

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO CONTRACT
PS20190947**

Issue Date: **September 6, 2019**
Closing Date: **September 20, 2019**

Re: Thirty-Year Strategy Update

Notice is hereby given by the City of Vancouver ("City") of its intent to contract with Darkhorse Analytics Inc. for the supply and delivery of the Thirty Year Strategy Update

In 2016, City staff developed a Thirty-Year Firehall Strategy and number of factors have emerged that now require the Strategy to be refreshed. The objective is to update the City of Vancouver's 2016 Thirty-Year Firehall Strategy, setting out a clear path for firehall development and renewal, while allowing sufficient flexibility to amend this path to accommodate circumstances that will emerge over time.

Darkhorse Emergency has extensive experience in forecasting, call demand analysis, and station location studies in the emergency services sector. Given the prior work done for Vancouver Fire Rescue Services, Darkhorse is able to leverage much of the data preparation and cleaning work already completed.

The contract is valued at approximately \$75,000.00 with an option to renew for two (2) successive - 1 (one) year extensions upon written approval from the City.

Anyone wishing to request more information and/or has any questions with regard to this NOITC may contact Elana Walker at 604-871-6179 prior to the closing date and time listed below.

Closing date and time: **September 20, 2019, 3:00 p.m.**