



## **REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 25-022**

### **GNPCC Receiving Environment Monitoring Program**

#### **Addendum 3**

**Issued: April 24, 2025**

**Closing Date & Time: on or before 3:00 PM Pacific Time on April 30, 2025**

This addendum shall be read in conjunction with and considered as an integral part of the Request for Proposal. Revisions supersede the information contained in the original Proposal or previously issued Addendum. No consideration will be allowed for any extras due to any Proponent not being familiar with the contents of this Addendum. All other terms and conditions remain the same.

#### **Questions and Answers**

- Q1.** Will GNPCC staff complete the effluent sample collection at the WWTP (including the collection of the 24 h composite) and analysis described in Table 4 of the GNPCC – Receiving Environment Monitoring Program Update?
- A1.** GNPCC staff will complete the effluent sample collection at the wastewater treatment plant and will provide the consultant with the samples for analysis. If requested, the GNPCC lab can provide sample analysis for cBOD5, TSS and total ammonia.
- Q2.** If costs / effort to collect and analyze a 24 h composite sample are included in the proponent's bid, does the GNPCC have the appropriate equipment installed in the WWTP to facilitate the collection of the composite sample?
- A2.** Yes, GNPCC staff can facilitate the collection of the composite sample.
- Q3.** Please confirm that one sample for Acid Volatile Sulfides (AVS) analysis will be collected from only one of the three discrete grab per station.
- A3.** Yes, one discrete AVS sample will be analysed from each station.

- Q4.** Please confirm that tissue samples for bioaccumulation will be collected from four stations (Sec. 1.4 of the GNPCC – Receiving Environment Monitoring Program Update indicates three stations and sec.1.4.2 samples will be collected from a minimum of four stations).
- A4.** Tissue samples will be collected from the four stations in Table 8.
- Q5.** How many tissue samples for bioaccumulation are required from each station?
- A5.** Bioaccumulation may be monitored through one benthic invertebrate composite sample from each station.

End of Addendum 3