

# THE CITY OF WINNIPEG

# **REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

RFP NO 870-2020

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR INCIDENT RESPONSE AND DIGITAL FORENSIC ANALYSIS SERVICE CALL OUT LIST

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#### B1. CONTRACT TITLE

B1.1 REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR INCIDENT RESPONSE AND DIGITAL FORENSIC ANALYSIS SERVICE CALL OUT LIST

#### B2. SUBMISSION DEADLINE

- B2.1 The Submission Deadline is 12:00 noon Winnipeg time, January 5<sup>th</sup> 2021.
- B2.2 The Contract Administrator or the Manager of Materials may extend the Submission Deadline by issuing an addendum at any time prior to the time and date specified in B2.1.

#### B3. ENQUIRIES

- B3.1 All enquiries shall be directed to the Contract Administrator identified in D5.1.
- B3.2 If the Proponent finds errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Request for Proposal, or is unsure of the meaning or intent of any provision therein, the Proponent shall promptly notify the Contract Administrator of the error, discrepancy or omission at least five (5) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B3.3 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, require a correction to or a clarification of the Request for Proposal will be provided by the Contract Administrator to all Proponents by issuing an addendum.
- B3.4 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, do not require a correction to or a clarification of the Request for Proposal will be provided by the Contract Administrator only to the Proponent who made the enquiry.
- B3.5 All correspondence or contact by Proponents with the City in respect of this RFP must be directly and only with the Contract Administrator. Failure to restrict correspondence and contact to the Contract Administrator may result in the rejection of the Proponents Proposal Submission.
- B3.6 The Proponent shall not be entitled to rely on any response or interpretation received pursuant to B3 unless that response or interpretation is provided by the Contract Administrator in writing.
- B3.7 Any enquiries concerning submitting through MERX should be addressed to: MERX Customer Support Phone: 1-800-964-6379 Email: merx@merx.com

#### B4. CONFIDENTIALITY

- B4.1 Information provided to a Proponent by the City or acquired by a Proponent by way of further enquiries or through investigation is confidential. Such information shall not be used or disclosed in any way without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator. The use and disclosure of the confidential information shall not apply to information which:
  - (a) was known to the Proponent before receipt hereof; or
  - (b) becomes publicly known other than through the Proponent; or
  - (c) is disclosed pursuant to the requirements of a governmental authority or judicial order.
- B4.2 The Proponent shall not make any statement of fact or opinion regarding any aspect of the Request for Proposal to the media or any member of the public without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.

#### B5. ADDENDA

- B5.1 The Contract Administrator may, at any time prior to the Submission Deadline, issue addenda correcting errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Request for Proposal, or clarifying the meaning or intent of any provision therein.
- B5.2 The Contract Administrator will issue each addendum at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, or provide at least two (2) Business Days by extending the Submission Deadline.
- B5.3 Addenda will be available on the MERX website at <u>www.merx.com</u>.
- B5.4 The Proponent is responsible for ensuring that he/she has received all addenda and is advised to check the MERX website for addenda regularly and shortly before the Submission Deadline, as may be amended by addendum.
- B5.5 The Proponent shall acknowledge receipt of each addendum in Paragraph 10 of Form A: Bid/Proposal. Failure to acknowledge receipt of an addendum may render a Proposal nonresponsive.
- B5.6 Notwithstanding B3, enquiries related to an Addendum may be directed to the Contract Administrator indicated in D5.

#### B6. SUBSTITUTES

- B6.1 The Work is based on the Plant, Materials and methods specified in the Request for Proposal.
- B6.2 Substitutions shall not be allowed unless application has been made to and prior approval has been granted by the Contract Administrator in writing.
- B6.3 Requests for approval of a substitute will not be considered unless received in writing by the Contract Administrator at least five (5) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B6.4 The Proponent shall ensure that any and all requests for approval of a substitute:
  - (a) provide sufficient information and details to enable the Contract Administrator to determine the acceptability of the Plant, Material or method as either an approved equal or alternative;
  - (b) identify any and all changes required in the applicable Work, and all changes to any other Work, which would become necessary to accommodate the substitute;
  - (c) identify any anticipated cost or time savings that may be associated with the substitute;
  - (d) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved equal, the substitute will fully perform the functions called for by the general design, be of equal or superior substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the proposed work schedule and the dates specified in the Supplemental Conditions for Total Performance;
  - (e) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved alternative, the substitute will adequately perform the functions called for by the general design, be similar in substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the proposed work schedule and the dates specified in the Supplemental Conditions for Total Performance.
- B6.5 The Contract Administrator, after assessing the request for approval of a substitute, may in his/her sole discretion grant approval for the use of a substitute as an "approved equal" or as an "approved alternative", or may refuse to grant approval of the substitute.
- B6.6 The Contract Administrator will provide a response in writing, at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, to the Proponent who requested approval of the substitute.

- B6.6.1 The Contract Administrator will issue an Addendum, disclosing the approved materials, equipment, methods and products to all potential Proponents. The Proponent requesting and obtaining the approval of a substitute shall be responsible for disseminating information regarding the approval to any person or persons he/she wishes to inform.
- B6.7 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an "approved equal", any Proponent may use the approved equal in place of the specified item.
- B6.8 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an "approved alternative", any Proponent bidding that approved alternative may base his/her Total Bid Price upon the specified item but may also indicate an alternative price based upon the approved alternative. Such alternatives will be evaluated in accordance with .
- B6.9 No later claim by the Contractor for an addition to the Total Bid Price because of any other changes in the Work necessitated by the use of an approved equal or an approved alternative will be considered.

