emergency Services.
- E8.5 If a hydrant or appurtenance is damaged due to freezing or improper turn on or turn off procedures while in the Contractor's control, WSD will assess the damage and determine if WSD will repair the damage or if the Contractor will be responsible to repair the damage. Costs for repairs completed by WSD will be deducted from payments owing the Contractor. Repairs completed by the Contractor will be at the Contractor's expense.

E8.6 The Contractor shall provide a traffic ramp for hydrant connection hoses that cross roadways. The ramp shall be designed and constructed to not present a hazard to vehicles travelling over it and to ensure that no part of the hose is run over by a motor vehicle.

E8.7 Measurement and Payment

- (a) Charges incurred for the permits and water meters shall be paid for by the Contractor when the permit is taken out. The Contractor shall forward the invoice to the Contract Administrator for reimbursement. The billing for water usage sent to the Contractor shall be forwarded to the Contract Administrator for payment. The Bid Opportunity number shall be noted on each permit.
- (b) All other costs associated with sourcing construction water will be considered incidental to the Work and will not be measured for payment. No additional payment will be made.

**E9. CASH ALLOWANCE FOR ADDITIONAL WORK**

E9.1 Additional Work may be necessitated due to unforeseen circumstances that may arise during the course of the project due to:

- (a) Additions to the scope of Work by the Contract Administrator, beyond that defined herein.

E9.2 A cash allowance has been included on Form B: Prices.

E9.3 The City reserves the right to delete any or all of the Cash Allowance from the Contract if the Work intended to be covered by the Cash Allowance is not required, or if the Works intended are found to be more extensive than the provisional Cash Allowance.

E9.4 Cost of additional work shall be evaluated by the methods outlined in C7.4, and a Change Order prepared by the Contract Administrator. Cost of the Change Order will be paid on the Progress Estimate and deducted from the Cash Allowance. If the valuation of the authorized work exceeds the Value of the Cash Allowance, the Contract Value will be adjusted by the shortfall.

E9.5 Additional services and/or Work will not be initiated for:

- (a) Reasons of lack of performance or errors in execution.
- (b) Scheduling changes initiated by the City, where at least 24 hours' notice is given prior to the Contractors schedule time to be on Site.

E9.6 Should it be determined that additional material or services are required, the Contract Administrator shall approve the Work, prior to commencement of the additional Work.

E9.7 Material Mark-Up Factors in accordance with C7:

- (a) The base cost is to be the wholesale cost of the material, regardless of the Contractor or Subcontractor supplying the material.
- (b) In general, the party (Contractor or Subcontractor) supplying the material is the party that purchases the material from a supplier who does not perform any work on Site, unless otherwise determined by the Contract Administrator.
- (c) Where the Contractor is supplying the material, the mark-up on the material is limited to fifteen percent (15%).
- (d) Where the Contractor's immediate Subcontractor is supplying the material the total mark-up on the material including all Subcontractors and the Contractor is limited to twenty-five percent (25%)
  - (i) The Subcontractor's mark-up on the material is limited to fifteen percent (15%);
  - (ii) The Contractor's mark-up on the material is limited to ten percent (10%).
- (e) A Third-Level Subcontractor is a Subcontractor of a Subcontractor of the Contractor.
  - (i) No Third-Level Subcontractors on this project are approved for additional mark-up.

- (ii) In the event that a Third-Level Subcontractor is utilized, that is not approved for additional mark-up, the Contractor is responsible for coordinating the split of the maximum approved mark-up between the Contractor and Subcontractors.

## **E10. TRAFFIC CONTROL**

- E10.1 In accordance with the Manual of Temporary Traffic Control on City Streets (MTTC), the Contract Administrator shall make arrangements with the Traffic Services Branch of the City of Winnipeg to place, maintain, and remove all regulatory signs and traffic control devices authorized and/or required by the Traffic Management Branch in the following situations:
- (a) Parking restrictions,
  - (b) Stopping restrictions,
  - (c) Turn restrictions,
  - (d) Diamond lane removal,
  - (e) Full or directional closures on a Regional Street,
  - (f) Traffic routed across a median,
  - (g) Full or directional closure of a non-regional street where there is a requirement for regulatory signs (turn restrictions, bus stop relocations, etc.) to implement the closure.
  - (h) Approved Designated Construction Zones with a temporary posted speed limit reduction. Traffic Services will be responsible for placing all of the advance signs and 'Construction Ends' (TC-4) signs. The Contractor is still responsible for all other temporary traffic control including but not limited to barricades, barrels and tall cones.
- E10.2 Further to (c), the Contractor shall make arrangement with the Traffic Services Branch of the City of Winnipeg to supply regulatory signs as required.
- E10.3 Upon request from the Contract Administrator, the Contractor shall provide records demonstrating that the Site has been maintained.
- E10.4 Further to E10.1(c) and E10.1(d) the Contractor shall make arrangements with the Traffic Services Branch of the City of Winnipeg to reinstall the permanent regulatory signs after the Contract Work is complete. At this time the Contractor shall make arrangements to drop off the stockpiled materials to Traffic Services at 495 Archibald Street.
- E10.5 Any changes to the approved traffic management plan, as described in E11, must be submitted to the Contract Administrator a minimum of (five) 5 Working Days prior to the required change for approval.
- E10.6 If the Contract Administrator determines that the Contractor is not performing Traffic Control in accordance with this specification, Traffic Services Branch may be engaged to perform the Traffic Control. In this event the Contractor shall bear the costs associated charged to the project by the Traffic Services Branch of the City of Winnipeg in connection with the required Works undertaken by the Contractor.

