



## **REQUEST FOR TENDER No. 25-009**

### **Water Supply Well Drilling and Pumping Test – River's Edge Water Service Area**

#### **Addendum 1 Issued: May 12, 2025**

**Closing Date & Time: on or before 3:00 PM Pacific Time on May 22, 2025**

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

#### **QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

**Question 1:** Is the intent to complete all 4 locations back to back? (mobbing from drill site to drill site or will there be gaps in-between)

**Answer 1:** Yes, the intent is to get all 4 well drillings completed first. RDN (Owner) does not require any gap between the well drillings at different sites. Pumping tests will begin only after finishing drilling of all four wells.

**Question 2:** Custom screens are requested; can the rig move to another location to continue working while waiting on screen design, building, and shipping? If that's not possible and standby is required where should these charges be captured?

**Answer 2:** Yes, the contractor can move the drill rig to other locations to continue working while waiting on screen design, building and shipping. So, standby hours would not be necessary.

**Answer 3:** Bid sheet shows 40hrs per well development; technical sheet suggests 3 days per well. Should bid sheet be 30hr?

**Answer 3:** The 40 hours of well development in the bid sheet is for bid comparison only. The actual hours that will be spent on well development will be paid out at the tender hourly unit rate. Please note that the hourly unit rates (i.e. tender item # 1.6, 2.6, 3.6 and 4.6) won't be allowed to adjust if the actual well development hours are significantly different than the hours specified in the bid sheet (i.e. 40 hours).

**Question 4:** Can a bank draft be used in lieu of a bid bond & consent of surety?

**Answer 4:** No. All Tenders must be accompanied by a verifiable digital Bid Bond and a verifiable digital Consent of Surety as defined by the Surety Association of Canada. Scanned copies are not acceptable.

End of Addendum 1