#### B7. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION

- B7.1 The Proposal shall consist of the following components:
  - (a) Form A: Bid/Proposal; and
  - (b) Form B: Prices.
- B7.2 The Proposal should also consist of the following components:
  - (a) Experience of Proponent and Subcontractors (Section C) in accordance with B10;
  - (b) Experience of Key Personnel Assigned to the Service (Section D), in accordance with B11;
  - (c) Service Understanding and Methodology (Section E) in accordance with B12; and
  - (d) Sample engagement Schedule (Section F) in accordance with B13.
- B7.3 Further to B7.1 all components of the Proposal shall be fully completed or provided in the order indicated, and submitted by the Proponent no later than the Submission Deadline, with all required entries made clearly and completely, to constitute a responsive Proposal.
- B7.4 Further to B7.2, all components of the Proposal should be fully completed or provided in the order indicated, and submitted by the Proponent no later than the Submission Deadline, with all required entries made clearly and completely.
- B7.5 Proposal format, including number of pages, size of pages and, font, etc., will not be regulated, except that the Proposal should contain a table of contents, page numbering and should be in the Sections identified above. Proponents are encouraged to use their creativity to submit a Proposal which provides the requested information for evaluation and other information which illustrates the strength of their proposed solution
- B7.6 The Proposal shall be submitted electronically through MERX at <u>www.merx.com</u>.
- B7.6.1 Proposals will **only** be accepted electronically through MERX.
- B7.7 Proponents are advised that inclusion of terms and conditions inconsistent with the Request for Proposal, will be evaluated in accordance with B22.1(a).
- B7.8 Any cost or expense incurred by the Proponent that is associated with the preparation of the Proposal shall be borne solely by the Proponent.

#### B8. PROPOSAL

B8.1 The Proponent shall complete Form A: Bid/Proposal, making all required entries.

- B8.2 Paragraph 2 of Form A: Bid/Proposal shall be completed in accordance with the following requirements:
  - (a) if the Proponent is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, his/her name shall be inserted;
  - (b) if the Proponent is a partnership, the full name of the partnership shall be inserted;
  - (c) if the Proponent is a corporation, the full name of the corporation shall be inserted;
  - (d) if the Proponent is carrying on business under a name other than his/her own, the business name and the name of every partner or corporation who is the owner of such business name shall be inserted.
- B8.2.1 If a Proposal is submitted jointly by two or more persons, each and all such persons shall identify themselves in accordance with B8.2.
- B8.3 In Paragraph 3 of Form A: Bid/Proposal, the Proponent shall identify a contact person who is authorized to represent the Proponent for purposes of the Proposal.
- B8.4 Paragraph 13 of Form A: Bid/Proposal shall be signed in accordance with the following requirements:
  - (a) if the Proponent is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, it shall be signed by the Proponent;
  - (b) if the Proponent is a partnership, it shall be signed by the partner or partners who have authority to sign for the partnership;
  - (c) if the Proponent is a corporation, it shall be signed by its duly authorized officer or officers;
  - (d) if the Proponent is carrying on business under a name other than his/her own, it shall be signed by the registered owner of the business name, or by the registered owner's authorized officials if the owner is a partnership or a corporation.
- B8.4.1 The name and official capacity of all individuals signing Form A: Bid/Proposal should be entered below such signatures.
- B8.5 If a Proposal is submitted jointly by two or more persons, the word "Proponent" shall mean each and all such persons, and the undertakings, covenants and obligations of such joint Proponents in the Proposal and the Contract, when awarded, shall be both joint and several.

#### B9. PRICES

- B9.1 The Proponent shall state a price in Canadian funds for each item of the Work identified on Form B: Prices.
- B9.1.1 Notwithstanding C12.2.3, prices on Form B: Prices shall not include the Goods and Services Tax (GST) or Manitoba Retail Sales Tax (MRST, also known as PST), which shall be extra where applicable.
- B9.2 The quantities listed on Form B: Prices are to be considered approximate only. The City will use said quantities for the purpose of comparing Proposals.
- B9.3 The quantities for which payment will be made to the Contractor are to be determined by the Work actually performed and completed by the Contractor, to be measured as specified in the applicable Specifications.
- B9.4 Where applicable, payments to Non-Resident Contractors are subject to Non-Resident Withholding Tax pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada).
- B9.1 The Proponent shall state the lump sum price in Canadian funds for the Work on Form B: Prices.

- B9.1.1 Notwithstanding C12.2.3, the price on Form B: Prices shall not include the Goods and Services Tax (GST) or Manitoba Retail Sales Tax (MRST, also known as PST), which shall be extra where applicable.
- B9.2 Payments to Non-Resident Contractors are subject to Non-Resident Withholding Tax pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada).

#### B10. EXPERIENCE OF PROPONENT AND SUBCONTRACTORS (SECTION C)

- B10.1 Proposals should include:
  - (a) details demonstrating the history and experience of the Proponent and Subcontractors in providing programming; design, management of the project and contract administration services on up to three projects of similar complexity, scope and value.
- B10.2 For each project listed in B10.1(a), the Proponent should submit:
  - (a) description of the project;
  - (b) role of the contractor;
  - (c) engagement schedule including duration, effort, and number of billable hours
  - (d) Reference information (business sector, approximate size).
- B10.2.1 Where applicable, information should be separated into Proponent and Subcontractor project listings.
- B10.3 The Proposal should include general firm profile information, including years in business, average volume of work, number of employees and other pertinent information for the Proponent and all Subcontractors.

#### B11. EXPERIENCE OF KEY PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO THE PROJECT (SECTION D)

- B11.1 Describe your approach to overall team formation and coordination of team members.
- B11.2 Submit the experience and qualifications of the Key Personnel assigned to the Project for projects of similar complexity, scope and value, including the principals-in-charge, the Contractors Representative, managers of the key disciplines and lead designers. Include educational background and degrees, professional recognition, job title, years of experience in current position, years of experience in design and years of experience with existing employer.
- B11.3 For each person identified, list at least two comparable engagements in which they have played a primary role. If a project selected for a key person is included in B10, provide only the project name and the role of the key person. For other projects provide the following:
  - (a) Description of engagement;
  - (b) Role of the person;
  - (c) Engagement schedule including duration, effort and number of billable hours;
  - (d) Reference information (business sector and approximate size).

#### B12. SERVICE UNDERSTANDING AND METHODOLOGY (SECTION E)

- B12.1 Describe your firm's project management approach and team organization during the performance of Services, so that the evaluation committee has a clear understanding of the methods the Proponent will use in the delivery of this service.
- B12.2 Methodology should be presented in accordance with the Scope of Services identified in D2. Describe the collaborative process/method to be used by the Key Personnel of the team in the various phases of the delivery of this service.
- B12.3 Proposals should address:

- (a) what the expected response time from notice of incident to a resource being available is and any service level agreements guaranteeing this response time.
- (b) expected City resources required to be made available depending on the type of engagement;
- (c) a sample statement of work which would be leveraged in an engagement scenario.
- B12.4 For each person identified in B11.2, list the percent of the person's time to be dedicated to the Project in accordance with the Scope of Services identified in D2.

