



January 11, 2023

ADDENDUM No. 1

**Invitation to Tender CS-22-07
SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF ANTENNA TOWER**

*The addendum is being issued prior to the closing of the Invitation to Tender (ITT) to provide further information, make changes to, or to clarify the ITT Documents and is to be read, interpreted and coordinated with all other parts of the ITT Documents. In the case of a conflict with the balance of the documents, this Addendum shall govern. **Proponents shall attach a signed copy of this addendum to their tender submission, failure to do so may result in a non-compliant tender.** This addendum shall form part of the Contract Documents.*

This addendum is being provided in clarification to ITT CS-22-07 released December 15, 2022.

Question 1: Referencing this Project Site Visit: We would like to visit the current site and review the existing conditions, assess this project site work scope plan, as noted within the bid docs and specifications. Please advise on this project scheduled site visit and walk-through c/w coordination contact info. for our site SOW review.

Answer 1: The Regional District will not be scheduling a site meeting at this time due to the time of year and the site currently being covered in snow. A site visit and pre-construction meeting will be held with the successful bidder. A geotechnical report and site location map were included in the ITT.

Question 2: Referencing this project Bid Tender Pricing Schedule: Regarding the Schedule of Pricing (sheet 19); Please confirm if line item #1 is to include the cost of the Design, Supply, and Installation of the (45m) Communications Antenna Tower only? All actual antenna details and designs are optional?

Answer 2: Yes, that is correct. The cost to Supply, Construction, Installation, and warranty of the communications antenna tower, as detailed in Appendix C “Scope of Work and Specifications” is to be included in Line #1 on page 19. Pricing for items listed in Appendix D, including the supply of antennas, the installation of the antennas and the antenna and line sweep testing are to be priced separately under Appendix D – Optional Equipment/Specifications.

Question 3: The Schedule of Pricing, as per line item #4: indicates the overall lot lump bid proposal is **not to include** the Supply and Installation of Antenna Figure #1-line item #1,#2,#3 and #6; as they are part of the Appendix-D optional pricing structure. Is this a correct interpretation?

Answer 3: Yes, that is correct. Pricing for items listed in Appendix D, including the supply of antennas, the installation of the antennas and the antenna and line sweep testing are to be priced separately under Appendix D – Optional Equipment/Specifications.



Question 4: What is the Appendix-D optional pricing for? This contract work scope or the future antenna supply and installation SOW packages?

Answer 4: The potential award of items listed in Appendix D, including the supply of antennas and lines and associated parts, the installation of the antennas and lines and the testing of antenna and line sweeps may be awarded separately from the scope of work contained in Appendix C.

Question 5: Referencing this Project Bid Package Submittal Date:

Please advise if this project submittal date can be extended by (2-3 weeks).

Answer 5: The Regional District will extend the closing date for competitive bid CS-22-07 Supply and Installation of Antenna Tower.

The date extensions are as follows:

1. Closing Date, as referred to in Section 1.2 Closing Date and Time, is extended from 2:00 pm on January 26, 2023 to **2:00 pm on February 16, 2023**. In all Sections of CS-22-07 referring to Closing Date, **the revised closing date is 2:00 pm on February 16, 2023**.
2. Requests for Clarifications, as referred to in Section 1.8 Errors, Omissions, Clarifications; the last date that requests for clarification or inquiries can be accepted is extended from 2:00 pm on January 12, 2023 to **2:00 pm on January 26, 2023**.
3. Award of Contract, as referred to in Section 4.3, is extended from anticipated award of contract on February 16, 2023 to **anticipated award of contract on March 23, 2023**.

I/We hereby verify that we have considered this addendum in our tender submission.

Tenderer's Signature

Date

All inquiries relating to ITT CS-22-07 must be emailed to:
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