## **E11. TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PLAN**

- E11.1 Description
- (a) This Specification shall revise, amend, and supplement the requirements of CW 1130 of the City of Winnipeg's Standard Construction Specifications.
- E11.2 General
- (a) Further to Section 3.7 of CW 1130 of the General Requirements the Contractor shall be responsible to redirect and maintain traffic with appropriate signing in accordance with The City of Winnipeg, "Manual of Temporary Traffic Control in Work Areas on City Streets at all times during construction.

- (b) Maintain access for approaches, driveways, public lanes and crossing streets for all locations.
- (c) Bus traffic must be maintained at all times or as approved by the Contract Administrator.
- (d) The Contractor shall maintain access to all businesses during business hours, except where written authorization has been provided by the business.
- (e) The Contractor shall maintain access to all schools, community centres, and other public buildings at all times.
- (f) Further to Section 3.6 of CW 1130 of the General Requirements, the Contractor shall maintain safe pedestrian crossings at intersections at all times. If possible, only one pedestrian crossing at an intersection is to be blocked by construction at any one time. If more than one pedestrian crossing is blocked by construction at an intersection at the same time the Contractor shall provide flag persons to safely escort pedestrians across the intersection. The Contractor shall leave pedestrian crossing locations safe and free of equipment that may hamper pedestrians when no construction activities are being performed at a particular crossing location.
- (g) Further to Clause 3.7 of CW 1130 of the General Requirements, should the Contractor be unable to maintain pedestrian or vehicular access to a residence or business, he/she shall review the planned disruption with the business or residence and the Contract Administrator, and take reasonable measures to minimize the impact. The Contractor shall provide a minimum of 24 hours notification to the affected residence or business and the Contract Administrator, prior to disruption of access.
- (h) The Contractor shall not park company or private vehicles inside the barricaded work zone in a manner that will block sightlines for vehicles and pedestrians approaching and crossing intersections.
- (i) The Contractor is responsible for maintaining safe vehicular and pedestrian traffic through their work site as identified herein. The Contractor shall rectify any unsafe conditions immediately upon notification. This could include but is not limited to, providing flag persons, clearing debris and snow from sites, moving equipment, and erecting additional signage.

#### E11.3 Regional Street Lane Closures

- (a) Maintain at least one (1) lane of traffic at all times in each direction.
- (b) Construction activities on Regional Streets shall be restricted to the closed lanes between 07:00 to 09:00 hours and 15:00 to 18:00 hours Monday to Friday and other hours as outlined herein or directed by the Contract Administrator.
- (c) The City reserves the right to restrict or cancel Regional Street lane closures at any time due to the occurrence of special events or conflicting third party work.

#### E11.4 Residential Streets

- (a) Maintain at least one lane of traffic on residential streets. Where a lane of traffic cannot be maintained, the Contractor shall clearly close the street at the work zone to prevent damage to the boulevard and other surface features. All streets shall be signed as "Road Closed - Local Access Only".
- (b) Where required, the Contractor shall provide notice of complete street shutdowns complete with dates and duration a minimum of five (5) Business Days prior to the street closures.

#### E11.5 Submissions

- E11.5.1 The Contractor shall submit a detailed traffic management plan for works occurring on Main Street and all adjacent streets affected by the Work. The traffic control plan shall be submitted a minimum of ten (10) Business Days prior to commencement of work and include the following:

- (a) Details of lane closures on regional and non-regional streets; detours; access accommodations for local businesses; and access accommodations for pedestrians throughout any and all stages of construction;
- (b) Traffic control coordination, including traffic ramp locations, if required;
- (c) and construction staging/schedule.

**E11.5.2 Street Lane Closures**

- (a) The Contractor shall submit all lane closure requests to the Contract Administrator a minimum of five (5) Business Days prior to the planned work. Requests for lane closures shall include all required information for submission required by the City's online request form.
- (b) A link to the form can be found here:  
<https://www.winnipeg.ca/publicworks/transportation/roadConstructionLaneClosures.stm>

**E11.5.3 All submitted traffic control plans are subject to review and acceptance by City of Winnipeg Traffic Management and Traffic Services divisions.**

**E11.6 Measurement and Payment**

- (a) Traffic management as outlined herein will be considered incidental to the Work and will not be measured for payment. No separate payment will be made.

**E12. HYDRO EXCAVATION FOR UTILITY EXPLORATION**

**E12.1 Description**

**E12.1.1 General**

- (a) This Specification covers all operations relating to the removal of earthen material immediately adjacent to underground utilities infrastructure by means of high pressure water spray, and the recovery of evacuated material by vacuum type means or equivalent method as approved by the Contract Administrator in accordance with B7.
- (b) The Work to be done by the Contractor under this Specification shall include the furnishing of all superintendence, overhead, labour, materials, equipment, tools, supplies, and all things necessary for and incidental to the satisfactory performance and completion of all Works as hereinafter specified.