#### B13. SAMPLE ENGAGEMENT SCHEDULE (SECTION F)

- B13.1 Proponents should present a sample engagement schedule, for each service they wish to provide, using Microsoft Project or similar project management software, complete with resource assignments (analysts), durations (weekly timescale) and milestone dates or events. The schedule should address each requirement of the Scope of Services.
- B13.2 For Incident Response services, the sample engagement schedule should reflect the proponent being engaged to assist with an unknown malware infection that has been limited to a single network.
- B13.3 For Digital Forensic Analysis services, the sample engagement schedule should reflect the proponent being engaged to assist in the determination of how a confidential document was leaked to an outside organization (for example a local press reporter).

#### B14. DISCLOSURE

- B14.1 Various Persons provided information or services with respect to this Work. In the City's opinion, this relationship or association does not create a conflict of interest because of this full disclosure. Where applicable, additional material available as a result of contact with these Persons is listed below.
- B14.2 The Persons are:
  - (a) N/A

#### B15. CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND GOOD FAITH

- B15.1 Further to C3.2, Proponents, by responding to this RFP, declare that no Conflict of Interest currently exists, or is reasonably expected to exist in the future.
- B15.2 Conflict of Interest means any situation or circumstance where a Proponent or Key Personnel proposed for the Work has:
  - (a) other commitments;
  - (b) relationships;
  - (c) financial interests; or
  - (d) involvement in ongoing litigation;

that could or would be seen to:

- exercise an improper influence over the objective, unbiased and impartial exercise of the independent judgment of the City with respect to the evaluation of Proposals or award of the Contract; or
- (ii) compromise, impair or be incompatible with the effective performance of a Proponent's obligations under the Contract.
- (e) has contractual or other obligations to the City that could or would be seen to have been compromised or impaired as a result of its participation in the RFP process or the Project; or

- (f) has knowledge of confidential information (other than confidential information disclosed by the City in the normal course of the RFP process) of strategic and/or material relevance to the RFP process or to the Project that is not available to other proponents and that could or would be seen to give that Proponent an unfair competitive advantage.
- B15.3 In connection with its Proposal, each entity identified in B15.2 shall:
  - (a) avoid any perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest in relation to the procurement process and the Project;
  - (b) upon discovering any perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest at any time during the RFP process, promptly disclose a detailed description of the Conflict of Interest to the City in a written statement to the Contract Administrator; and
  - (c) provide the City with the proposed means to avoid or mitigate, to the greatest extent practicable, any perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest and shall submit any additional information to the City that the City considers necessary to properly assess the perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest.
- B15.4 Without limiting B15.3, the City may, in its sole discretion, waive any and all perceived, potential or actual Conflicts of Interest. The City's waiver may be based upon such terms and conditions as the City, in its sole discretion, requires to satisfy itself that the Conflict of Interest has been appropriately avoided or mitigated, including requiring the Proponent to put into place such policies, procedures, measures and other safeguards as may be required by and be acceptable to the City, in its sole discretion, to avoid or mitigate the impact of such Conflict of Interest.
- B15.5 Without limiting B15.3, and in addition to all contractual or other rights or rights at law or in equity or legislation that may be available to the City, the City may, in its sole discretion:
  - (a) disqualify a Proponent that fails to disclose a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest of the Proponent or any of its Key Personnel;
  - (b) require the removal or replacement of any Key Personnel proposed for the Work that has a perceived, actual or potential Conflict of Interest that the City, in its sole discretion, determines cannot be avoided or mitigated;
  - (c) disqualify a Proponent or Key Personnel proposed for the Work that fails to comply with any requirements prescribed by the City pursuant to B15.4 to avoid or mitigate a Conflict of Interest; and
  - (d) disqualify a Proponent if the Proponent, or one of its Key Personnel proposed for the Project, has a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest that, in the City's sole discretion, cannot be avoided or mitigated, or otherwise resolved.
- B15.6 The final determination of whether a perceived, potential or actual Conflict of Interest exists shall be made by the City, in its sole discretion.

#### B16. QUALIFICATION

- B16.1 The Proponent shall:
  - (a) undertake to be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba, or if the Proponent does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Proponent does carry on business; and
  - (b) be financially capable of carrying out the terms of the Contract; and
  - (c) have all the necessary experience, capital, organization, and equipment to perform the Work in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract.
- B16.2 The Proponent and any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:

- (a) be responsible and not be suspended, debarred or in default of any obligations to the City. A list of suspended or debarred individuals and companies is available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at https://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Templates/files/debar.pdf
- B16.3 The Proponent and/or any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:
  - (a) have successfully carried out work similar in nature, scope and value to the Work; and
  - (b) be fully capable of performing the Work required to be in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract.
- B16.4 The Proponent shall submit, within three (3) Business Days of a request by the Contract Administrator, proof satisfactory to the Contract Administrator of the qualifications of the Proponent and of any proposed Subcontractor.
- B16.5 The Proponent shall provide, on the request of the Contract Administrator, full access to any of the Proponent's equipment and facilities to confirm, to the Contract Administrator's satisfaction, that the Proponent's equipment and facilities are adequate to perform the Work.

#### B17. OPENING OF PROPOSALS AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

- B17.1 Proposals will not be opened publicly.
- B17.2 After award of Contract, the Contract amount and the name of the successful Proponent and their address will be available on the MERX website at <u>www.merx.com</u>.
- B17.3 The Proponent is advised any information contained in any Proposal Submission may be released if required by The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Manitoba), by other authorities having jurisdiction, or by law or by City policy or procedures (which may include access by members of City Council).
- B17.3.1 To the extent permitted, the City shall treat as confidential information, those aspects of a Proposal Submission identified by the Proponent as such in accordance with and by reference to Part 2, Section 17 or Section 18 or Section 26 of The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Manitoba), as amended.
- B17.4 Following the award of Contract, a Proponent will be provided with information related to the evaluation of his/her submission upon written request to the Contract Administrator.

