

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (“RFP”) PS20211042
SUPPORTING ANALYSIS FOR SEISMIC RISK REDUCTION POLICY DEVELOPMENT
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS NO. 2

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Q1	Relating to the information provided by the City’s database of 90,000 buildings and the level of effort required to review this information. The understanding is that these are parcel data with basic building attributes like square footage, year of construction, and types of structural system in a table format. Are there no structural drawings from which requires the proponents to review. Is this correct?
A1	Yes, that is correct.
Q2	Is there a published list of who constitutes the seismic policy advisory committee (SPAC) that is mentioned in the RFP?
A2	No published list, the committee is comprised of volunteers from local academia, engineering firms and all levels of government.
Q3	Some work has been conducted over the past few years to develop parcel-level risk modeling and fragility functions that are specific to Vancouver buildings- is there a publicly available report on this or a way to derive the current state of knowledge with regards to the fragility functions that are already in hand?
A3	Summary information describing the results of the City’s ongoing seismic risk assessment work can be found on the City’s website as well as in the City’s resilience strategy. The work on building fragility functions at UBC is ongoing.
Q4	Is there budget information?
A4	The City is unable to reveal the budget for this project.