**E12.2 Equipment**

**E12.2.1 Hydro excavation unit shall be capable of maintaining a minimum working pressure of 10,000 psi, at a rate of flow of 10 to 12 gallons per minute. The unit should be adjustable, so as to provide adequate pressure to remove earthen material.**

**E12.2.2 Spray head shall be equipped with a rotating type nozzle, in order to provide a wider path of cut.**

**E12.3 Construction Methods**

**E12.3.1 Hydro-Removal of Earthen Material**

- (a) Earthen material adjacent to utility entity shall be sprayed with high pressure water so as to remove all such material.

**E12.3.2 Recovery of Excavated Material**

- (a) The recovery of excavated material shall be done using vacuum type method, or other type method as approved by the Contract Administrator.
- (b) The recovery of material shall follow immediately behind the excavation, to avoid excavated areas from filling with excavated material.
- (c) The use of mechanical sweepers will not be allowed.

- (d) Dispose of material in accordance with Section 3.4 of CW 1130.

**E12.3.3 Backfill of Hydro Excavated Hole**

- (a) The Contractor shall be responsible for the backfill of the hydro excavated hole with flowable cement-stabilized fill or sand backfill upon completion of the work described herein, to the approval of the Contract Administrator.

**E12.3.4 Excavate to locate limits of existing feeder main adjacent to the excavation, prior to installation of excavation and shoring work.**

**E12.4 Measurement and Payment (Provisional Item)**

**E12.4.1 Hydro Excavation for Utility Exploration as specified herein will be measured on unit price basis as listed in Form B: Prices. Payment will be made at the Contract Price for "Hydro Excavation for Utility Exploration".**

**E13. FLOW CONTROL**

**E13.1 Description**

- (a) This Specification shall cover flow control measures required to perform the work.

**E13.2 Submittals**

- (a) Submit a written flow control plan for sewers to be replaced for review by the Contract Administrator in accordance with E5, a minimum of ten (10) Business Days prior to undertaking the work. The flow control plan shall include the following:
  - (i) A description and sketch detailing the arrangement of the proposed flow control measures.
  - (ii) A list of the key components required for the flow control measures, including but not limited to the following:
    - ◆ Cofferdams/bulkheads
    - ◆ Inflatable Plugs
    - ◆ Diversion Materials
    - ◆ Piping or hoses
    - ◆ Pumps
  - (iii) A detailed procedure for installation and removal of the flow control measures.
  - (iv) Monitoring plan.
  - (v) 24 hr contact person.
  - (vi) Means and methods for dealing with excessive flows or wet weather events.
  - (vii) Means and methods for bypassing flows from apartment complexes and commercial buildings.
  - (viii) Supply of temporary washroom facilities where required.

**E13.3 Products**

**E13.3.1 Temporary Inflatable Plugs**

- (a) Plugs shall be capable of withstanding a minimum of 69 kPa (10 psi) of backpressure.
- (b) Plugs shall be capable of being anchored from upstream.
- (c) Inflatable plugs (if required) shall be provided by the Contractor.

**E13.3.2 Bypass Hoses and Fittings**

- (a) Bypass hose shall be a semi rigid style slip on discharge hose.
- (b) Fabricated tee's and wyes shall be used where required.
- (c) Hose and fittings must be designed to withstand pressures no less than the allowable back pressure on the plugs.

#### E13.3.3 Sandbags

- (a) Where required, provide sandbags for diversion of flow. Remove and dispose of sandbags upon completion of inspection. Sandbags in contact with sewage shall be disposed of at an approved disposal facility.

#### E13.3.4 Stop Logs and Plywood Diversion Dykes

- (a) Stop logs and plywood diversion dykes may be used to direct wastewater flows where chamber configurations permit. Plywood to have a minimum thickness of 19 mm and to be braced as required to resist hydrostatic pressures.

### E13.4 Methods

#### E13.4.1 General

- (a) Provide necessary flow control measures required to perform the work. Diversion of wastewater flow directly or indirectly to the environment, land drainage sewers, or storm relief sewers shall not be allowed.
- (b) Maintain all flows from the upstream interceptor sewer during construction including both dry weather and wet weather flows.
- (c) All Work shall be completed during dry weather flow conditions. Work shall be delayed when wet weather events are anticipated.
- (d) Ensure all flow control components and materials are removed from the sewer system upon completion of the work.

#### E13.4.2 NEWPCC Pumping Levels

- (a) Water levels within the downstream (west) interceptor sewer and outlet chamber are partially controlled by pump operations at NEWPCC. The City will endeavour to lower water levels within the interceptor system through modifying the NEWPCC pumping operations in accordance with D22.
- (b) Drawdown of the Main Street Interceptor anticipated to lower the hydraulic grade line at the connection manhole to approximately 217.7 m

#### E13.4.3 Weather

- (a) Review the Environment Canada weather forecast with the Contract Administrator before each day of liner installation.
- (b) Delay installation of liners and/or secure Works when the anticipated weather conditions are such that anticipated sewer flow will exceed the flow control measures provided.
- (c) The Contractor shall advise immediately of any weather-related delays.
- (d) The Contractor to schedule Work according to the weather; The City is not responsible for costs associated with weather related delays.

