



REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF TRIDEM AXLE WALKING-FLOOR TRAILERS

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SUMMARY

The RFP concerns the City's interest in procuring eleven (11) semi-trailers constructed of steel, with the option to purchase additional units as required.

PART A – INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

1.0 THE RFP

- 1.1 Except where expressly stated otherwise in Appendix 1 of Part C of the Request for Proposals (“RFP”): (i) no part of the RFP consists of an offer by the city to enter into any contractual relationship; and (ii) no part of the RFP is legally binding on the city.
- 1.2 The City is interested in selecting an entity, which is not, by the terms hereof, barred from submitting a Proposal, and which does submit a Proposal (each such entity, a “**Proponent**”) with the capability and experience to efficiently and cost-effectively meet the objectives and requirements described in the RFP. The City currently expects to select such a Proponent and then enter into negotiations with that Proponent, which will conclude in the execution of a contract between the Proponent and the City (such a contract, an “**Agreement**”). However, the City may: (i) decline to select any Proponent; (ii) decline to enter into any Agreement; (iii) select multiple Proponents for negotiation; or (iv) enter into one or more agreements respecting the subject matter of the RFP with one or more Proponents or other entities at any time. The City may also terminate the RFP at any time.
- 1.3 The City currently intends that Proposals will be evaluated by the City in relation to their overall value, which will be assessed in the City's sole and absolute discretion. In assessing value, the City expects to consider the factors described in Section 8.0 below, among others.
- 1.4 No bid security is required from Proponents in connection with the submission of Proposals because no Proposal will be deemed to be an irrevocable or otherwise binding legal offer by a Proponent to the City. The legal obligations of a Proponent that will arise upon the submission of its Proposal will be limited to the terms and conditions stated under the heading “Legal Terms & Conditions” in Appendix 1 to the Part C - Form of Proposal.
- 1.5 The execution of an Agreement may be contingent on funding being approved, and the relevant Proposal being approved, by the Vancouver City Council.
- 1.6 The RFP consists of four parts, plus appendices:
- (a) **PART A - INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS:** This part is intended to serve as a guide to the RFP process for Proponents.
 - (b) **PART B - SCOPE OF WORK:** This part describes the subject matter of the RFP, in respect of which the City invites Proposals.
 - (c) **PART C - FORM OF PROPOSAL:** This is the form in which the Proposal should be submitted.
 - (d) **PART D - FORM OF AGREEMENT:** This part contains a model Agreement (the “**Form of Agreement**”). Any Agreement resulting from the RFP is expected to be substantially in the form of the Form of Agreement.

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2.0 KEY DATES

2.1 Potential Proponents should note the following key dates:

Event	Time and Date
Deadline for Enquiries	3:00pm on Tuesday, September 14, 2021
Closing Time	3:00pm on Tuesday, September 21, 2021

2.2 All references to time in the RFP are references to the time in the City of Vancouver, as indicated in the electronic timestamp the Proposal receives upon delivery to the email address specified herein, which is in turn synchronized to Network Time Protocol (NTP) provided by the National Research Council of Canada adjusted to local Pacific Time Zone.

3.0 CONTACT PERSON

3.1 All enquiries regarding the RFP must be addressed to:

Michael Sachdev, Buyer
michael.sachdev@vancouver.ca

3.2 All enquiries must be made in writing and are to be directed only to the above contact person. In-person or telephone enquiries are not permitted. Any communication from potential Proponents to City staff other than the contact person regarding the content of this RFP may lead to disqualification of the Proponent from this RFP process, at the City's sole discretion.

3.3 **IF A POTENTIAL PROPONENT BELIEVES THAT THE CITY MAY BE UNABLE TO SELECT IT DUE TO A CONFLICT OF INTEREST, BUT IS UNCERTAIN ABOUT THIS, THE POTENTIAL PROPONENT IS URGED TO CONTACT THE ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WITH THE RELEVANT INFORMATION SO THAT THE CITY MAY ADVISE THE POTENTIAL PROPONENT REGARDING THE MATTER.**

4.0 SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS

4.1 Proponents should submit their Proposals on or before the time and date specified in the bottom row of the table in Section 2.1 above (the "**Closing Time**").

4.2 Each Proponent should submit its Proposal by email in accordance with the following:

- Subject of the file to be: PS# - Title - Vendor name.
- Document format for submissions:
 - RFP Part C in PDF format - 1 combined PDF file,
 - Appendix 3 (pricing tab) in Excel format, and;
 - Any other attachments if necessary
- Zip the files to reduce the size or email separately if needed.

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- Send your submissions to Bids@vancouver.ca; do not deliver a physical copy to the City of Vancouver.
 - Submitting the files via Drop box, FTP, or similar programs, is not acceptable.
 - Due to cybersecurity concerns, the City of Vancouver will quarantine any inbound email with attachments not in PDF or Microsoft Office formats which will result in non-delivery to Supply Chain Management and will be deemed not submitted. Non-compliant file formats will be detected and quarantined even if they are compressed, zipped, renamed, and include password protected zipped files.
 - The maximum number of attachments allowed in an email message is 250 attachments.
 - The maximum size limit for an email message, including all attachments, is 20MB per message
- 4.3 To be considered by the City, a Proposal must be submitted in the form set out in Part C (the “**Form of Proposal**”), completed and duly executed by the relevant Proponent.
- 4.4 Amendments to a Proposal may be submitted via the same methods, at any time prior to the Closing Time.
- 4.5 Proposals are revocable and may be withdrawn at any time before or after the Closing Time.
- 4.6 All costs associated with the preparation and submission of a Proposal, including any costs incurred by a Proponent after the Closing Time, will be borne solely by the Proponent.
- 4.7 Unnecessarily elaborate Proposals are discouraged. Proposals should be limited to the items specified in Part C of the RFP.
- 4.8 The City is willing to consider any Proposal from two or more Proponents that wish to form a consortium for the purpose of responding to the RFP, provided that they disclose the names of all members of the consortium and all members complete and sign the first page of the Form of Proposal. Nonetheless, the City has a strong preference for Proposals submitted by a single Proponent, including a Proponent that would act as a general contractor and use subcontractors as required.
- 4.9 Proposals that are submitted after the Closing Time or that otherwise do not comply in full with the terms hereof may or may not be considered by the City and may or may not be returned to the Proponent, in the City’s sole discretion.
- 5.0 **CHANGES TO THE RFP AND FURTHER INFORMATION**
- 5.1 The City may amend the RFP or make additions to it at any time.
- 5.2 It is the sole responsibility of Proponents to check the City’s website at: <http://vancouver.ca/doing-business/open-bids.aspx> regularly for amendments, addenda, and questions and answers in relation to the RFP.
- 5.3 Proponents must not rely on any information purported to be given on behalf of the City that contradicts the RFP, as amended or supplemented in accordance with the foregoing Section 5.2.
- 6.0 **PROPOSED TERM OF ENGAGEMENT**

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6.1 The term of any Agreement is expected to be a 5-year period, with 2 possible 1-year extensions, for a maximum total term of 7 years.

