

May 18, 2021

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. PS20201030  
COLLECTION OF TEXTILES AT VANCOUVER ZERO WASTE CENTRES  
ADDENDUM NO. 1**

**RE: PART B – SCOPE OF WORK – Section 4.9 Value-Added Services**

Additional background information pertaining to Part B of the RFP, Section 4.9, item (a)(i), which states: “Proponents should describe in their Proposals their ability to provide the following value-added services: i. Donate items found in Bin Contents, including items specified by the City (e.g. reusable shopping bags, backpacks, waterproof clothing and footwear) which may change from time to time, to non-profits and social enterprises in Vancouver that provide programs and services to residents disproportionately affected by income inequality.”

The City is developing the Shopping Bag By-law Support Plan before Vancouver’s ban on plastic shopping bags and fees for paper bags and new reusable bags begins January 1, 2022. The purpose of the support plan is to minimize potential impacts that the plastic bag ban and required fees on paper and new reusable bags may have on residents with low incomes or people experiencing homelessness. Visit [vancouver.ca/shopping-bag-support](http://vancouver.ca/shopping-bag-support) for more information.

As a quick-start action in the support plan, the City collected reusable shopping bags at Vancouver Zero Waste Centre between March 22 and April 18, 2021. Development of a pilot program to test options for making the bags available to non-profits and social enterprises that provide services to residents disproportionately affected by income inequality (e.g. grocery hampers, clothing rooms) is ongoing

**This Addendum must be completed, and attached to your Proposal form.**

If you have already submitted your Proposal, this addendum shall be submitted by email to the Contact Person identified in the RFP with the subject line “Addendum No. 1 to Request For Proposals No. PS20201030 – Collection of Textiles at Vancouver Zero Waste Centres” before the closing time of 3:00 p.m., June 24, 2021.

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NAME OF VENDOR

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Signature of Authorized Signatory

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Date

Philip Lai  
Buyer II