### E13.5 Measurement and Payment

- (a) Flow control measures necessary for rehabilitation of the siphons will not be measured for payment. It shall be incidental to connections to existing sewers.

## E14. OPERATING CONSTRAINTS FOR WORK IN CLOSE PROXIMITY TO FEEDER MAINS

### E14.1 Description

E14.1.1 This Section details operating constraints for all work to be carried out in close proximity to the City Feeder Mains and other critical water infrastructure. Close proximity shall be deemed to be any construction activity within a 3 m horizontal offset from the centerline of the pipeline, within 5 m of valve chambers and other appurtenances, and any other infrastructure identified below.

E14.1.2 The following shall be considered critical pipelines and water infrastructure for this project:



(a) North Main Feeder Main

E14.2 General Considerations for Work in Close Proximity to Feeder Mains, and Critical Infrastructure

- E14.2.1 Feeder mains are a critical component of the City of Winnipeg Regional Water Supply System and work in close proximity to infrastructure shall be undertaken with an abundance of caution. Feeder mains cannot typically be taken out of service for extended periods to facilitate construction and inadvertent damage caused to the pipe would likely have catastrophic consequences.
- E14.2.2 Work around feeder mains shall be planned and implemented to minimize the time period that work is carried out in close proximity to the pipe and to ensure that the pipeline is not subjected to excessive construction related loads, including excessive vibrations and/or concentrated or asymmetrical lateral loads during backfill placement.
- E14.2.3 Large diameter pressure pipe generally has limited ability to withstand increased earth and live loading. Therefore, every precaution must be undertaken to ensure that applied loading during all phases of construction is within accepted loading parameters.
- E14.2.4 The Aqueduct and drain piping adjacent to the work area is cast iron pipe with leaded joints. Care shall be taken to ensure joints are not dislodged.
- E14.2.5 Construction in close proximity to critical infrastructure shall not commence until both the equipment and construction method statements have been submitted, reviewed, and accepted by the Contract Administrator.

E14.3 Submittals

- E14.3.1 Submit proposed construction equipment specifications to the Contract Administrator for review a minimum of five (5) Business Days prior to construction. The equipment submission shall include:
- (a) equipment operating and payload weights;
  - (b) equipment dimensions, including wheel or track base, track length or axle spacing, track widths or wheel configurations; and
  - (c) load distributions in the intended operating configuration.
- E14.3.2 Submit a construction method statement to the Contract Administrator a minimum of five (5) business days prior to construction. The construction method statement shall contain the following minimum information:
- (a) proposed construction plan including excavation locations, haul routes, excavation equipment locations, and loading positions.
  - (b) excavation plans, including shoring designs, for excavations occurring in close proximity to feeder mains (within 5 m horizontal of the pipe's centerline) where the excavation to be extended below the top of the feeder mains embedment zone (150 mm above the pipe).
  - (c) any other pertinent information required to accurately describe the construction activities in close proximity to the feeder main and permit the Contract Administrator to review the proposed construction plans.

E14.4 Pre-Work, Planning and General Execution

- E14.4.1 No work shall commence in close proximity to feeder mains, chambers, and critical infrastructure until the equipment specifications and construction method statement have been submitted and accepted, and feeder main locations have been clearly delineated in the field. Work over feeder mains shall only be carried out with equipment that has been reviewed and quantified in terms of its loading implications on the pipe.
- E14.4.2 Contact the City of Winnipeg Water and Waste Department, Construction Services Coordinator prior to construction.

