
 REGIONAL DISTRICT OF NANAIMO	<p align="center"><i>Request for Tenders No. 21-040</i> Chase R. Pump Station Wet Well Upgrades <u>Addenda-3</u></p>	<p>Date: July 15, 2021 Revision: 0</p>
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1. **Note** – Bidder’s attention is drawn to the full purge TIG (GTAW) welding specifications noted in SP-P-0001 “Process Piping General” and SP-P-0002 “Austenitic Stainless Steel Piping”, in particular with respect to external **and** internal weld cleanup.
2. **Question:** Will RDN grant a one week extension of the tender due date?
Answer: *The tender closing time/date has been changed to 3:00pm on Wednesday July 28, 2021.*
3. **Question:** Will not being able to make the schedule provided in the tender documents make our tender submittal non-compliant?
Answer: *Bids not meeting the requested schedule will be considered non-compliant. Please refer to Question 8 on Addenda 2 for context.*
4. **Question:** Would a November shutdown be out of the question as it would fall in the “rainy season”?
Answer: *November is normally rainy, so RDN cannot plan to complete the work contemplated under RFT 21-040 during November.*
5. **Question:** As all of the contractors will likely be purchasing the materials from the same supplier, could this project be completed in the spring?
Answer: *If no compliant bids are received for RFT 21-040 then the RDN will necessarily defer the Work.*
6. **Question:** Can the shutdown window be extended or will it make a tender submission non-compliant?
Answer: *The shutdown window is intentionally short to manage the risks involved with running a wastewater bypass system. Bids not meeting the shutdown window outlined in RFT 21-040 will be considered non-compliant.*
7. **Question:** What are the dimensions of the Chase River Pump Station wet well roof access hatch?
Answer: *See attached photos in Appendix 1. The Flygt submersible pumps are routinely removed from the wet well using the roof hatch.*

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APPENDIX 1 – Wet Well Roof Hatch Information