7.0 PRICING

7.1 All prices quoted in any Proposal are to be exclusive of applicable sales taxes calculated upon such prices, but inclusive of all other costs.

7.2 Prices must be quoted in Canadian currency and fixed prices must be quoted for the full term of the Proponent's proposed agreement.

7.3 Prices are to be quoted CIP, destination (Incoterms, 2010). For the avoidance of doubt, freight, insurance, unloading at the destination designated by the City, import duties, brokerage, royalties, handling, overhead, profit and all other similar costs are to be included in quoted prices.

8.0 EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

8.1 The City may open or decline to open Proposals in such manner and at such times and places as are determined by the City.

8.2 The City currently intends that all Proposals submitted to it in accordance with the RFP will be evaluated by City representatives, using quantitative and qualitative tools and assessments, as appropriate, to determine which Proposal or Proposals offer the overall best value to the City. In so doing, the City expects to examine: (i) financial terms, (ii) Proponents' skills, knowledge, reputations and previous experience(s), including experience(s) with the City (if any); (iii) Proponents' capabilities to perform the City's scope of work (as defined in Part B) as and when needed, (iv) quality and service factors, (v) innovation, (vi) environmental or social sustainability; and (vii) transition costs or challenges. Certain other factors may be mentioned in Part B or elsewhere in the RFP.

8.3 The City will retain complete control over the RFP process at all times until the execution and delivery of an Agreement or Agreements, if any. The City is not legally obligated to review, consider or evaluate Proposals, or any particular Proposal, and need not necessarily review, consider or evaluate Proposals, or any particular Proposal in accordance with the procedures set out in the RFP. The City may continue, interrupt, cease or modify its review, evaluation and negotiation process in respect of any or all Proposals at any time without further explanation or notification to any Proponents.

8.4 The City may, at any time prior to signing an Agreement, discuss or negotiate changes to the scope of the RFP with any one or more of the Proponents without having any duty or obligation to advise the other Proponents or to allow the other Proponents to vary their Proposals as a result of such discussions or negotiations.

8.5 The City may elect to short-list Proponents and evaluate Proposals in stages. Short-listed Proponents may be asked to provide additional information or details for clarification, including by attending interviews, making presentations, supplying samples, performing demonstrations, furnishing technical data or proposing amendments to the Form of Agreement. The City will be at liberty to negotiate in parallel with one or more short-listed Proponents, or in sequence, or in any combination, and may at any time terminate any or all negotiations.

8.6 The City may also require that any proposed subcontractors undergo evaluation by the City.

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8.7 For the avoidance of doubt, notwithstanding any other provision in the RFP, the City has in its sole discretion, the unfettered right to: (a) accept any Proposal; (b) reject any Proposal; (c) reject all Proposals; (d) accept a Proposal which is not the lowest-price proposal; (e) accept a Proposal that deviates from the requirements or the conditions specified in the RFP; (f) reject a Proposal even if it is the only Proposal received by the City; (g) accept all or any part of a Proposal; (h) split the scope of work between one or more Proponents; and (i) enter into one or more agreements respecting the subject matter of the RFP with any entity or entities at any time. Without limiting the foregoing, the City may reject any Proposal by a Proponent that has a conflict of interest, has engaged in collusion with another Proponent or has otherwise attempted to influence the outcome of the RFP other than through the submission of its Proposal.

9.0 CITY POLICIES

9.1 The City's Procurement Policy, Ethical Purchasing Policy and related Supplier Code of Conduct found at <http://vancouver.ca/doing-business/selling-to-and-buying-from-the-city.aspx> align the City's approach to procurement with its corporate social, environmental and economic sustainability values and goals. They evidence the City's commitment to maximize benefits to the environment and the community through product and service selection, and to ensure safe and healthy workplaces, where human and civil rights are respected. Each Proponent is expected to adhere to the supplier performance standards set forth in the Supplier Code of Conduct. The Ethical Purchasing Policy shall be referred to in the evaluation of Proposals, to the extent applicable.

9.2 The City's Alcohol, Controlled Drugs and Medications Policy applies to all contractors doing work on behalf of the City and can be found at <https://policy.vancouver.ca/ADMIN011.pdf>. The policy is intended to set expectations regarding the use of alcohol, medication and controlled drugs that may render an employee unfit for work, impair performance or cause risk of harm to health and safety. The successful Proponent will be required to ensure compliance with the policy by its employees when doing work for the City.

10.0 LIVING WAGE EMPLOYER

10.1 Effective May 1, 2017, the City of Vancouver became a "Living Wage Employer". As such, the City requires all firms that are contracted by the City to provide services on City-owned and leased properties to pay employees who perform those services on City property a Living Wage as calculated by the Living Wage for Families Campaign.

Please see the Living Wage for Families Campaign website for the current Living Wage for Vancouver:

http://www.livingwageforfamilies.ca/living_wages_in_bc_and_canada

The Living Wage includes the value of any non-mandatory benefits such as paid sick leave, employer-paid Medical Services Plan premiums and extended health benefits.

The Living Wage for Families has created a Living Wage Calculator to assist with the calculation of an employee's hourly rate with benefits. The Living Wage Calculator can be found at the following website:

<http://www.livingwageforfamilies.ca/employers/living-wage-calculator/>

Proponents should refer to the Form of Agreement attached as Part D to this RFP for the specific requirements related to the Living Wage, which include:

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- (a) paying the Living Wage to all employees who perform services pursuant to the Agreement on City property during the term of the Agreement; and
- (b) ensuring that all subcontractors pay the Living Wage to their employees who perform services on City property during the term of the Agreement.

Failure to comply with the Living Wage requirement will entitle the City to terminate the Agreement.

11.0 CERTAIN APPLICABLE LEGISLATION

11.1 Proponents should note that the City of Vancouver is subject to the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (British Columbia), which imposes significant obligations on the City's consultants or contractors to protect all personal information acquired from the City in the course of providing any service to the City.

11.2 Proponents should note that the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) requires that certain payments to non-residents be subject to tax withholding. Proponents are responsible for informing themselves regarding the requirements of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada), including the requirements to qualify for any available exemptions from withholding.