- E14.4.3 Locate feeder mains and confirm their position horizontally and vertically at the proposed the following locations prior to undertaking work in close proximity to the identified feeder mains. Note, exact locations to be identified in the field.
- E14.4.4 Visually delineate all critical infrastructure identified herein on Site by use of paint, staking/flagging, construction fencing, snow fencing, or other suitable methods
- E14.4.5 Only utilize construction practices and procedures that do not impart excessive vibratory loads on feeder mains and chambers or that would cause settlement of the subgrade below feeder mains and critical pipelines.
- E14.4.6 Where the existing road structure must be removed, crossing of critical infrastructure shall be prohibited from the time the existing roadway structure is removed until the completion of granular base construction. At all times prior to completion of final paving; reduce equipment speeds to levels that minimize the effects of impact loading to the critical infrastructure.
- E14.4.7 Only equipment and construction practices stipulated in the accepted construction method statement and the supplemental requirements noted herein may be utilized in close proximity to feeder mains, chambers, and other critical infrastructure identified herein.
- E14.4.8 Construction operations should be staged in such a manner as to limit multiple construction loads at one time, (e.g., offset crossings sufficiently from each other, rollers should remain a sufficient distance behind spreaders to limit loads. A reasonable offset distance is 3 m between loads).
- E14.4.9 Granular material, construction material, soil, and/or other material shall not be stockpiled on the pipelines or within 5 m of any feeder main, valve chamber, or other critical infrastructure identified herein.
- E14.4.10 Vibratory equipment shall not be utilized within 5 metres of the centreline of pipelines.
- E14.4.11 The Contractor shall ensure that all crew members understand and observe the requirements of working near feeder mains, valve chambers, and critical infrastructure. Prior to commencement of on-Site work, the Contractor shall jointly conduct an orientation meeting with the Contract Administrator, all superintendents, foreman, and heavy equipment operators to make all workers on the Site fully cognizant of the limitations of altered loading on, the ramifications of inadvertent damage to, and the constraints associated with work in close proximity to feeder mains and critical pipelines. New personnel introduced after commencement of the Project need to be formally orientated as outlined herein. It is recommended that restrictions associated with the crossing, consistent with the Contractor's submitted method statement be posted on Site and near the crossing.
- E14.5 Excavation and Shoring
- E14.5.1 Expose sides of pipelines by hydro excavation prior to installing piles or shoring
- E14.5.2 Use of pneumatic concrete breakers within 3 m of a feeder main, valve chamber, or critical pipeline is prohibited. Pavement shall be full depth sawcut and carefully removed. Use of hand held jackhammers for pavement removal will be allowed.
- E14.5.3 Offset excavation equipment a minimum of 3 m from the centerline of critical pipelines when undertaking excavations where there is less than 2.4 m of earth cover over the pipeline.
- E14.5.4 Utilize only smooth edged excavation buckets, soft excavation, or hand excavation techniques where there is less than 1.5 m of earth cover over the pipeline. Where there is less than 1.0 m of soil cover above the pipeline, provide full time supervision and complete the excavation utilizing hand excavation or soft excavation methods.
- E14.5.5 Equipment should not be allowed to operate while positioned directly over a feeder main or critical pipeline except were permitted herein, outlined in the reviewed and accepted construction method statement.

- E14.5.6 Excavations within 3 m of the outside edge of a feeder main (hydrovac holes for confirming trenchless installations excluded) and which extend below obvert of the feeder main shall utilize shoring methods that precludes the movement of native in-situ soils (i.e. a tight shoring system).
- E14.5.7 Pre-bore piles to below invert of pipelines
- E14.5.8 Minimum offset from closest edge of piles or shoring to pipelines is 600 mm
- E14.5.9 Shoring shall not impart lateral loads on pipelines.
- E14.5.10 Excavation shall only utilize smooth edge buckets when within 1 metre of the critical pipelines in any direction.
- E14.5.11 Excavation shall proceed evenly such that differential loads are not imparted on shoring or critical pipelines. A maximum differential elevation of 0.6m shall be maintained.
- E14.5.12 Shoring shall be monitored during excavation and daily while shoring is in place. A maximum of 25 mm differential movement shall be immediately reported to the Contract Administrator.
- E14.5.13 Removal of piles and/or sheeting shall be completed in a way to not result in lateral loading on the Aqueduct.
- E14.6 Craning and Lifting
- E14.6.1 Craning and lifting equipment shall not operate over pipelines.
- E14.6.2 Ancillary mass including counter weights, auxiliary booms, jibs, blocks and other devices shall be assembled on site where practical.
- E14.6.3 Crane pads and working platforms shall be located a minimum of 3 metres from the centreline of pipelines to the closest point of the crane pad or working platform.
- E14.7 Backfill
- E14.7.1 Backfilling shall be completed without use of heavy vibratory compaction equipment or equipment that would impart excessive loads on pipes and joints. Small vibratory compaction equipment such as plate packers up to 350 kilograms will be permitted.
- E14.8 Measurement and Payment
- (a) Work covered in this section will be considered incidental and will not be measured for payment. No separate payment will be made.

## **E15. TRENCHLESS EXCAVATION**

- E15.1 Further to Clause 3.4.1 of CW 2130, all sewers shall be installed by trenchless methods.
- E15.2 Selection of excavation equipment for installation of sewers by trenchless methods shall be the responsibility of the Contractor and shall be made based on the basis of expected soil conditions as detailed on the test hole logs. The Contractor shall make allowances in the choice of equipment to account for reasonable and minor deviations in ground conditions and shall have contingency plans for the removal of boulders and other minor changes in ground conditions.
- E15.3 Contractor shall Submit to the Contract Administrator a pipe installation method list indicating Contractor's proposed pipe segments planned to be installed by trenchless methods and include a short description of the proposed trenchless method for each segment.
- E15.4 Pressure grouting or approved alternative methods shall be used to fill voids caused by the installation or if the bored hole diameter is greater than the outside diameter of the pipe by more than 25 mm.
- E15.5 Verification of Utility Elevations

- (a) Prior to construction, the Contractor shall verify at their own cost all buried utility elevations impacted by the Work. Verification shall occur in a minimum of fourteen (14) Calendar Days prior to any construction on the land drainage sewer such that any required grade adjustments can be made. Contractor shall arrange for all required utility locations, safety watches and other required notifications. Contractor shall provide a minimum of five (5) Calendar Days' notice to the Contract Administrator of conducting utility exposures.

**E15.6** In the event that there is a substantial change in the character or nature of the subsurface conditions or that obstructions are encountered, which adversely impact the Contractor's production or construction procedure, the Contractor shall immediately notify the Contract Administrator.

