

# THE CITY OF WINNIPEG

# REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

RFP NO. 51-2014

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR THE PROVISION OF LOCALLY BASED CITY OF WINNIPEG RECREATION, LEISURE AND AQUATICS IMAGES FOR PROMOTIONAL CAMPAIGNS

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#### **PART B - BIDDING PROCEDURES**

#### **B1.** CONTRACT TITLE

B1.1 REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR THE PROVISION OF LOCALLY BASED CITY OF WINNIPEG RECREATION, LEISURE AND AQUATICS IMAGES FOR PROMOTIONAL CAMPAIGNS

#### **B2. SUBMISSION DEADLINE**

- B2.1 The Submission Deadline is 4:00 p.m. Winnipeg time, April 23, 2014.
- B2.2 Proposals determined by the Manager of Materials to have been received later than the Submission Deadline will not be accepted and will be returned upon request.
- B2.3 The Contract Administrator or the Manager of Materials may extend the Submission Deadline by issuing an addendum at any time prior to the time and date specified in B2.1.

#### **B3. ENQUIRIES**

- B3.1 All enquiries shall be directed to the Contract Administrator identified in D3.1.
- B3.2 If the Bidder finds errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Request for Proposal, or is unsure of the meaning or intent of any provision therein, the Bidder shall promptly notify the Contract Administrator of the error, discrepancy or omission at least five (5) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B3.3 If the Bidder is unsure of the meaning or intent of any provision therein, the Bidder should request clarification as to the meaning or intent prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B3.4 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, require a correction to or a clarification of the Request for Proposal will be provided by the Contract Administrator to all Bidders by issuing an addendum.
- B3.5 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, do not require a correction to or a clarification of the Request for Proposal will be provided by the Contract Administrator only to the Bidder who made the enquiry.
- B3.6 All correspondence or contact by Proponents with the City in respect of this RFP must be directly and only with the Contract Administrator. Failure to restrict correspondence and contact to the Contract Administrator may result in the rejection of the Proponents Proposal Submission.
- B3.7 The Bidder shall not be entitled to rely on any response or interpretation received pursuant to B3 unless that response or interpretation is provided by the Contract Administrator in writing.

#### **B4.** CONFIDENTIALITY

- B4.1 Information provided to a Bidder by the City or acquired by a Bidder by way of further enquiries or through investigation is confidential. Such information shall not be used or disclosed in any way without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator. The use and disclosure of the confidential information shall not apply to information which:
  - (a) was known to the Bidder before receipt hereof; or
  - (b) becomes publicly known other than through the Bidder; or
  - (c) is disclosed pursuant to the requirements of a governmental authority or judicial order.

B4.2 The Bidder shall not make any statement of fact or opinion regarding any aspect of the Bid Opportunity to the media or any member of the public without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.

#### B5. ADDENDA

- B5.1 The Contract Administrator may, at any time prior to the Submission Deadline, issue addenda correcting errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Request for Proposal, or clarifying the meaning or intent of any provision therein.
- B5.2 The Contract Administrator will issue each addendum at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, or provide at least two (2) Business Days by extending the Submission Deadline.
- B5.2.1 Addenda will be available on the Bid Opportunities page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/bidopp.asp">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/bidopp.asp</a>
- B5.2.2 The Bidder is responsible for ensuring that he/she has received all addenda and is advised to check the Materials Management Division website for addenda regularly and shortly before the Submission Deadline, as may be amended by addendum.
- B5.3 The Bidder shall acknowledge receipt of each addendum in Paragraph 9 of Form A: Proposal. Failure to acknowledge receipt of an addendum may render a Proposal non-responsive.