12.0 LEGAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

12.1 The legal obligations of a Proponent that will arise upon the submission of its Proposal are stated in this Appendix 1 to the Form of Proposal. Except where expressly stated in these Legal Terms and Conditions: (i) no part of the RFP consists of an offer by the City to enter into any contractual relationship; and (ii) no part of the RFP is legally binding on the City.

POTENTIAL PROPONENTS MUST REVIEW THESE LEGAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE SUBMITTING A PROPOSAL.

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PART B - CITY REQUIREMENTS

PART B – SCOPE OF WORK

The scope of work stated in this Part B (collectively, the “**Scope of Work**”) IS current as of the date hereof, but may change or be refined in the course of the evaluation of Proposals or otherwise.

Unless otherwise stated, if, and wherever, the Scope of Work states a brand name, a make, the name of a manufacturer, a trade name or a vendor catalogue number, it is for the purpose of establishing a grade or quality of materials, goods or equipment only. It is not intended to rule out the use of other equivalent materials, goods or equipment. If, however, products other than those specified are proposed in any Proposal, the Proposal must explicitly include under the heading “Alternative Solutions” the names of such products and their manufacturers, any trade names and any applicable vendor catalogue numbers, and the City may request that the Proponent provide specific evidence of equivalency. Evidence of quality in the form of samples may also be requested.

To the extent that the Scope of Work expresses estimates of quantities or volumes of goods or services expected to be required by the City, the City cannot offer any assurances that such quantities or volumes will in fact be required.

1.0 REQUIREMENTS

The RFP concerns the City’s interest in procuring eleven (11) semi-trailers constructed of steel, with the option to purchase additional units as required. The trailers will transport domestic and commercial refuse, yard waste and food waste from a Transfer Station located in south Vancouver to the City of Vancouver Landfill in Delta, BC, with a roundtrip distance of approximately 46 km. The units will be required to undergo at least four (4) roundtrips per shift, with minimal to no opportunity to refuel during a shift. The units will be required to operate walking floor trailers to offload refuse for approx. 30 mins total per shift.

The transport vehicles are composed of a tandem axle chassis and a 16.2 m (53 ft.) tridem axle semi-trailer. The trailers supplied must meet all applicable BC Motor Vehicle Legislation. The units will travel on congested streets and highways to the landfill. At the landfill the units will traverse rough off-highway roads. The operation will be all weather, day and night service, and is acknowledged to be severe service.

The City has provided the requisite specifications for the conventional cab and chassis, tandem axle tractors in **Appendix 1 to Part B 1 - Technical Requirements** attached; Please complete this Appendix 1 and submit. Here is a list of the Tabs:

1. Cover
2. Instructions
3. Item# 1 - Trailer Specs
4. Options

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Proponent’s Full Legal Name: _____
“Proponent”

Address: _____

Jurisdiction of Legal Organization: _____

Key Contact Person: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

The Proponent, having carefully examined and read the RFP, including all amendments and addenda thereto, if any, and all other related information published on the City’s website, hereby acknowledges that it has understood all of the foregoing, and in response thereto hereby submits the enclosed Proposal.

The Proponent further acknowledges that it has read and agrees to the Legal Terms & Conditions attached as Appendix 1 to this Form of Proposal.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Proponent has executed this Proposal Form:

Signature of Authorized Signatory for the Proponent

Date

Name and Title

Signature of Authorized Signatory for the Proponent

Date

Name and Title

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APPENDICES

The Form of Proposal includes the following attached Appendices:

- APPENDIX 1 Legal Terms and Conditions of RFP
- APPENDIX 2 Questionnaire
- APPENDIX 3 Commercial Proposal
- APPENDIX 4 Proponents References
- APPENDIX 5 Certificate of Insurance
- APPENDIX 6 Declaration of Supplier Code of Conduct Compliance
- APPENDIX 7 Personal Information Consent Form(s)
- APPENDIX 8 Subcontractors
- APPENDIX 9 Proposed Amendments to Form of Agreement
- APPENDIX 10 Conflicts; Collusion; Lobbying
- APPENDIX 11 Proof of WorkSafeBC Registration

APPENDIX 1
LEGAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF RFP

1 APPLICATION OF THESE LEGAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

These legal terms and conditions set out the City's and the Proponent's legal rights and obligations only with respect to the RFP proposal process and any evaluation, selection, negotiation or other related process. In no event will the legal terms and conditions of this Appendix 1 apply to, or have the effect of supplementing, any Contract formed between the City and the Proponent, or otherwise apply as between the Proponent and the City following the signing of any such Contract.

2 DEFINITIONS

In this Appendix 1, the following terms have the following meanings:

- (a) "City" means the City of Vancouver, a municipal corporation continued pursuant to the Vancouver Charter.
- (b) "Contract" means a legal agreement, if any, entered into between the City and the Proponent following and as a result of the Proponent's selection by the City in the City's RFP process.
- (c) "Losses" means, in respect of any matter, all direct or indirect, as well as consequential: claims, demands, proceedings, losses, damages, liabilities, deficiencies, costs and expenses (including without limitation all legal and other professional fees and disbursements, interest, penalties and amounts paid in settlement whether from a third person or otherwise).
- (d) "Proponent" means the legal entity which has signed the Proposal Form, and "proponent" means any proponent responding to the RFP, excluding or including the Proponent, as the context requires.
- (e) "Proposal" means the package of documents consisting of the Proposal Form (including this Appendix 1), the Proponent's proposal submitted under cover of the Proposal Form, and all schedules, appendices and accompanying documents, and "proposal" means any proposal submitted by any proponent, excluding or including the Proponent, as the context requires.
- (f) "Proposal Form" means that certain Part C of the RFP, completed and executed by the Proponent, to which this Appendix 1 is appended.
- (g) "RFP" means the document issued by the City as Request for Proposals No. PS20210771, as amended from time to time and including all addenda.

3 NO LEGAL OBLIGATION ASSUMED BY THE CITY

Despite any other term of the RFP or the Proposal Form, including this Appendix 1 (except only Sections 7, 8.2 and 10 of this Appendix 1, in each case to the extent applicable), the City assumes no legal duty or obligation to the Proponent or to any proposed subcontractor in respect of the RFP, its subject matter or the Proposal unless and until the City enters into a Contract, which the City may decline to do in the City's sole discretion.