- (a) The notice shall provide details of the change in subsurface soil conditions or obstructions encountered, any proposed construction procedure revision that the Contractor intends to undertake, as well as any other relevant supporting information.
- (b) The Contract Administrator shall review the notice as expeditiously as possible to assess whether the change in conditions and revised construction procedures amount to a Change in Work. In the case of obstructions due to boulders in the silt/till or hardpan strata where that stratum is evident in the test hole logs, no consideration will be made for a Change in Work as boulder obstructions can be reasonably anticipated when working in this stratum. Obstructions such as "random boulders" in the clay strata well above the till interface may be considered as a Change in Work dependent on the level of effort required to facilitate their removal.
- (c) Where the Contract Administrator deems that a Change in Work is necessary, it shall be valued in accordance with the provisions of C7 and the supplementary requirements of E16.

## **E16. TRENCHLESS EXCAVATION OBSTRUCTIONS**

**E16.1** Contingency plans for removal of the obstructions encountered in trenchless excavations must be approved by the Contract Administrator and may consist of but not limited to one of the following.

- (a) Drill or excavate a shaft at the location of the obstruction and remove the obstruction.
- (b) Remove the obstruction through the jacking head or core hole following drilling, splitting or breaking the obstruction into smaller components as required.
- (c) Other removal methods.

**E16.2** Where the Contract Administrator deems that the obstruction encountered represents a Change in Work, the Contractor will be compensated from the allowance under the Contract unit price "Change in Contract Conditions" in accordance with C7.4 and the following supplemental requirements:

- (a) The first four (4) hours of handling obstructions for each occurrence shall be the responsibility of the Contractor.
- (b) Equipment rates for equipment required in support of the obstruction removal shall be compensated at the MHCA rental rates. Equipment not listed in the MHCA rate schedule shall have their rates established by the Contractor prior to the commencement of Work in accordance with the procedure documented in the MHCA rental guide for establishing equipment rental rates and shall be subject to the approval of the Contract Administrator.
- (c) Standby equipment that cannot reasonably be deployed elsewhere during the duration of the obstruction removal shall be compensated at 50% of its established rate as noted in E16.2(b) above.
- (d) Labour rates and material costs associated with obstruction removal shall be compensated as per C7.4 (c) and C7.4.1 with the provision that any removal and replacement of pavements shall be compensated at the Contract Unit Price for such Work.

## **E17. EXCAVATION, BEDDING AND BACKFILL**

### **E17.1 General**

- (a) This Specification shall revise, amend, and supplement the requirements of CW 2030 of the City of Winnipeg's Standard Construction Specifications

### **E17.2 Submittals**

- (a) Submit shoring designs, in accordance with CW 2030.

### **E17.3 Existing Utilities**

- (a) Arrange and pay for any required safety watches around existing utilities as per CW1120.
- (b) Arrange and provide temporary or permanent relocation of existing utilities, and or temporary support of existing utilities required for the excavation of the shafts. Work on private utilities may not occur without submittal and approval of your utility plan to the Contract Administrator and approval from the utility owner.

### **E17.4 Disposal of Unsuitable or Surplus Excavated Material**

- (a) The Contractor is responsible for arranging for a disposal site for all excavated material, including all associated works including transportation and payment of tipping fees. Disposal of all excavated material shall be considered incidental to the Works.

### **E17.5 Foundation, Bedding and Backfill**

- (a) Type 3 foundations shall be used in all shafts.
- (b) Type 3 initial backfill material shall be used in place of sand in all shafts.
- (c) All shafts located within one (1) metre of paved areas on Regional streets shall be backfilled with Class 1 backfill as per SD-002.
- (d) All shafts located within one (1) metre of paved areas of Non-Regional streets shall be backfilled with Class 2 or Class 3 backfill as per SD-002.
- (e) Shafts to accommodate a tunnelling or jacking machine shall be constructed with a concrete foundation of sufficient cross section and trueness to adequately support and align the machine during tunnelling operations.

### **E17.6 Measurement and Payment**

- (a) Excavation, shoring, and backfilling for pipe installation will not be measured for payment. Costs for excavation and shoring shall be included in the price for installation of sewer pipe. No separate measurement or payment will be made.

## **E18. CONNECTING TO EXISTING 1350 MM INTERCEPTOR**

### **E18.1 Description**

- (a) This Specification supplements and amends City of Winnipeg Standard Construction Specification CW 2130 Gravity Sewers and shall cover the connection of the new 250 mm wastewater sewer to the existing 1350 mm interceptor.

### **E18.2 Materials**

- (a) Excavation, Bedding, and Backfill
  - (i) As per CW 2030, E17 and Drawings.
- (b) Manhole
  - (i) As per CW 2160 and Drawings.

### **E18.3 Submittals**

- (a) Shoring design in accordance with CW 2030.
- (b) Manhole drawings in accordance with CW 2160.

- (c) Method statement for proposed methods of connection.