#### **B6.** SUBSTITUTES

- B6.1 The Work is based on the Plant, Materials and methods specified in the Request for Proposal.
- B6.2 Substitutions shall not be allowed unless application has been made to and prior approval has been granted by the Contract Administrator in writing.
- B6.3 Requests for approval of a substitute will not be considered unless received in writing by the Contract Administrator at least five (5) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B6.4 The Bidder shall ensure that any and all requests for approval of a substitute:
  - (a) provide sufficient information and details to enable the Contract Administrator to determine the acceptability of the Plant, Material or method as either an approved equal or alternative;
  - (b) identify any and all changes required in the applicable Work, and all changes to any other Work, which would become necessary to accommodate the substitute:
  - (c) identify any anticipated cost or time savings that may be associated with the substitute:
  - (d) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved equal, the substitute will fully perform the functions called for by the general design, be of equal or superior substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the Contract;
  - (e) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved alternative, the substitute will adequately perform the functions called for by the general design, be similar in substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the Contract.
- B6.5 The Contract Administrator, after assessing the request for approval of a substitute, may in his/her sole discretion grant approval for the use of a substitute as an "approved equal" or as an "approved alternative", or may refuse to grant approval of the substitute.

- B6.6 The Contract Administrator will provide a response in writing, at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, only to the Bidder who requested approval of the substitute.
- B6.6.1 The Bidder requesting and obtaining the approval of a substitute shall be entirely responsible for disseminating information regarding the approval to any person or persons he/she wishes to inform.
- B6.7 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an "approved equal", any Bidder may use the approved equal in place of the specified item.
- B6.8 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an "approved alternative", any Bidder bidding that approved alternative may base his/her Total Bid Price upon the specified item but may also indicate an alternative price based upon the approved alternative. Such alternatives will be evaluated in accordance with B20.
- B6.9 No later claim by the Contractor for an addition to the Total Bid Price because of any other changes in the Work necessitated by the use of an approved equal or an approved alternative will be considered.
- B6.10 Notwithstanding B6.2 to B6.9 and in accordance with B7.7, deviations inconsistent with the Request for Proposal document shall be evaluated in accordance with B20.1(a).

#### **B7. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION**

- B7.1 The Proposal shall consist of the following components:
  - (a) Form A: Proposal (Section A);
  - (b) Form B: Prices (Section B).
- B7.2 The Proposal should also consist of the following components:
  - (a) Experience of Bidder and Subcontractors (Section C) in accordance with B11;
  - (b) Experience of Key Personnel Assigned to the Project (Section D), in accordance with B12;
  - (c) Project Understanding and Methodology (Section E) in accordance with B13; and
  - (d) Project Schedule (Section F) in accordance with B14.
- B7.3 Further to B7.1, all components of the Proposal shall be fully completed or provided in the order indicated, and submitted by the Proponent no later than the Submission Deadline, with all required entries made clearly and completely, to constitute a responsive Proposal.
- B7.4 Further to B7.2, all components of the Proposal should be fully completed or provided in the order indicated, and submitted by the Proponent no later than the Submission Deadline, with all required entries made clearly and completely, to constitute a responsive Proposal.
- B7.5 Bidders should submit one (1) unbound original (marked "original") and four (4) copies.
- B7.6 Bidders are advised not to include any information/literature except as requested in accordance with B7.1 and B7.2.
- B7.7 Bidders are advised that inclusion of terms and conditions inconsistent with the Proposal document, including the General Conditions, will be evaluated in accordance with B20.1(a).
- B7.8 The Proposal should be submitted enclosed and sealed in an envelope clearly marked with the RFP number and the Bidder's name and address.
- B7.8.1 Samples or other components of the Proposal Submission which cannot reasonably be enclosed in the envelope may be packaged separately, but shall be clearly marked with the RFP number, the Bidder's name and address, and an indication that the contents are part of the Bidder's Proposal Submission.

- B7.9 Proposals submitted by facsimile transmission (fax) or internet electronic mail (e-mail) will not be accepted.
- B7.10 Proposals shall be submitted to:

The City of Winnipeg Corporate Finance Department Materials Management Division 185 King Street, Main Floor Winnipeg MB R3B 1J1