4 NO DUTY OF CARE OR FAIRNESS TO THE PROPONENT

The City is a public body required by law to act in the public interest. In no event, however, does the City owe *to the Proponent or to any of the Proponent's proposed subcontractors* (as opposed to the public) any contract or tort law duty of care, fairness, impartiality or procedural fairness in the RFP process, or any contract or tort law duty to preserve the integrity of the RFP process. The Proponent hereby waives and releases the City from any and all such duties and expressly assumes the risk of all Losses arising from participating in the RFP process on this basis.

5 EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

5.1 Compliance / Non-Compliance

Any proposal which contains an error, omission or misstatement, which contains qualifying conditions, which does not fully address all of the requirements or expectations of the RFP, or which otherwise fails to conform to the RFP may or may not be rejected by the City at the City's sole discretion. The City may also invite a proponent to adjust its proposal to remedy any such problem, without providing the other proponents an opportunity to amend their proposals.

5.2 Reservation of Complete Control over Process

The City reserves the right to retain complete control over the RFP and proposal processes at all times. Accordingly, the City is not legally obligated to review, consider or evaluate the proposals, or any particular proposal, and need not necessarily review, consider or evaluate the proposals, or any particular proposal, in accordance with the procedures set out in the RFP, and the City reserves the right to continue, interrupt,

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cease or modify its review, evaluation and negotiation processes in respect of any or all proposals at any time without further explanation or notification to any proponents.

5.3 Discussions/Negotiations

The City may, at any time prior to signing a Contract, discuss or negotiate changes to the scope of the RFP, any proposal or any proposed agreement with any one or more of the proponents without having any duty or obligation to advise the Proponent or to allow the Proponent to vary its Proposal as a result of such discussions or negotiations with other proponents or changes to the RFP or such proposals or proposed agreements, and, without limiting the general scope of Section 6 of this Appendix 1, the City will have no liability to the Proponent as a result of such discussions, negotiations or changes.

5.4 Acceptance or Rejection of Proposals

The City has in its sole discretion, the unfettered right to: accept any proposal; reject any proposal; reject all proposals; accept a proposal which is not the lowest-price proposal; accept a proposal that deviates from the requirements of the RFP or the conditions specified in the RFP; reject a proposal even if it is the only proposal received by the City; accept all or any part of a proposal; enter into agreements respecting the subject matter of the RFP with one or more proponents; or enter into one or more agreements respecting the subject matter of the RFP with any other person at any time.

6 PROTECTION OF CITY AGAINST LAWSUITS

6.1 Release by the Proponent

Except only and to the extent that the City is in breach of Section 8.2 of this Appendix 1, the Proponent now releases the City, its officials, its agents and its employees from all liability for any Losses incurred in connection with the RFP or the Proposal, including any Losses in connection with:

- (a) any alleged (or judicially determined) breach by the City or its officials, agents or employees of the RFP (it being agreed that, to the best of the parties' knowledge, the City has no obligation or duty under the RFP which it could breach (other than wholly unanticipated obligations or duties merely alleged or actually imposed judicially));
- (b) any unintentional tort of the City or its officials or employees occurring in the course of conducting the RFP process;
- (c) the Proponent preparing and submitting the Proposal;
- (d) the City accepting or rejecting the Proposal or any other submission; or
- (e) the manner in which the City: reviews, considers, evaluates or negotiates any proposal; addresses or fails to address any proposal or proposals; resolves to enter into a Contract or not enter into a Contract or any similar agreement; or the identity of the proponent(s) or other persons, if any, with whom the City enters any agreement respecting the subject matter of the RFP.

6.2 Indemnity by the Proponent

Except only and to the extent that the City breaches Section 8.2 of this Appendix 1, the Proponent indemnifies and will protect, save and hold harmless the City, its officials, its agents and its employees from and against all Losses, in respect of any claim or threatened claim by the Proponent or any of its proposed subcontractors or agents alleging or pleading:

- (a) any alleged (or judicially determined) breach by the City or its officials or employees of the RFP (it being agreed that, to the best of the parties' knowledge, the City has no obligation or duty under the RFP which it could breach (other than wholly unanticipated obligations or duties merely alleged or actually imposed judicially));
- (b) any unintentional tort of the City or its officials or employees occurring in the course of conducting the RFP process, or
- (c) liability on any other basis related to the RFP or the proposal process.

6.3 Limitation of City Liability

In the event that, with respect to anything relating to the RFP or this proposal process (except only and to the extent that the City breaches Section 8.2 of this Appendix 1), the City or its officials, agents or employees are found to have breached (including fundamentally breached) any duty or obligation of any kind to the Proponent or its subcontractors or agents whether at law or in equity or in contract or in tort, or are found liable to the Proponent or its subcontractors or agents on any basis or legal principle of any kind, the City's liability is limited to a maximum of \$100, despite any other term or agreement to the contrary.

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7 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Any dispute relating in any manner to the RFP or the proposal process (except to the extent that the City breaches this Section 7 or Section 8.2 of this Appendix 1, and also excepting any disputes arising between the City and the Proponent under a Contract (or a similar contract between the City and a proponent other than the Proponent)) will be resolved by arbitration in accordance with the *Commercial Arbitration Act* (British Columbia), amended as follows:

- (a) The arbitrator will be selected by the City's Director of Legal Services;
- (b) Section 6 of this Appendix 1 will: (i) bind the City, the Proponent and the arbitrator; and (ii) survive any and all awards made by the arbitrator; and
- (c) The Proponent will bear all costs of the arbitration.

8 PROTECTION AND OWNERSHIP OF INFORMATION

8.1 RFP and Proposal Documents City's Property

- (a) All RFP-related documents provided to the Proponent by the City remain the property of the City and must be returned to the City, or destroyed, upon request by the City.
- (b) The documentation containing the Proposal, once submitted to the City, becomes the property of the City, and the City is under no obligation to return the Proposal to the Proponent.

8.2 Proponent's Submission Confidential

Subject to the applicable provisions of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (British Columbia), other applicable legal requirements, and the City's right to publicly disclose information about or from the Proposal, including without limitation names and prices, in the course of publicly reporting to the Vancouver City Council about the RFP, the City will treat the Proposal (and the City's evaluation of it), in confidence in substantially the same manner as it treats its own confidential material and information.

8.3 All City Information Confidential

- (a) The Proponent will not divulge or disclose to any third parties any non-public documents or information concerning the affairs of the City which have been or are in the future provided or communicated to the Proponent at any time (whether before, during or after the RFP process). Furthermore, the Proponent agrees that it has not and must not use or exploit any such non-public documents or information in any manner, including in submitting its Proposal.
- (b) The Proponent now irrevocably waives all rights it may have by statute, at law or in equity, to obtain any records produced or kept by the City in evaluating its Proposal (and any other submissions) and now agrees that under no circumstances will it make any application to the City or any court for disclosure of any records pertaining to the receipt, evaluation or selection of its Proposal (or any other submissions) including, without limitation, records relating only to the Proponent.