#### E18.4 Construction Methods

- (a) As per CW 2160 and Drawings.
- (b) Confirm locations and elevations of existing utilities prior to construction. Protect and support existing utilities in accordance with the requirements of the utility owner. Utilities may not be interrupted. Any proposed interruptions or temporary relocations will require permission of utility owner and Contract Administrator.
- (c) Contractor shall remove the portion of 900 mm diameter manhole riser and install a new 1500 mm diameter manhole riser down to new 250 mm connection drop pipe. Provide custom manhole base for transition from new riser to existing.

#### E18.5 Method of Measurement and Basis of Payment

- (a) The connection of the new 250 mm wastewater sewer shall be measured on a lump sum basis and paid for at the Contract Unit Price for "Connecting to Existing 1350 mm Interceptor". The lump sum price shall include but not be limited to locating existing utilities, excavation and shoring, demolition of existing manhole sections, installation of new manhole sections, connection of new wastewater sewer to new manhole section, installation of a drop pipe, backfill, and performing all operations necessary to complete the Works as specified and as indicated on the Drawings including all items incidental to the Works.

### E19. TEMPORARY SURFACE RESTORATION

#### E19.1 General

- (a) This specification applies to temporary surface restoration Work.
- (b) Further to clause 3.3 of CW 1130 where permanent surface restorations cannot be made due to cold weather, the Contractor shall temporarily restore surfaces as follows:

#### E19.2 Construction Methods

- (a) Backfill under Temporary Surface Restoration
  - (i) Backfill and level boulevards and grassed areas to match existing surface elevations,
  - (ii) Use Class 2 backfill in excavation under temporary street pavement and sidewalk where Class 3 backfill cannot be jetted and flooded due to cold weather.
  - (iii) Class 2 backfill may be compacted in 600 mm lifts where backhoe operated pneumatic plate compactors are used.
  - (iv) Jet and flood Class 2, Class 3 and Class 5 backfilled excavations in spring when ground is not frozen prior to permanent restoration.
- (b) Temporary Surface Restoration
  - (i) Cap excavations in concrete pavement with a 100 mm layer of concrete for "Temporary Restoration of Utility Pavement Cuts" as specified in CW 3310.
  - (ii) Cap excavations in sidewalk pavement with a 50 mm layer of concrete for "Temporary Restoration of Utility Pavement Cuts" as specified in CW 3310.
  - (iii) Insulate temporary concrete as required during 48 hour curing period.
  - (iv) Where curb has been removed as part of the pavement cut pour temporary curb using "Concrete for Temporary Restoration of Utility Pavement Cuts" as specified in CW 3310.
  - (v) Remove all temporary pavements prior to permanent restorations.
- (c) Maintenance
  - (i) The Contractor shall monitor and maintain temporarily restored surfaces as required until permanent restoration is complete.

- (ii) If, in the opinion of the Contract Administrator, temporarily restored surfaces are not being adequately maintained or were not properly constructed and pose a danger to the public, maintenance or reconstruction will be done by the City forces with no advance notification the Contractor.
- (iii) All costs associated with the maintenance or reconstruction of temporary pavement incurred by the City shall be deducted from future payments to the Contractor.

#### E19.3 Measurement and Payment (Provisional Item)

- (a) Temporary restoration will be measured on unit price basis as listed in Form B: Prices. Payment will be made at the Contract Price for "Temporary Surface Restorations".
- (b) No extra payment will be made for the installation of Class 2 backfill under temporary street pavement and sidewalk.
- (c) No measurement or payment will be made for the temporary restorations of boulevards and grassed areas.
- (d) No measurement or payment will be made for the removal of temporary pavement prior to permanent restoration.

### E20. PERMANENT RESTORATION

#### E20.1 Description

- (a) This specification identifies the requirements for permanent surface restorations.
- (b) The specification amends the Surface Restorations defined in CW 2130 and places the cost of permanent surface restorations upon the particular Work item being undertaken.

#### E20.2 General

- (a) The Contractor will follow the City's Street By-law No. 1481/77 and Street Cuts Manual (2025) for all pavement restoration unless otherwise shown on the drawing or specifications or as directed by the Contract Administrator. The Contractor or their subcontractor shall hold a Restoration Contractor's License issued under the Streets By-law in order to restore pavement cuts in accordance with the City of Winnipeg Street Cuts Manual.
- (b) The Street Classification and Surface Type within the project work area are classified as follows:

Street Name	Segment	Classification	Pavement Type	General Condition
Woodbine Avenue	Main Street to Donan Street	Local	Chip Seal	No Rating
Main Street Southbound	Park Manor Boulevard to Red River Boulevard West	Regional	Asphalt over Concrete	Good
<p>Note: Values obtained from City of Winnipeg Street Conditions Map available at:  <a href="https://winnipeg.ca/publicworks/maps/streetconditions.asp">https://winnipeg.ca/publicworks/maps/streetconditions.asp</a>  Conditions reported at the time of posting may not reflect existing conditions.</p>				

- (c) All street segments within the work area impacted by the Work as determined by the Contract Administrator shall be maintained and restored with the following additional requirements.
  - (i) Review and record the condition of each street segment with the Contract Administrator and a City Representative from Public Works prior to the initiation of Work.
  - (ii) Review and record the condition of each street segment with the Contract Administrator and a City Representative from Public Works prior to surface

restoration. The surface restoration required for each street segment will be agreed upon at this review meeting.

