

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD CONTRACT No. 22-008**

Issued: 5 January 2022

Vendors are advised the Regional District of Nanaimo (RDN) intends to direct award a contract to Waste 'n WaterTech Ltd. for the provision of SUEZ Treatment Solutions Inc. Aquaray 40 HO Vertical Lamp Generation 2 Ultraviolet Disinfection Equipment for Duke Point Pollution Control Center.

Services include, but are not limited to:

Supply of one (1) SUEZ Treatment Solutions Inc. Aquaray Vertical 40 HO Vertical Lamp Ultraviolet Disinfection System and adequate spare parts.

The estimated value of the agreement is over \$75,000.

The RDN wishes to direct award for the following reasons:

- Existing equipment is first generation Aquaray Ultraviolet equipment.
- The 2<sup>nd</sup> generation equipment does not require any civil modifications to the existing UV channel and is a drop-in replacement.
- Existing peripheral equipment can be reused. This includes:
  - Level control weirs.
  - ½ Ton jib crane.
  - Cleaning tank.
  - Air scour system.

Vendors wishing to challenge the RDN's intention to direct award a contract to Waste 'n WaterTech Ltd. must submit their objection, in writing, via email to the following person on, or before 3:00 p.m. PST on 19 January 2022.

Chris Mathie, Project Engineer, Engineering Services  
Regional District of Nanaimo  
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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.