9 NO CONFLICT OF INTEREST / NO COLLUSION / NO LOBBYING

9.1 Declaration as to no Conflict of Interest in RFP Process

- (a) The Proponent confirms and warrants that there is no officer, director, shareholder, partner, employee or contractor of the Proponent or of any of its proposed subcontractors, or any other person related to the Proponent's or any proposed subcontractor's organization (a "person having an interest") or any spouse, business associate, friend or relative of a person having an interest who is: (i) an official or employee of the City; or (ii) related to or has any business or family relationship with an elected official or employee of the City, in each case, such that there could be any conflict of interest or any appearance of conflict of interest in the evaluation or consideration of the Proposal by the City, and, in each case, except as set out, in all material detail, in a separate section titled "Conflicts; Collusion; Lobbying" in the Proposal in accordance with the form set out in Part C - APPENDIX 10.
- (b) The Proponent confirms and warrants that there is no person having an interest (as defined above) who is a former official, former employee or former contractor of the City and who has non-public information relevant to the RFP obtained during his or her employment or engagement by the City, except as set out, in all material detail, in a separate section titled "Conflicts; Collusion; Lobbying" in the Proposal in accordance with the form set out in Part C - APPENDIX 10.

9.2 Declaration as to No Conflict of Interest Respecting Proposed Supply

The Proponent confirms and warrants that neither the Proponent nor any of its proposed subcontractors is currently engaged in supplying (or is proposing to supply) goods or services to a third party such that

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entering into an agreement with the City in relation to the subject matter of the RFP would create a conflict of interest or the appearance of a conflict of interest between the Proponent's duties to the City and the Proponent's or its subcontractors' duties to such third party, except as set out, in all material detail, in a separate section titled "Conflicts; Collusion; Lobbying" in the Proposal in accordance with the form set out in Part C - APPENDIX 10.

9.3 Declaration as to No Collusion

The Proponent confirms and warrants that:

- (a) the Proponent is not competing within the RFP process with any entity with which it is legally or financially associated or affiliated, and
- (b) the Proponent is not cooperating in any manner in relation to the RFP with any other proponent responding to the RFP,

in each case, except as set out, in all material detail, in a separate section titled "Conflicts, Collusion, Lobbying" in the Proposal in accordance with the form set out in Part C - APPENDIX 10.

9.4 Declaration as to No Lobbying

The Proponent confirms and warrants that:

- (a) neither it nor any officer, director, shareholder, partner, employee or agent of the Proponent or any of its proposed subcontractors is registered as a lobbyist under any lobbyist legislation in any jurisdiction in Canada or in the United States of America; and
- (b) neither it nor any officer, director, shareholder, partner, employee or agent of the Proponent or any of its proposed subcontractors has engaged in any form of political or other lobbying whatsoever with respect to the RFP or sought, other than through the submission of the Proposal, to influence the outcome of the RFP process,

in each case, except as set out, in all material detail, in a separate section titled "Conflicts, Collusion, Lobbying" in the Proposal in accordance with the form set out in Part C - APPENDIX 10.

10 GENERAL

- (a) All of the terms of this Appendix 1 to this Proposal Form which by their nature require performance or fulfillment following the conclusion of the proposal process will survive the conclusion of such process and will remain legally enforceable by and against the Proponent and the City.
- (b) The legal invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Appendix 1 will not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Appendix 1, which will remain in full force and effect.
- (c) The Proponent now assumes and agrees to bear all costs and expenses incurred by the Proponent in preparing its Proposal and participating in the RFP process.

APPENDIX 2
QUESTIONNAIRE

Complete this Appendix 2 - Questionnaire in the form set out below.

Executive Summary

In the space below, provide a brief executive summary of your Proposal.

Proponent Overview

In the space below, provide a description of the Proponent's company, number of qualified employees, their company's number of years in service, purpose and history of successes. If the head office of the Proponent is located within the City of Vancouver or if the Proponent is to perform any work at a site located within the City of Vancouver, this section should also indicate whether the Proponent has a valid City of Vancouver business license (or, if available, a Metro West Inter-municipal Business License).

Technical Requirements Part I - Department Makeup and Experience

In the space below, Proponents should answer the following questions:

1. The proponent will be expected to provide Tridem Axle Walking-Floor Trailers that meet the operational requirements and can be delivered in a timely manner. Describe how the proponent will be working with the City to troubleshoot and resolve any issues that are found during manufacturing and after the initial delivery.
2. How many custom fabricators are available from the local distributor to support change requests after the initial delivery? Describe the overall make-up of the fabrication shop, outlining specialties and key personnel at the local facility. Be specific on how the

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experience/expertise of the custom fabricators applies to the design, outfitting and build of Tridem Axle Walking-Floor Trailers.

3. Describe how your team can support maintenance (i.e., typical maintenance turnaround time, facility location, capability for general repairs, etc.).

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Technical Requirements Part II - Processes

In the space below, Proponents should answer the following questions:

4. How does the company design and plan projects that involve multiple systems (i.e., hydraulic, electrical, mechanical)?
5. Describe the company's approach when taking on a new project.
6. Describe how your team is involved in a project from initiation, to build to final delivery. If possible, provide a specific example.
7. Describe how your team can support maintenance (i.e., typical maintenance turnaround time, facility location, capability for general repairs, etc.)

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Technical Requirements Part III - Client and Project Management

In the space below, Proponents should answer the following questions:

8. Does the Proponent have a process in place for managing customers and ongoing projects (i.e. account managers, project managers, weekly meetings, design reviews, pre-delivery walk through)? If yes, describe the overall process.
9. If the Proponent has designated project managers, how does the company promote interaction amongst the project managers, engineers, production employees, and other employees involved in projects?
10. Describe the overall process for providing updates and managing change requests on projects, and describe measures the company takes to ensure projects remain on schedule and on budget.

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Technical Requirements Part IV - Safety, Maintenance and Performance

In the space below, Proponents should answer the following questions:

11. Operational ergonomics, driver visibility and other safety concerns will be the over-riding factor in selecting the winning bid. Describe how the proposed unit will improve driver ergonomics, including adjustability of controls, visibility, and integration of displays and technology. Also any safety system (i.e., driver alerts/buzzers) in the proposed unit.

12. Describe how the proposed unit will improve maneuverability and minimize turning radius while maximizing payload and weight distribution.