#### B18. IRREVOCABLE OFFER

- B18.1 The Proposal(s) submitted by the Proponent shall be irrevocable for the time period specified in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Bid/Proposal.
- B18.2 The acceptance by the City of any Proposal shall not release the Proposals of the other responsive Proponents and these Proponents shall be bound by their offers on such until a Contract for the Work has been duly formed and the contract securities have been furnished as herein provided, but any Bid shall be deemed to have lapsed unless accepted within the time period specified in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Bid/Proposal.

#### B19. WITHDRAWAL OF OFFERS

B19.1 A Proponent may withdraw his/her Proposal without penalty prior to the Submission Deadline.

#### B20. INTERVIEWS

B20.1 The Contract Administrator may, in his/her sole discretion, interview Proponents during the evaluation process.

#### B21. NEGOTIATIONS

- B21.1 The City reserves the right to negotiate details of the Contract with any Proponent. Proponents are advised to present their best offer, not a starting point for negotiations in their Proposal Submission.
- B21.2 The City may negotiate with the Proponents submitting, in the City's opinion, the most advantageous Proposals. The City may enter into negotiations with one or more Proponents without being obligated to offer the same opportunity to any other Proponents. Negotiations may be concurrent and will involve each Proponent individually. The City shall incur no liability to any Proponent as a result of such negotiations.
- B21.3 If, in the course of negotiations pursuant to B21.2, the Proponent amends or modifies a Proposal after the Submission Deadline, the City may consider the amended Proposal as an alternative to the Proposal already submitted without releasing the Proponent from the Proposal as originally submitted.

#### B22. EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

B22.1 Award of the Contract shall be based on the following evaluation criteria:

(a)	compliance by the Proponent with the requirements of the Request for Proposal or acceptable deviation therefrom: (pass/fail)	
(b)	qualifications of the Proponent and the Subcontractors, if any, pursuant	to B16 (pass/fail)
(c)	Bid Price; .	40%
(d)	Experience of Proponent and Subcontractor; (Section C)	15%
(e)	Experience of Key Personnel Assigned to the Service (Section D)	15%
(f)	Service Understanding and Methodology (Section E)	25%
(g)	Sample Engagement Schedule. (Section F)	5%

- B22.2 Further to B22.1(a), the Award Authority may reject a Proposal as being non-responsive if the Proposal Submission is incomplete, obscure or conditional, or contains additions, deletions, alterations or other irregularities. The Award Authority may reject all or any part of any Proposal, or waive technical requirements or minor informalities or irregularities if the interests of the City so require.
- B22.3 Further to B22.1(b), the Award Authority shall reject any Proposal submitted by a Proponent who does not demonstrate, in its Proposal or in other information required to be submitted, that it is qualified.
- B22.4 If, in the sole opinion of the City, a Proposal does not achieve a pass rating for B22.1(a) and B22.1(b), the Proposal will be determined to be non-responsive and will not be further evaluated.
- B22.5 Further to B22.1(d), Experience of Proponent and Subcontractors will be evaluated considering the experience of the organization on engagements of similar size and complexity as well as other information requested, in accordance with B10.
- B22.6 Further to B22.1(e), Experience of Key Personnel Assigned to the Service will be evaluated considering the experience and qualifications of the Key Personnel and Subcontractor personnel on Projects of comparable size and complexity, in accordance with B11.
- B22.7 Further to B22.1(f), Service Understanding and Methodology will be evaluated considering your firm's understanding of the City's requirements, project management approach and team organization, in accordance with B12.

- B22.8 Further to B22.1(g), Sample Engagement Schedule will be evaluated considering the Proponent's ability to comply with the City's requirements, in accordance with B13.
- B22.9 This Contract will be awarded by item, to multiple Proponents on a call-out basis.
- B22.10 Further to B22.9, the City will establish a call-out list for the services listed on Form B: Prices. When the City requires these services listed on Form B: Prices, the City will telephone the Proponent with the most advantageous offer that meets the evaluation criteria stated in B22.1, and so on until the City's requirements have been met.
- B22.11 Where references are requested, the reference checks to confirm information provided may not be restricted to only those submitted by the Proponent, and may include organizations representing Persons, known to have done business with the Proponent.
- B22.12 Further to B21.11, the City will establish a call-out list for the services listed on Form B: Prices. When the City requires these services listed on Form B: Prices, the City will telephone the Proponent with the most advantageous offer that meets the evaluation criteria stated in B21.1, and so on until the City's requirements have been met.
- B22.13 Notwithstanding B7.1 the Proponent may, but is not required to bid on all items.
- B22.14 Notwithstanding B22.3, the City shall not be obligated to award any item to the responsible Proponent submitting the most advantageous offers for the item and shall have the right to choose the alternative which is in its best interests. If the Proponent has not bid on all items, he/she shall have no claim against the City if his/her partial Bid is rejected in favour of an award of the Contract.
- B22.15 If, in the sole opinion of the City, a Proposal does not achieve a pass rating for (a) and (b), the Proposal will be determined to be non-responsive and will not be further evaluated.
- B22.16 Proposals will be evaluated considering the information in the Proposal Submission and any interviews held in accordance with B20.

#### B23. AWARD OF CONTRACT

- B23.1 The City will give notice of the award of the Contract, or will give notice that no award will be made.
- B23.2 The City will have no obligation to award a Contract to a Proponent, even though one or all of the Proponents are determined to be qualified, and the Proposals are determined to be responsive.
- B23.2.1 Without limiting the generality of B23.2, the City will have no obligation to award a Contract where:
  - (a) the prices exceed the available City funds for the Work;
  - (b) the prices are materially in excess of the prices received for similar work in the past;
  - (c) the prices are materially in excess of the City's cost to perform the Work, or a significant portion thereof, with its own forces;
  - (d) only one Proposal is received; or
  - (e) in the judgment of the Award Authority, the interests of the City would best be served by not awarding a Contract.
- B23.3 Where an award of Contract is made by the City, the award shall be made to the qualified Proponent submitting the most advantageous offer.
- B23.4 The City may, at its discretion, award the Contract in phases.
- B23.5 Further to B23.4 the City reserves the right to negotiate and award future phases to the successful Proponent.