#### B8. PROPOSAL

- B8.1 The Bidder shall complete Form A: Proposal, making all required entries.
- B8.2 Paragraph 2 of Form A: Proposal shall be completed in accordance with the following requirements:
  - (a) if the Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, his/her name shall be inserted:
  - (b) if the Bidder is a partnership, the full name of the partnership shall be inserted;
  - (c) if the Bidder is a corporation, the full name of the corporation shall be inserted;
  - (d) if the Bidder is carrying on business under a name other than his/her own, the business name and the name of every partner or corporation who is the owner of such business name shall be inserted.
- B8.2.1 If a Proposal is submitted jointly by two or more persons, each and all such persons shall identify themselves in accordance with B8.2.
- B8.3 In Paragraph 3 of Form A: Proposal, the Bidder shall identify a contact person who is authorized to represent the Bidder for purposes of the Proposal.
- B8.4 Paragraph 11 of Form A: Proposal shall be signed in accordance with the following requirements:
  - (a) if the Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, it shall be signed by the Bidder;
  - (b) if the Bidder is a partnership, it shall be signed by the partner or partners who have authority to sign for the partnership;
  - (c) if the Bidder is a corporation, it shall be signed by its duly authorized officer or officers and the corporate seal, if the corporation has one, should be affixed;
  - (d) if the Bidder is carrying on business under a name other than his/her own, it shall be signed by the registered owner of the business name, or by the registered owner's authorized officials if the owner is a partnership or a corporation.
- B8.4.1 The name and official capacity of all individuals signing Form A: Proposal should be printed below such signatures.
- B8.5 If a Proposal is submitted jointly by two or more persons, the word "Bidder" shall mean each and all such persons, and the undertakings, covenants and obligations of such joint Bidders in the Proposal and the Contract, when awarded, shall be both joint and several.

#### B9. PRICES

- B9.1 The Bidder shall state the lump sum price in Canadian funds for the Work on Form B: Prices.
- B9.1.1 Notwithstanding C11.1.3, prices on Form B: Prices shall not include the Goods and Services Tax (GST) or Manitoba Retail Sales Tax (MRST, also known as PST), which shall be extra where applicable.

B9.2 Payments to Non-Resident Contractors are subject to Non-Resident Withholding Tax pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada).

#### **B10. QUALIFICATION**

- B10.1 The Bidder shall:
  - (a) undertake to be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba, or if the Bidder does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Bidder does carry on business: and
  - (b) be financially capable of carrying out the terms of the Contract; and
  - (c) have all the necessary experience, capital, organization, and equipment to perform the Work in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract.
- B10.2 The Bidder and any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:
  - (a) be responsible and not be suspended, debarred or in default of any obligations to the City. A list of suspended or debarred individuals and companies is available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/debar.stm">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/debar.stm</a>
- B10.3 The Bidder and/or any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:
  - (a) have successfully carried out work similar in nature, scope and value to the Work; and
  - (b) be fully capable of performing the Work required to be in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract; and
  - (c) have a written workplace safety and health program, if required, pursuant to The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba);
  - (d) upon request of the Contract Administrator , obtain Security Clearances in accordance with PART E .
- B10.4 The Bidder shall submit, within three (3) Business Days of a request by the Contract Administrator, proof satisfactory to the Contract Administrator of the qualifications of the Bidder and of any proposed Subcontractor.
- B10.5 The Bidder shall provide, on the request of the Contract Administrator, full access to any of the Bidder's equipment and facilities to confirm, to the Contract Administrator's satisfaction, that the Bidder's equipment and facilities are adequate to perform the Work.

## B11. EXPERIENCE OF BIDDER AND SUBCONTRACTORS (SECTION C)

- B11.1 Proposals should include:
  - (a) details demonstrating the history and experience of the Bidder and Subcontractors in providing services on up to three projects of similar complexity, scope and value.
- B11.2 For each project listed in B11.1(a), the Bidder should submit:
  - (a) description of the project;
  - (b) role of the Bidder;
  - (c) project's original contracted cost and final cost;
  - (d) project owner;
  - (e) reference information (two current names with telephone numbers per project).

- B11.2.1 Where applicable, information should be separated into Bidder and Subcontractor project listings.
- B11.3 The Proposal should include general firm profile information, including years in business, average volume of work, number of employees and other pertinent information for the Bidder and all Subcontractors.

#### B12. EXPERIENCE OF KEY PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO THE PROJECT (SECTION D)

- B12.1 Describe your approach to overall team formation and coordination of team members.
- B12.1.1 Include an organizational chart for the Project.
- B12.2 Submit the experience and qualifications of the Key Personnel assigned to the Project for projects of similar complexity, scope and value. Include educational background and degrees, professional recognition, job title, years of experience in current position and years of experience with existing employer. Roles of each of the Key Personnel in the Project should be identified in the organizational chart referred to in B12.1.1.
- B12.3 For each person identified, list at least two comparable projects in which they have played a primary role. If a project selected for a key person is included in B11, provide only the project name and the role of the key person. For other projects provide the following:
  - (a) Description of project;
  - (b) Role of the person;
  - (c) Project Owner;
  - (d) Reference information (two current names with telephone numbers per project).