13. Describe how the proposed unit is designed to withstand severe duty trash and landfill hauling in rough terrain (e.g., type of suspension used, durability of trailer cover hinges, availability of severe duty push bar on rear of trailer), as well as what technology is utilized to meet the loading and unloading requirements of the application.

14. Describe the maintenance schedule of the proposed unit and any features that enhance access to key components, such as steel hydraulic hoses below the walking floor unit.

Sustainability Part I - New Technology

In the space below, Proponents should answer the following questions:

15. Does the company offer any services or outfitting options that would help the City of Vancouver reach our Greenest City goals and reduce our fleets overall emissions (i.e. compatibility with fully electric tractors, electric PTOs, or weight optimization)?

16. Does the company have experience working with electric power take offs or hybrid powered systems? If so please elaborate to the extent of the experience and provide a summary of the project.

17. How does the company manage projects that include the design review, purchasing and installation of equipment that is new to the market and/or company (e.g. compatibility with fully electric tractors)?

18. How does the company stay educated and informed on new technology being introduced to the Tridem Axle Walking-Floor Trailers market?

19. Does the company have a means to work with clean-powered Tandem Axle Tractors offered by smaller startup companies, or is the company limited to current supplier relationships?

Sustainability Part II - Experience with Usage of Trailers with EV Chassis

In the space below, Proponents should answer the following questions:

20. How has the company adapted to the growing demands of creating walking-floor trailers for electric tractor vehicles (i.e. personnel, training, etc.)?
21. How does the company track and monitor safety and transportation regulations relating to electric tractor vehicles?
22. Does the company have a strategy for working with chassis' that have not been previously used with trailers supplied by the company? If yes, describe the overall process.
23. What challenges have been experienced by your company when assessing compatibility with battery-electric chassis or chassis' powered by alternative fuels, and how were these challenges overcome?

Sustainability Part III - Environmental Impact

In the space below, Proponents should answer the following questions:

- 24. Does the company have any policies or strategies in place to minimize the environmental footprint of produced Tridem Axle Walking-Floor Trailers (i.e. locally manufactured products, reducing freight, recycled components)?

- 25. Of the products offered by the company, have any environmental life-cycle analysis been completed by the suppliers (environmental impact of the product throughout its entire life cycle)? If yes, for which pieces of equipment and please provide a short summary.

- 26. Does the organization or the company's suppliers consider the end of life disposal of the equipment? If so, is there a sustainable recycling program in place for any of the equipment referenced in Appendix 1 to Part B - Technical Requirements.

Options to Reduce Downtime

Provide options available to the City of Vancouver through the local vendor to source short term loaner and/or rental units while units procured through this RFP are out of service for significant repairs. Please include a budgetary cost estimate for the rental (if available).

Transition and Implementation

Depending on the outcome of the RFP process, a timely and orderly transition to the servicing of the Contract may be necessary. Include a detailed explanation as to how you envision the transition and implementation process. These issues should encompass, but not be limited to such factors as:

- determination of requirements;
- ordering process; and
- any value added options;

In the space below, describe how your Proposal is responsive to the General Requirements listed above:

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Innovation

Notwithstanding any other provision hereof, the City welcomes Proposals respecting innovative or novel approaches to the City’s objectives and requirements and may consider value-creating Proposals that derogate from the Scope of Work.

Supplier Diversity

Please note that these Supplier Diversity questions are optional and will not form part of the evaluation of this RFP. Proponent answers to Supplier Diversity questions are for information gathering purposes only and will be kept confidential in accordance with the Legal Terms and Conditions of this RFP.

In the space below, indicate the vendor’s company profile with regards to social value and economic inclusion including recognized certifications and/or if owned/controlled by an equity-seeking demographic (including but not limited to non-profit, cooperative, Women, Indigenous Peoples, Ethno-cultural People (minorities, newcomers, immigrants), persons with disabilities or LGBTQ2+ people).

<p>Majority owned/controlled/ by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Women <input type="checkbox"/> Indigenous Peoples <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit/Charity (Social Enterprise) <input type="checkbox"/> Coop <input type="checkbox"/> Community Contribution Corporation (3C/CCC) <input type="checkbox"/> Ethno-cultural Persons <input type="checkbox"/> People with Disabilities <input type="checkbox"/> LGBTQ2+ <input type="checkbox"/> Other: please indicate 	<p>Social / Diverse Certifications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> BCorp <input type="checkbox"/> Supplier Diversity Certification <hr/> <p>Enviro / Other Certifications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> BuySocial <input type="checkbox"/> Living Wage <input type="checkbox"/> Fairtrade <input type="checkbox"/> Green Business Certification (ie. LEED, ClimateSmart) <input type="checkbox"/> Other: please indicate
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> None of the above 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> None of the above

Do you have a Supplier Diversity program to include/consider equity-seeking businesses as your vendors/suppliers/sub-contractors? If yes, please provide information on how you invest in economic development of small/social/diverse businesses as your suppliers or sub-contractors

What % or \$ of work from this contract will be directed to sub-contractors that identify as social/diverse based on certification and/or ownership/control by equity seeking demographic?)

Category of Social Value Businesses (Majority owned/controlled/certified by)	# of Businesses	\$/% of contract	Name of the Businesses being Sub-contracted
Indigenous Peoples			
Women			
Ethno-cultural			
People with Disabilities			
LGBTQ2+			
Non-Profit/Charity (Social Enterprise)			

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3C/CCC; Coop ; BCorp			
Other			

Workforce Diversity

<p>As best known, in the space below, indicate the vendor's company profile with regards to economic inclusion supporting employment equity, diversity, inclusion and reconciliation by an equity-seeking demographic (including but not limited to Women, Indigenous Peoples, Ethno-cultural People (minorities, newcomers, immigrants), persons with disabilities or LGBTQ2+ people). <i>Confidential & for information only</i></p>	
<p>Overall Workforce Diversity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> % Women <input type="checkbox"/> % Indigenous Peoples <input type="checkbox"/> % Ethno-cultural People <input type="checkbox"/> % People with Disabilities <input type="checkbox"/> % LGBTQ2+ <input type="checkbox"/> % Other: please indicate 	<p>Leadership/Management/Executive Workforce Diversity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> % Women <input type="checkbox"/> % Indigenous Peoples <input type="checkbox"/> % Ethno-cultural People <input type="checkbox"/> % People with Disabilities <input type="checkbox"/> % LGBTQ2+ <input type="checkbox"/> % Other: please indicate
<p>If you choose not to respond please indicate why:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Do not track this information</u> <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Do not want to share this information</u> 	