- B23.6 Further to Paragraph 7 of Form A: Bid/Proposal and C4, the City may issue an award letter to the successful Proponent in lieu of execution of Contract Documents
- B23.6.1 The Contract documents as defined in C1.1(o)(ii) in their entirety shall be deemed to be incorporated in and to form a part of the award letter notwithstanding that they are not necessarily attached to or accompany said award letter.
- B23.6 Further to Paragraph 7 of Form A: Bid/Proposal and C4, the City may issue an award letter to the successful Proponent in lieu of execution of Contract Documents.
- B23.7 Following issuance of the award letter a document package comprising the Contract Documents will be provided to the successful Proponent electronically.
- B23.6 Further to Paragraph 7 of Form A: Bid/Proposal and C4, the City may issue an award letter to the successful Proponent.
- B23.7 Following issuance of the award letter a document package comprising the Contract Documents will be provided to the successful Proponent for execution.
- B23.8 Following the award of contract, a Proponent will be provided with information related to the evaluation of his/her Proposal upon written request to the Contract Administrator.
- B23.9 If, after the award of Contract, the Project is cancelled, the City reserves the right to terminate the Contract. The Proponent will be paid for all Services rendered up to time of termination.

# **PART C - GENERAL CONDITIONS**

#### C0. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- C0.1 The *General Conditions for Supply of Services* (Revision 2020-01-31) are applicable to the Work of the Contract.
- C0.1.1 The General Conditions for Supply of Services are available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen\_cond.stm">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen\_cond.stm</a>
- C0.2 A reference in the Request for Proposal to a section, clause or subclause with the prefix "**C**" designates a section, clause or subclause in the *General Conditions for Supply of Services*.

## **PART D - SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS**

#### GENERAL

#### D1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

D1.1 In addition to the *General Conditions for Supply of Services*, these Supplemental Conditions are applicable to the Work of the Contract.

#### D2. SCOPE OF SERVICES

- D2.1 The Work to be done under the call out list shall consist of the provision of Incident Response and Digital Forensic services from the date of award for the period of two (2) years.
- D2.2 The purpose is to establish a call out list for both Incident Response and Digital Forensic services on an "as required" basis, where and when available
- D2.3 The Contractor who is the most advantageous will be hired first subject to the other provisions of this Request for Proposal. If an engagement arises and the most advantageous Contractor is not available for the Work the Contract Administrator will contact the second most advantageous Contractor and so on.
- D2.4 Under the general direction of the Information Security Coordinator the Incident Response Contractor will
  - (a) Provide guidance and assist in the containment, of an active cyber security incident;
  - (b) Provide guidance and assist in the investigation phase of an active cyber incident for use in both the remediation of the current incident and/or a potential future forensics engagement;
  - (c) Assist in the eradication of an active cyber security incident;
  - (d) Lead and assist in the remediation activities required to recover from a previously active cyber incident;
  - (e) Provide a follow up report detailing the incident and recommendations on how to prevent future occurrences; and
  - (f) Lead / facilitate incident post mortem analysis meetings with senior management.
- D2.5 Under the general direction of the Information Security Coordinator the Digital Forensics and Analysis contractor will
  - (a) Assist in the determination of the scope of loss stemming from a resolved cyber security incident;
  - (b) Determine the attack vectors utilized in a previously resolved cyber security incident;
  - (c) Perform investigative interviews with key staff involved in a data loss incident;
  - (d) Lead evidential discovery and collection activities which may be performed by the contractor or by City of Winnipeg staff at their direction.
  - (e) Evidence must be collected in a manner consistent with future use in a legal proceeding where possible.
  - (f) Provide reports to senior management detailing the full scope of a data loss event and recommendations to prevent reoccurrence; and
  - (g) Assist and provide guidance to senior management and the City of Winnipeg's Legal department as to what if any reporting requirements stem from the data loss event that has been investigated.
- D2.6 The Work shall be done on an "as required" basis during the term of the Contract.
- D2.6.1 The type and quantity of Work to be performed under this Contract shall be as authorized from time to time by the Contract Administrator and/or Users.

- D2.6.2 Subject to C7.2, the City shall have no obligation under the Contract to purchase any quantity of any item in excess of its actual operational requirements.
- D2.7 Notwithstanding D2.1, in the event that operational changes result in substantial changes to the requirements for Work, the City reserves the right to alter the type or quantity of work performed under this Contract, or to terminate the Contract, upon thirty (30) Calendar Days written notice by the Contract Administrator. In such an event, no claim may be made for damages on the ground of loss of anticipated profit on Work.

#### D3. COOPERATIVE PURCHASE

- D3.1 The Contractor is advised that this is a cooperative purchase.
- D3.2 The Contract Administrator may, from time to time during the term of the Contract, approve other public sector organizations and utilities, including but not limited to municipalities, universities, schools and hospitals, to be participants in the cooperative purchase.
- D3.3 The Contract Administrator will notify the Contractor of a potential participant and provide a list of the delivery locations and estimated quantities.
- D3.4 If any location of the potential participant is more than ten (10) kilometres beyond the boundaries of the City of Winnipeg, the Contractor shall, within fifteen (15) Calendar Days of the written notice, notify the Contract Administrator of the amount of any additional delivery charge for the location.
- D3.5 If any additional delivery charges are identified by the Contractor, the potential participant may accept or decline to participate in the cooperative purchase.
- D3.6 The Contractor shall enter into a contract with each participant under the same terms and conditions as this Contract except:
  - (a) supply under the contract shall not commence until the expiry or lawful termination of any other contract(s) binding the participant for the same goods;
  - (b) a participant may specify a duration of contract shorter than the duration of this Contract;
  - (c) a participant may specify that only some items under this Contract and/or less than its total requirement for an item are to be supplied under its contract; and
  - (d) any additional delivery charge identified and accepted in accordance with clause D3.4 and D3.5 will apply.
- D3.7 Each participant will be responsible for the administration of its contract and the fulfilment of its obligations under its contract. The City shall not incur any liability arising from any such contract.
- D3.8 No participant shall have the right or authority to effect a change in the Contract, or of any other participant in this Contract.

#### D4. DEFINITIONS

- D4.1 When used in this Request for Proposal:
  - (a) "**Digital Forensic Analysis**" means any and all activities required to determine the scope of impact, damage or loss stemming from an Incident.
  - (b) "Incident" means a specific instance of a suspected, attempted, successful, or imminent threat of unauthorized access, use, disclosure, breach, modification, or destruction of information; or interference with information technology operations;
  - (c) **"Incident Response**" means any and all activities required to defend against, mitigate or remediate an Incident;
  - (d) "Proponent" means any Person or Persons submitting a Proposal for Services.

