



685-2023 ADDENDUM 1

PROVISION OF REMOVAL OF DUTCH ELM DISEASED TREES

URGENT

**PLEASE FORWARD THIS DOCUMENT TO
WHOEVER IS IN POSSESSION OF THE
BID/PROPOSAL**

ISSUED: December 6, 2023
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**THIS ADDENDUM SHALL BE INCORPORATED
INTO THE BID/PROPOSAL AND SHALL FORM
A PART OF THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**

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Please note the following and attached changes, corrections, additions, deletions, information and/or instructions in connection with the Bid/Proposal, and be governed accordingly. Failure to acknowledge receipt of this Addendum in Paragraph 10 of Form A: Bid/Proposal may render your Bid/Proposal non-responsive.

MERX NOTICE

Under the Notice tab, revised the Closing Date to match the Submission Deadline in the Tender document.

PART D – SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS

Revise: D20.1(c) to read: Completion of the Work of the Contract – one thousand dollars (\$1000);

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

- Q1: Is there a Form B for price submission? If so, where is it located? Is the template for pricing to be submitted
- A1: There is no Form B. Pricing. All prices shall be submitted directly through Merx.
- Q2: Can a substitution for practicing arboriculture in Manitoba be made to include Utility tree trimmer or certified utility arborist?
- A2: No.
- Q3: Can a substitution be made for ground support that use a chainsaw include personal with chainsaw training instead of arborist license or certification?
- A3: If this is in reference to B13.3(f)(iv), no. If a ground person is going to be using a chainsaw, then they must meet the qualifications outlined in B13.3(f)(i) – (iii).
- Q4: Is there a pricing template that shows the classes of tree in each area? It isn't visible on the template, cut off in the cell in excel.
- A4: The classes of tree can be found on MERX under Item Description. If you are entering the price on the excel spreadsheet, you can *Unprotect Sheet* and expand the columns to see the tree classification.

Q5: Is another provincial Vehicle inspection Certificate acceptable? Or does it have to be Manitoba's Vehicle Inspection Certificate?

A5: Out of province Vehicle Inspection Certificates would be accepted until their expiration, then the Manitoba Vehicle Inspection Certificate is required if that vehicle is to stay in Manitoba and intended to be used on this Tender. Another out province certificate will not be accepted