Environmental Sustainability

<p>City of Vancouver is committed to being the Greenest City and values the environmental impact and sustainability of proponents in addition to the goods or services offered with regards to Healthy Ecosystems (minimizing pollution/toxicity, conserving natural resources, and regenerating ecological; local food; clean water / water consumption), Zero Waste (reducing and/or diverting), Zero Carbon (reducing/eliminating greenhouse gases).</p>

1. For the following, please indicate those you track and/or report

	Track	Report
GHG Emissions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Energy usage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Water usage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Any hazardous/toxic air or water emissions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Generation/recycling/reduction of solid waste	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Generation/recycling/reduction of hazardous	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

a. If reporting, please indicate to whom or where

- Government(s)/Agencies
- Industry Association(s) i.e. "industry-wide [environmental product declaration](#)"
- [CDP](#)
- Global certification system i.e. [World Business Council for Sustainable Development](#)
- Other(s) i.e. Concrete Sustainability Council

b. Do you request/require your supply chain to track and report any of the above? Y/N, explain

2. Has your company achieved (or is it committed to) any of the following activities? Check all that apply and provide details/targets/goals

- Increase [renewable energy](#) sources and/or reduce the company's overall energy usage

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- Reduced carbon use, GHG emissions or use of ozone depleting substances
- Implemented initiatives to reduce waste at the source or divert the waste from landfills/incineration
- Recycled water or other water recovery systems to reduce the use of potable water
- Responsibly dispose of all hazardous waste generated from production.
- [2030 Sustainable Development Goals of the United Nations](#)
- Other: include an explanation of any on-going efforts or plans that the vendors has, or has taken to address climate change and their environmental impact

Please provide details

Do you engage with your supply chain on any above noted issues? Y/N, explain

Duly completed form for Energy Efficiency and Emissions of the Equipment, as attached as Appendix 12 to Part C.

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APPENDIX 3
COMMERCIAL PROPOSAL

Complete this Appendix 3 - Commercial Proposal in the form set out below.

Proponent to provide proposed pricing and payment terms, which should be in accordance with Part A, Section 7.0 of the RFP (as well as any other sections of the RFP imposing requirements as to pricing).

When submitting its Proposal by email, please ensure Appendix 3 - Commercial Proposal is provided as a separate file to the entire Proposal.

Est. Qty.	Description	Unit Price (ea.)	Extended Price
11 Units	Item #1 - Tridem Axle Walking-Floor Trailers, in accordance with the Requirements (including Appendix 1 to Part B) except as otherwise stated in the Proponent's Proposal.	\$	\$
Describe Proposed Pricing Formula for Additional Units in accordance with the Requirements stated above.			
Optional elements to be priced for Item 1 - Tridem Axle Walking-Floor Trailers (as specified in the corresponding Tab No.4 of the spreadsheet forming part of Appendix 1 to Part B)			
Est. Qty.	Description	Unit Price (ea.)	
11	Trailers compliant with stated specification and meeting severe duty requirements, manufactured from aluminum.	\$	
11	Alternative top covers offered in lieu of Specification Item 11	\$	
11	"Cover-Up" Alarm/Light	\$	
11	Trailer Flood Light Flood Light(s) mounted on top of front bulkhead while not exceeding maximum height specification. To illuminate inside of trailer."	\$	
11 sets	Suspension Upgrades - Severe Duty suspension such as Reyco Granning Model 74B or equivalent.	\$	
11	Automatic Lift Axles	\$	
11 sets	Aluminum wheel hubs rated for severe duty application	\$	
11	Extended Warranty - provide terms and pricing information for optional extended warranty where available	\$	

Any other suggested options that may enhance the operation of this chassis/body unit		
SPECIFY BELOW		
		\$

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APPENDIX 4
PROPONENT'S REFERENCES

Complete this Appendix 4 - Proponents References in the form set out below with references that are relevant to the Scope of Work set out in this RFP.

Client Name # 1	
Address (City and Country)	
Contact Name	
Title of Contact	
Telephone No.	
E-mail Address	
Length of Relationship	
Type of Goods and/or Services provided to this Client	

Client Name # 2	
Address (City and Country)	
Contact Name	
Title of Contact	
Telephone No.	
E-mail Address	
Length of Relationship	
Type of Goods and/or Services provided to this Client	

Client Name # 3	
Address (City and Country)	
Contact Name	
Title of Contact	
Telephone No.	
E-mail Address	
Length of Relationship	
Type of Goods and/or Services provided to this Client	

APPENDIX 5
CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

Appendix 5 is to be duly completed and signed by the Proponent's insurance agent or broker as evidence of its existing insurance, along with a letter from its insurance broker or agent indicating whether or not (and, if not, then to what extent) it will be able to comply with the insurance requirements set out in the Form of Agreement, should the Proponent be selected as a successful Proponent. (Any successful Proponent will also be required to provide proof of the satisfaction of all insurance requirements prior to or concurrently with the City entering into any Agreement.)

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CERTIFICATE OF EXISTING INSURANCE

TO BE COMPLETED AND APPENDED TO THE PROPOSAL



Section 2 through 8 – to be completed and executed by the Insurer or its Authorized Representative

1. **THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED TO:** City of Vancouver, 453 W 12th Avenue, Vancouver, BC, V5Y 1V4
and certifies that the insurance policy (policies) as listed herein has/have been issued to the Named Insured and is/are in full force and effect.
2. **NAMED INSURED** *(must be the same name as the proponent/bidder and is either an individual or a legally incorporated company)*

BUSINESS TRADE NAME or DOING BUSINESS AS

BUSINESS ADDRESS

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATION

3. **PROPERTY INSURANCE (All Risks Coverage including Earthquake and Flood)**

INSURER _____	Insured Values (Replacement Cost) -	
TYPE OF COVERAGE _____	Building and Tenants' Improvements	\$ _____
POLICY NUMBER _____	Contents and Equipment	\$ _____
POLICY PERIOD From _____ to _____	Deductible Per Loss	\$ _____
4. **COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE (Occurrence Form)**
 Including the following extensions:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury	INSURER _____	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Property Damage including Loss of Use	POLICY NUMBER _____	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Products and Completed Operations	POLICY PERIOD _____	From _____ to _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cross Liability or Severability of Interest	Limits of Liability (Bodily Injury and Property Damage Inclusive) -	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Employees as Additional Insureds	Per Occurrence	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Blanket Contractual Liability	Aggregate	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Owned Auto Liability	All Risk Tenants' Legal Liability	\$ _____
	Deductible Per Occurrence	\$ _____
5. **AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY INSURANCE** for operation of owned and/or leased vehicles