#### D5. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR

D5.1 The Contract Administrator is

Olawale Ladipo Information Security Coordinator

Telephone No. 204-391-5774 Email Address:Oladipo@winnipeg.ca

- D5.2 Before commencement of Work, the contract administrator will identify additional personnel representing the Contract Administrator and their respective roles and responsibilities for the Work.
- D5.3 At the pre-commencement meeting, the Contract Administrator will identify additional personnel representing the Contract Administrator and their respective roles and responsibilities for the Work.

#### D6. NOTICES

- D6.1 Except as provided for in C22.4, all notices, requests, nominations, proposals, consents, approvals, statements, authorizations, documents or other communications to the Contractor shall be sent to the address or facsimile number identified by the Contractor in Paragraph 2 of Form A: Bid/Proposal.
- D6.2 All notices, requests, nominations, proposals, consents, approvals, statements, authorizations, documents or other communications to the City, except as expressly otherwise required in, D7.4 or elsewhere in the Contract, shall be sent to the attention of the Contract Administrator identified in D4.
- D6.3 All notices, requests, nominations, proposals, consents, approvals, statements, authorizations, documents or other communications required to be submitted or returned to the City Solicitor shall be sent to the following facsimile number:

The City of Winnipeg Legal Services Department Attn: Director of Legal Services Facsimile No.: 204 947-9155

#### SUBMISSIONS

#### D7. AUTHORITY TO CARRY ON BUSINESS

D7.1 The Contractor shall be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba, or if the Contractor does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Contractor does carry on business, throughout the term of the Contract, and shall provide the Contract Administrator with evidence thereof upon request.

#### D8. INSURANCE

- D8.1 The Contractor shall provide and maintain the following insurance coverage:
  - (a) commercial general liability insurance, in the amount of at least two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) inclusive, with The City of Winnipeg added as an additional insured; such liability policy to also contain a cross-liability clause, non-owned automobile liability and products and completed operations cover, to remain in place at all times during the performance of the Work;
  - (b) if applicable, Automobile Liability Insurance covering all motor vehicles, owned and operated and used or to be used by the Contractor directly or indirectly in the performance

of the Service. The Limit of Liability shall not be less than \$2,000,000 inclusive for loss or damage including personal injuries and death resulting from any one accident or occurrence.

- D8.2 Deductibles shall be borne by the Contractor.
- D8.3 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a certificate(s) of insurance, in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, at least two (2) Business Days prior to the commencement of any Work on the Site but in no event later than the date specified in C4.1 for the return of the executed Contract Documents, if applicable.
- D8.4 The Contractor shall not cancel, materially alter, or cause the policy to lapse without providing at least thirty (30) Calendar Days prior written notice to the Contract Administrator.
- D8.5 The City shall have the right to alter the limits and/or coverages as reasonably required from time to time during the continuance of this agreement.

#### SCHEDULE OF WORK

#### D9. COMMENCEMENT

- D9.1 The Contractor shall not commence any Work until he/she is in receipt of a notice of award from the City authorizing the commencement of the Work.
- D9.2 The Contractor shall not commence any Work on the Site until:
  - (a) the Contract Administrator has confirmed receipt and approval of:
    - (i) evidence of authority to carry on business specified in D7;
    - (ii) evidence of the workers compensation coverage specified in C6.14;
    - (iii) evidence of the insurance specified in D8;
    - (b) the Contractor has attended a meeting with the Contract Administrator, or the Contract Administrator has waived the requirement for a meeting.
- D9.3 The Contractor shall not commence the Work on the Site before ^.

#### D10. COVID-19 SCHEDULE DELAYS

- D10.1 The City acknowledges that the schedule for this Contract may be impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Commencement and progress of the Work shall be performed by the Contractor with due consideration to the health and safety of workers and the public, directives from health authorities and various levels of government and in close consultation with the Contract Administrator.
- D10.2 If the Contractor is delayed in the performance of the Work by reason of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Work schedule may be adjusted by a period of time equal to the time lost due to such delay and costs related to such delay will be determined as identified herein.
- D10.3 A minimum of seven (7) Calendar Days prior to the commencement of Work, the Contractor shall declare whether COVID-19 will affect the start date. The Contractor shall provide sufficient evidence that the delay is directly related to COVID-19, including but not limited to evidence related to availability of staff, availability of Material or work by others.
- D10.4 For any delay related to COVID-19 and identified after Work has commenced, the Contractor shall within seven (7) Calendar Days of becoming aware of the anticipated delay declare the additional delay and shall provide sufficient evidence as indicated in D10.3. Failure to provide this notice will result in no additional time delays being considered by the City.
- D10.5 The Work schedule, including the durations identified in D2 where applicable, will be adjusted to reflect delays accepted by the Contract Administrator.

D10.6 Any time or cost implications as a result of COVID-19 and in accordance with the above, as confirmed by the Contract Administrator, shall be documented in accordance with C7.

#### D11. ORDERS

D11.1 The Contractor shall provide a local Winnipeg telephone number or a toll-free telephone number at which orders for service may be placed.

#### D12. RECORDS

- D12.1 The Contractor shall keep detailed records of the services supplied under the Contract.
- D12.2 The Contractor shall record, as a minimum, for each item listed on Form B: Prices:
  - (a) user name(s) and addresses;
  - (b) order date(s);
  - (c) service date(s); and
  - (d) description and quantity of services provided.
- D12.3 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a copy of the records for each quarter year within fifteen (15) Calendar Days of a request of the Contract Administrator.

#### MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

#### D13. INVOICES

D13.1 Further to C12, the Contractor shall submit an invoice for each portion of work performed to:

The City of Winnipeg Corporate Finance - Accounts Payable 4th Floor, Administration Building, 510 Main Street Winnipeg MB R3B 1B9

Facsimile No.: 204- 949-0864 Send Invoices to <u>CityWpgAP-INVOICES@winnipeg.ca</u> Send Invoice Inquiries to <u>CityWpgAP-INQUIRIES@winnipeg.ca</u>

- D13.2 Invoices must clearly indicate, as a minimum:
  - (a) the City's purchase order number;
  - (b) date of delivery;
  - (c) delivery address;
  - (d) type and quantity of work performed;
  - (e) the amount payable with GST and MRST shown as separate amounts; and
  - (f) the Contractor's GST registration number.
- D13.3 The City will bear no responsibility for delays in approval of invoices which are improperly submitted.