- (iii) Pavement Restoration Guidelines can be found in the City of Winnipeg Street Cuts Manual and are summarized below.



◆ Asphalt and Asphalt over Concrete:

Rated Pavement Condition of Segment	Regional Streets	Non-Regional Streets
	Action Required	Action Required
New	Grind and repave full lane width, and length of excavation or project (see Note A-3 and Pavement Restoration Requirements for Series of Cuts)	Grind and repave full lane width, and length of excavation or project (see Note A-3 and Pavement Restoration Requirements for Series of Cuts)
Good		
Fair		Decision after inspection by Public Works Department (see Notes A-2 and A-3)
Poor	Decision after inspection by Public Works Department (see Notes A-2 and A-3)	Isolated repairs accepted

◆ Concrete:

Rated Pavement Condition of Segment	Regional Streets	Non-Regional Streets
	Action Required	Action Required
New	Full panel repair	Full panel repair
Good		
Fair	Decision after inspection by Public Works Department (see Note B-2)	Decision after inspection by Public Works Department (see Note B-2)
Poor		Isolated repairs accepted

### E20.3 Methods

- (a) The Contractor shall permanently restore all existing surface areas disturbed by construction activities including but not limited to areas disturbed by; construction equipment, placement of equipment trailers and where construction materials were stockpiled, shall be restored as follows:
  - (i) Full depth partial slab patches in accordance with CW 3230.
  - (ii) Boulevards, ditches and grassed areas - sodding using imported topsoil in accordance with CW 3510. The Contractor shall restore all areas disturbed during construction to existing condition or better, using topsoil and sod at its own cost.
  - (iii) Asphalt and Chip Seal surfaces – match existing base course and asphalt thickness or a minimum of 150 mm of base course and 75 mm of Type 1A Asphaltic Concrete, whichever is greater, in accordance with CW 3410.
  - (iv) Miscellaneous concrete slabs, including sidewalk - in accordance with CW 3235
  - (v) Interlocking stones – in accordance with CW 3330.
  - (vi) Concrete curb and gutter – in accordance with CW 3240.
  - (vii) Trees - requiring replacement due to construction activities (as directed by the Contract Administrator) shall be installed in accordance with CW 3510. The Contractor will not be reimbursed under a separate pay item for replacing trees damaged by construction activities. The work will be considered incidental to the Work.

### E20.4 Measurement and Payment

- (a) Permanent Restoration as a result of sewer installation, including but not limited to the construction of land drainage sewers, shafts, manholes, catch basins, and other related Work, will be measured on unit price basis in accordance with CW 2160 as listed in Form B: Prices. Payment will be made at the Contract Price for “Permanent Restoration”.
- (b) No differentiation will be made for class of patch.
- (c) No separate measurement or payment will be made for Drilled Dowels or Tie Bars
- (d) Boulevard restoration will be considered incidental to the Work in accordance with CW 2130 and will not be measured for payment. No separate payment will be made
- (e) Permanent Restoration for pavement repairs related to provisional items not identified on the Drawings will be measured on a unit price basis and payment will be made in accordance with the unit prices listed on Form B: Prices.

## PART F - SECURITY CLEARANCE

### F1. SECURITY CLEARANCE

- F1.1 Each individual proposed to perform the following portions of the Work:
- (a) any Work on private property;
  - (b) any Work within City facilities other than:
    - (i) an underground structure such as a manhole;
    - (ii) in areas and at times normally open to the public.
  - (c) communicating with residents and homeowners in person or by telephone;
- F1.1.1 Each Individual shall be required to obtain a Police Information Check from the police service having jurisdiction at their place of residence. Or
- (a) Sterling BackCheck – for existing account holders, log into your account to send individual invitations to employees requiring security clearance. For those that do not have an account, click on the following link to open an account:  
<https://forms.sterlingbackcheck.com/partners/platform2-en.php?&partner=winnipegcity>; or
  - (b) Commissionaires (Manitoba Division), forms to be completed can be found on the website at: <https://www.commissionaires.ca/en/manitoba/home>; or .
  - (c) FASTCHECK Criminal Record & Fingerprint Specialists, forms to be completed can be found on the website at: <https://myfastcheck.com>
- F1.2 Prior to the award of Contact, and during the term of the Contract if additional or replacement individuals are proposed to perform Work, the Bidder/Contractor shall supply the Contract Administrator with a Police Information Check obtained not earlier than one (1) year prior to the Submission Deadline, or a certified true copy thereof, for each individual proposed to perform such Work.
- F1.3 Any individual for whom a Police Information Check is not provided, or for whom a Police Information Check indicates any convictions or pending charges related to property offences or crimes against another person will not be permitted to perform any Work specified in F1.1.
- F1.4 Any Police Information Check obtained thereby will be deemed valid for the duration of the Contract subject to a repeated records search as hereinafter specified.
- F1.5 Notwithstanding the foregoing, at any time during the term of the Contract, the City may, at their sole discretion and acting reasonably, require an updated Police Information Check. Any individual who fails to provide a satisfactory Police Information Check as a result of a repeated Police Information Check will not be permitted to continue to perform any Work specified in F1.1.