INSURER _____	Limits of Liability -
POLICY NUMBER _____	Combined Single Limit \$ _____
POLICY PERIOD From _____ to _____	<i>If vehicles are insured by ICBC, complete and provide Form APV-47.</i>
6. **UMBRELLA OR** **EXCESS LIABILITY INSURANCE** **Limits of Liability (Bodily Injury and Property Damage Inclusive) -**

INSURER _____	Per Occurrence	\$ _____
POLICY NUMBER _____	Aggregate	\$ _____
POLICY PERIOD From _____ to _____	Self-Insured Retention	\$ _____
7. **PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE** **Limits of Liability**

INSURER _____	Per Occurrence/Claim	\$ _____
POLICY NUMBER _____	Aggregate	\$ _____
POLICY PERIOD From _____ to _____	Deductible Per Occurrence/Claim	\$ _____

If the policy is in a "CLAIMS MADE" form, please specify the applicable Retroactive Date: _____
8. **OTHER INSURANCE** **Limits of Liability**

TYPE OF INSURANCE _____	Per Occurrence	\$ _____
INSURER _____	Aggregate	\$ _____
POLICY NUMBER _____	Deductible Per Loss	\$ _____
POLICY PERIOD From _____ to _____		
TYPE OF INSURANCE _____	Limits of Liability	
INSURER _____	Per Occurrence	\$ _____
POLICY NUMBER _____	Aggregate	\$ _____
POLICY PERIOD From _____ to _____	Deductible Per Loss	\$ _____

SIGNED BY THE INSURER OR ITS AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

_____ Dated _____

PRINT NAME OF INSURER OR ITS AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE, ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER

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APPENDIX 6
DECLARATION OF SUPPLIER CODE OF CONDUCT COMPLIANCE

Complete this Appendix 6 - Declaration of Supplier Code of Conduct Compliance in the form set out below.

All proposed suppliers are to complete and submit this form to certify compliance with the supplier performance standards set out in the Supplier Code of Conduct.

The City of Vancouver expects each supplier of goods and services to the City to comply with the supplier performance standards set out in the City's Supplier Code of Conduct (SCC) <http://vancouver.ca/policy_pdf/AF01401P1.pdf>. The SCC defines minimum labour and environmental standards for City suppliers and their subcontractors.

Suppliers are expected to comply with the aforementioned standards upon submitting a tender, proposal, application, expression of interest or quotation to the City, or have a plan in place to comply within a specific period of time. The City reserves the right to determine an appropriate timeframe in which suppliers must come into compliance with these standards. To give effect to these requirements, an authorized signatory of each proposed vendor must complete the following declaration and include this declaration with its submission:

As an authorized signatory of _____(vendor name), I declare that I have reviewed the SCC and to the best of my knowledge, _____(vendor name) and its proposed subcontractors have not been and are not currently in violation of the SCC or convicted of an offence under national and other applicable laws referred to in the SCC, other than as noted in the table below (include all violations/convictions that have occurred in the past three years as well as plans for corrective action).

Section of SCC / title of law	Date of violation /conviction	Description of violation / conviction	Regulatory / adjudication body and document file number	Corrective action plan

I understand that a false declaration and/or lack of a corrective action plan may result in no further consideration being given to the submission of _____(vendor name).

Signature: _____

Name and Title: _____

APPENDIX 7
PERSONAL INFORMATION CONSENT FORM(S)

[INTENTIONALLY DELETED]

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**APPENDIX 8
 SUBCONTRACTORS**

Complete this Appendix 8 - Subcontractors in the form set out below by listing all of the subcontractors that the Proponent proposes to use in carrying out its work under an Agreement, or state that the Proponent does not propose to use any subcontractors.

If selected to enter into an Agreement with the City, the Proponent may be limited to using subcontractors listed in its Proposal. If the City objects to a subcontractor listed in a Proposal, the City may permit a Proponent to propose a substitute Subcontractor acceptable to the City.

Subcontracted Scope		
Subcontractor		
Contact (name, title, email, telephone no.)		
Approximate Percent of the Work to be Subcontracted		
Social Value Business - shall mean a business that has a recognized environmental or social certification and/or is majority owned/controlled by an equity-seeking demographic (including but not limited to non-profit, cooperative, Women, Indigenous Peoples, Ethno-cultural People (minorities, newcomers, immigrants), persons with disabilities or LGBTQ+ people).	In the space below, detail the Proponent's proposed use of Social Value Businesses as sub-contractors/consultants (if any) and provide brief company profiles of those Social Value Businesses and descriptions of how they qualify as Social Value Businesses.	
The Subcontractor's Relevant Experience (identify at least three similar projects within the last five years, including the client)	1. Project Name:	
	Client:	
	Nature of Work:	
	Value:	

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	Client Contact:	
	2. Project Name:	
	Client:	
	Nature of Work:	
	Value:	
	Client Contact:	
	3. Project Name:	
	Client:	
	Nature of Work:	
	Value:	
	Client Contact:	

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APPENDIX 9
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO FORM OF AGREEMENT

Complete this Appendix 9 - Proposed Amendments to Form of Agreement in the form set out below by detailing any proposed amendments to the Form of Agreement attached as Part D. If no amendments to the Form of Agreement are proposed, state "none". It is at the City's sole discretion whether or not these proposed amendments will be considered for the Form of Agreement.

Section / General Condition	Proposed Amendment	Rationale and Benefit

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APPENDIX 10
CONFLICTS; COLLUSION; LOBBYING

Complete this APPENDIX 10 - Conflicts; Collusion; Lobbying in the form set out below by setting out any exceptions to the declarations in Section 9 of the Legal Terms and Conditions attached as Appendix 1 to this Part C - Form of Proposal or indicate that there are no exceptions, as applicable.

Exceptions to Declaration as to no Conflict of Interest in RFP Process (Section 9.1 of Legal Terms and Conditions)	
Exceptions to Declaration as to No Conflict of Interest Respecting Proposed Supply (Section 9.2 of Legal Terms and Conditions)	
Exceptions to Declaration as to No Collusion (Section 9.3 of Legal Terms and Conditions)	
Exceptions to Declarations as to No Lobbying (Section 9.4 of Legal Terms and Conditions)	

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APPENDIX 11
PROOF OF WORKSAFEBC REGISTRATION

Attached as APPENDIX 11 to this Form of Proposal proof of valid WorkSafeBC registration.

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To see an example of the Form of Agreement, please go to:

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