#### D14. PAYMENT

- D14.1 Further to C12, the City may at its option pay the Contractor by direct deposit to the Contractor's banking institution.
- D14.2 Further to C12, payment shall be in Canadian funds net thirty (30) Calendar Days after receipt and approval of the Contractor's invoice.

#### WARRANTY

#### D15. WARRANTY

D15.1 Notwithstanding C13, Warranty does not apply to this Contract.

# **PART E - SPECIFICATIONS**

#### GENERAL

#### E1. APPLICABLE SPECIFICATIONS

- E1.1 These Specifications shall apply to the Work.
- E1.2 Proponents are reminded that requests for approval of substitutes as an approved equal or an approved alternative shall be made in accordance with B6

#### E2. SERVICES

- E2.1 The Contractor shall provide services in accordance with the requirements hereinafter specified.
- E2.2 Item No. 1 The Proponent shall provide hourly rate for Incident Response Services.
- E2.3 Item No. 2 The Proponent shall provide hourly rate for Digital Forensic Analysis Services

# PART F - SECURITY CLEARANCE

#### F1. SECURITY CLEARANCE

- F1.1 Each individual proposed to perform Work under the Contract shall be required to obtain a Police Information Check from the police service having jurisdiction at his place of residence. This can be obtained from one of the following;
  - (a) police service having jurisdiction at his/her place of residence; or
  - (b) Sterling BackCheck for existing account holders, log into your account to send individual invitations to employees requiring security clearance. For those that do not have an account, click on the following link to open an account: <u>https://forms.sterlingbackcheck.com/partners/platform2-en.php?&partner=winnipegcity</u>; or
  - (c) Commissionaires (Manitoba Division), forms to be completed can be found on the website at: <u>https://www.commissionaires.ca/en/manitoba/home;</u> or
  - (d) FASTCHECK Criminal Record & Fingerprint Specialists, forms to be completed can be found on the website at: <u>https://myfastcheck.com</u>
- F1.2 The following is a link to information for obtaining the Police Information Check including the Vulnerable Sector screening from the City of Winnipeg Police Service. http://winnipeg.ca/police/pr/PIC.stm
- F1.2.1 The Police Information Check shall include a Vulnerable Sector Screening. This can be obtained by following the link below <u>http://winnipeg.ca/police/pr/PIC.stm</u>.
  - (a) Individuals will need to state in the form, that they may be working in City of Winnipeg pools, libraries and community centres;
- F1.3 The original Police Information Check (Form P–612) will be provided by the Winnipeg Police Service to the individual applicant. The original has a validation sticker from the Winnipeg Police Service in the top right hand corner. The applicant shall:
  - (a) Provide the original Police Information Check (Form P-612) to the Contract Administrator.
- F1.4 Prior to the award of Contact, and during the term of the Contract if additional or replacement individuals are proposed to perform Work, the Contractor shall supply the Contract Administrator with a Police Information Check obtained not earlier than one (1) year prior to the Submission Deadline, or a certified true copy thereof, for each individual proposed to perform the Work.
- F1.5 Any individual for whom a Police Information Check is not provided, or for whom a Police Information Check indicates any convictions or pending charges related to property offences or crimes against another person will not be permitted to perform any Work.
- F1.6 Any Police Information Check obtained thereby will be deemed valid for the duration of the Contract subject to a repeated records search as hereinafter specified.
- F1.7 Notwithstanding the foregoing, at any time during the term of the Contract, the City may, at its sole discretion and acting reasonably, require an updated Police Information Check. Any individual who fails to provide a satisfactory Police Information Check as a result of a repeated Police Information Check will not be permitted to continue to perform any Work.
- F1.8 Each individual proposed to perform Work under this Contract within facilities associated with the water supply, treatment and distribution system including the Shoal Lake Intake Facility, Shoal Lake Aqueduct, Deacon Reservoir, Water Treatment Plant, Regional Pumping Stations, and Booster Pumping Stations shall be required to obtain a Public Safety Verification Check **and** a Police Information Check as detailed below.
- F1.8.1 The Public Safety Verification Check must be obtained through Sterling BackCheck.
  - (a) A Sterling BackCheck account must be setup 72 hours prior to individual security clearances to allow sufficient time for activation of the contracting company's account.

If the contracting company has an existing City of Winnipeg Sterling Backcheck vendor account, they may skip to (d) below.

- (b) An authorized individual of the contracting company must complete the Sterling Backcheck Setup Form. There is no cost to the organization to set up the account. Click on the link below, complete the form, and hit submit. \*\*(This form is to be completed by the company, not by the employee requiring the security clearances). <u>https://forms.sterlingbackcheck.com/partners/platform2-en.php?&partner=winnipegcity</u>
- (c) Within 48 hours of completing the Sterling Backcheck Setup Form, the authorized individual of the contracting company will receive a Username and Password for Sterling Backcheck. It will appear in their inbox as a "Welcome to Sterling Backcheck" email. Upon receipt, the authorized individual of the contracting company will be asked to login to the Sterling Backcheck website to set their security questions and password. Once completed, individual security clearance requests can be submitted.
- (d) In order to run a Public Safety Verification Check and/or a Police Information Check, follow the steps below:
  - (i) Click on the sub-tab labelled "Order eConsent".
  - (ii) Fill out the required information about the employee proposed to perform Work under this Contract within City facilities (the person that requires the security clearances).
  - (iii) Select your location under the "Order Information" section and enter the organization's phone number, if required.
  - (iv) Select the required individual service(s) in the dropdown menu under the "Select Services" section. If both the Public Safety Verification Check and the Police Information Check are required, select the Sterling Backcheck Package One (with electronic identity verification). Once selected, both the Public Safety Verification Check and the Police Information Check should have a grey check mark beside them.
  - (v) Scroll down to the bottom and click the blue "Submit" button. The employee proposed to perform Work under this Contract within City facilities will be invited to complete their security clearance.
  - (vi) The employee will receive the invitation and must click on the link and complete their Public Safety Verification Check and/or Police Information Check.
  - (vii) The results of the Public Safety Verification Check and/or Police Information Check will go directly to the City of Winnipeg and to the authorized individual of the contracting company within 24 hours.
- (e) Any questions related to the Sterling BackCheck process can be directed to Linda Ferens at 204-999-0912 or by email at: linda.ferens@sterlingcheck.com OR <u>managedsupport@sterlingcheck.com</u>
- F1.8.2 The Police Information Check must be obtained from one of the following:
  - (a) Sterling BackCheck;
    - (i) See F1.1.1(a) thru (e) for instructions on how to set up an account and submit individuals for security checks; or
  - (b) A police service having jurisdiction at his/her place of residence;
    - (i) The original Police Information Check (Form P–612) will be provided by the Winnipeg Police Service to the individual applicant. The original has a validation sticker from the Winnipeg Police Service in the top right hand corner.
    - (ii) The applicant shall provide the original Police Information Check (Form P–612) to the Contract Administrator; or
  - (c) Commissionaires (Manitoba Division);
    - (i) Forms to be completed can be found on the website at: <u>https://www.commissionaires.ca/en/manitoba/home</u>
    - (ii) The applicant shall provide the original Police Information Check to the Contract Administrator; or

