



REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 26-015

Source Separated Waste Collection for Parks and Trails

Addendum 3

Issued: March 30, 2026

Closing Date & Time: on or before 3:00 PM Pacific Time on March 31, 2026

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 & Answers

Q1. We see in the RFP that you are asking for the recycling to go to Regional Recycling in Nanaimo. Is the revenue for the recycling (less any tipping fee) to go to the Contractor or the RDN?

A1. Recycling revenue can be claimed by the contractor.

Q2. Has there been a fee established for the Organics compost material at the Landfill and/or Transfer station?

A2. Yes. The Regional District of Nanaimo has established tipping fees for organics (food waste). Current organics compost fees for the Nanaimo Regional Landfill and Church Road Transfer Station are set under RDN Tipping Fee and Solid Waste Disposal Regulation Bylaw No. 1784 and are published on the RDN website.

Proponents should refer to the RDN's Hours and Tipping Fees webpage for the most up to date rates, accepted materials, and conditions: www.rdn.bc.ca/solid-waste-hours-and-rates

Q3. On Gabriola, if we are the successful proponent, are we able to use our existing garbage service system (currently used for Descanso Bay and our Provincial Parks contract). Rather than bringing off island as suggested in the contract.

A3. The contract requires all waste streams to be transported to designated RDN facilities, which for garbage and organics are the Nanaimo Regional Landfill or Church Road

Transfer Station, and for recycling the Regional Recycling Nanaimo facility. This requirement applies to Bundle B – Gabriola Island Parks and Trails and implies off island transport.

End of Addendum 3