

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD CONTRACT No. 19-079

Issued: October 31, 2019

Vendors are advised the Regional District of Nanaimo (RDN) intends to direct award a contract to Inter-Kraft Contracting Ltd. to supply and install:

- a) Aluminum stairs at Tinson Road on Gabriola Island; and
- b) Aluminum gang way at Spring Beach on Gabriola Island.

The estimated value of the agreement is less than \$25,000.

The RDN wishes to direct award for the following reasons:

- To the best of the RDN's knowledge, Inter-Kraft Contracting Ltd. is the only firm that is able to supply & install at these locations within the available timeframe.
- Due to budget reasons, the work must be completed by the end of December 31, 2019.

Vendors wishing to challenge the RDN's intention to direct award a contract to Inter-Kraft Contracting Ltd. must submit their objection, in writing, via email to the following person on, or before 3:00 p.m. PST on November 7, 2019:

Chris van Ossenbruggen, Regional Parks Operations Coordinator Regional District of Nanaimo

Email: CvanOssenbruggen@rdn.bc.ca

Objections must be submitted on company letterhead and be signed by an individual authorized to represent the company submitting the objection. Vendors must clearly state the reasons why they believe they are qualified to supply the services that are being proposed to be direct awarded and why the services should be competitively tendered.

The RDN retains the right to determine its future course of action depending on any responses received and to perform its due diligence as required prior to making a final decision.