- (d) FASTCHECK Criminal Record & Fingerprint Specialists;
  - (i) Forms to be completed can be found on the website at: <u>https://myfastcheck.com</u>
  - (ii) The applicant shall provide the original Police Information Check to the Contract Administrator.
- F1.9 Any individual for whom a Public Safety Verification Check and/or a Police Information Check is not provided will not be permitted to perform any Work.
- F1.10 Individuals for whom a Public Safety Verification Check indicates "CLEAR" and a Police Information Check demonstrates no previous convictions or pending charges will be permitted to perform Work as specified in F1.8.
- F1.11 Individuals for whom a Public Safety Verification Check does not indicate "CLEAR" and/or a Police Information Check demonstrates previous convictions or pending charges may not be permitted to perform any Work as specified in F1.8.
  - (a) Previous convictions or pending charges may be investigated and a determination will be made by the City as to whether the individual will be permitted to perform any Work.
  - (b) Convictions or pending charges that may preclude an individual from performing any Work include but are not limited to:
    - (i) convictions or pending charges related to property offences; and/or
    - (ii) convictions or pending charges related to crimes against another person.
  - (c) Where additional investigation related to a Public Safety Verification Check or a Police Information Check is required by the City, no extension to critical stages, Substantial Performance, or Total Performance, as applicable, will be provided.
  - (d) Additional investigation by the City may take upwards of six weeks.
- F1.12 Prior to the award of Contract, and during the term of the Contract, if additional or replacement individuals are proposed to perform Work within City facilities, the Contractor shall supply the Contract Administrator with a Public Safety Verification Check and a Police Information Check satisfactory to the City obtained not earlier than one (1) year prior to the Submission Deadline, or a certified true copy thereof, for each individual proposed to perform the Work.
- F1.13 Any Public Safety Verification Check and Police Information Check determined to be satisfactory to the City will be deemed valid for the duration of the Contract subject to a repeated records search as hereinafter specified.
- F1.14 Notwithstanding the foregoing, at any time during the term of the Contract, the City may, at its sole discretion and acting reasonably, require an updated Public Safety Verification Check and/or a Police Information Check. Any individual F1.8 who fails to provide a Public Safety Verification Check and/or a Police Information Check satisfactory to the City as a result of a repeated records search will not be permitted to continue to perform any Work as specified in F1.8
- F1.15 The City will conduct a Level One Security Clearance Check, for any individual proposed to perform Work under the Contract at Winnipeg Police Service facilities.
- F1.16 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a list of individuals proposed to perform Work under the Contract at Winnipeg Police Service facilities:
  - (a) within five (5) Business Days of the Award of Contract; or
  - (b) in the case of additional or replacement individuals during the term of the Contract, at least thirty (30) Calendar Days before each individual is proposed to commence Work at Winnipeg Police Service facilities.
- F1.17 Each individual shall submit the required information and form to the Winnipeg Police Service Division 30 Security Section Supervisor at Main Floor, 245 Smith Street;

- (a) A completed Form P-608: Security Clearance Check authorization form available at <u>https://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/templates/information.stm#securitycheck</u>. Form P-608 must be signed and dated. (only page 1 of P-608 required for Level One)
  - (i) Signature of Witness shall be signed by the contact person stated on Paragraph 3 of Form A: Bid.
- (b) Identification photocopies of two valid pieces of identification with at least one piece of photo identification:
  - (a) Photo Identification must be one of the following:
    - (i) Driver's License,
    - (ii) Passport,
    - (iii) Permanent Resident Card,
    - (iv) Aboriginal Status Card,
    - (v) Manitoba Public Insurance Identification Card.
  - (b) Second identification must be one of the following:
    - (i) Birth Certificate,
    - (ii) Social Insurance Card (SIN confirmation letters effective April 2014),
    - (iii) Provincial Health Card,
    - (iv) Citizenship Card,
    - (v) Firearms License,
    - (vi) Immigration Papers,
    - (vii) National Defense Card,
    - (viii) Nexus Card,
    - (ix) FAST CARD from Canada Border Services Agency.
- F1.18 Any individual for whom a satisfactory Level One Security Clearance is not obtained will not be permitted to perform any Work within Winnipeg Police Service facilities.
- F1.19 Any satisfactory Security Clearance obtained thereby will be deemed valid for one (1) year from the date of clearance, subject to a repeated Security Clearance Check as hereinafter specified.
  - (a) Each individual doing Work in a Winnipeg Police Service Facility shall provide photo identification upon entry, in order that their Level One security clearance can be verified.
- F1.20 Notwithstanding the foregoing, at any time during the term of the Contract, the City may, at its sole discretion and acting reasonably, require a further Security Clearance Check. Any individual who fails to obtain a satisfactory Security Clearance Check as a result of a repeated Security Clearance Check will not be permitted to continue to perform Work under the Contract at Winnipeg Police Service Facilities.
- F1.21 Any individual who fails to obtain a satisfactory Security Clearance Check may request reconsideration by writing to:
   Winnipeg Police Service
   Division 30 Services
   Attn: Security Section Supervisor
   245 Smith Street
   Winnipeg MB R3C 0R6