#### B13. PROJECT UNDERSTANDING AND METHODOLOGY (SECTION E)

- B13.1 Describe your firm's project management approach and team organization during the performance of Services, so that the evaluation committee has a clear understanding of the methods the Bidder will use in the delivery of this Project.
- B13.2 Methodology should be presented in accordance with the Scope of Services identified in D2.
- B13.3 Describe the collaborative process/method to be used by the Key Personnel of the team in the various phases of the Project.
- B13.4 Proposals should address:
  - (a) the team's understanding of the broad functional and technical requirements;
  - (b) the City's Project methodology with respect to the information provided within this RFP; and
  - (c) any other issue that conveys your team's understanding of the Project requirements.
- B13.5 For each person identified in B12.2, list the percent of time to be dedicated to the Project in accordance with the Scope of Services identified in D2.

#### B14. PROJECT SCHEDULE (SECTION F)

- B14.1 Bidders should present a carefully considered Critical Path Method schedule using Microsoft Project or similar project management software, complete with resource assignments (key personnel), durations (weekly timescale) and milestone dates or events. The schedule should address each requirement of the Scope of Services.
- B14.2 The Bidder's schedule should include critical dates for review and approval processes by the City. Reasonable times should be allowed for completion of these processes.

#### B15. OPENING OF PROPOSALS AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

- B15.1 Proposals will not be opened publicly.
- B15.2 After award of Contract, the names of the Bidders and the Contract amount of the successful Bidder will be available on the Closed Bid Opportunities (or Public/Posted Opening & Award Results) page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/</a>
- B15.3 To the extent permitted, the City shall treat all Proposal Submissions as confidential, however the Bidder is advised that any information contained in any Proposal may be released if required by City policy or procedures, by The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Manitoba), by other authorities having jurisdiction, or by law.
- B15.4 Following the award of Contract, a Bidder will be provided with information related to the evaluation of his/her submission upon written request to the Contract Administrator.

#### **B16.** IRREVOCABLE OFFER

- B16.1 The Proposal(s) submitted by the Bidder shall be irrevocable for the time period specified in Paragraph 10 of Form A: Proposal.
- B16.2 The acceptance by the City of any Proposal shall not release the Proposals of the other responsive Bidders and these Bidders shall be bound by their offers on such Work until a Contract for the Work has been duly executed and the performance security furnished as herein provided, but any offer shall be deemed to have lapsed unless accepted within the time period specified in Paragraph 10 of Form A: Proposal.

#### **B17. WITHDRAWAL OF OFFERS**

- B17.1 A Bidder may withdraw his/her Proposal without penalty by giving written notice to the Manager of Materials at any time prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B17.1.1 Notwithstanding C22.5, the time and date of receipt of any notice withdrawing a Proposal shall be the time and date of receipt as determined by the Manager of Materials.
- B17.1.2 The City will assume that any one of the contact persons named in Paragraph 3 of Form A: Proposal or the Bidder's authorized representatives named in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Proposal, and only such person, has authority to give notice of withdrawal.
- B17.1.3 If a Bidder gives notice of withdrawal prior to the Submission Deadline, the Manager of Materials will:
  - (a) retain the Proposal until after the Submission Deadline has elapsed;
  - (b) open the Proposal to identify the contact person named in Paragraph 3 of Form A: Proposal and the Bidder's authorized representatives named in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Proposal; and
  - (c) if the notice has been given by any one of the persons specified in B17.1.3(b), declare the Proposal withdrawn.
- B17.2 A Bidder who withdraws his/her Proposal after the Submission Deadline but before his/her offer has been released or has lapsed as provided for in B16.2 shall be liable for such damages as are imposed upon the Bidder by law and subject to such sanctions as the Chief Administrative Officer considers appropriate in the circumstances. The City, in such event, shall be entitled to all rights and remedies available to it at law.

#### **B18. INTERVIEWS**

B18.1 The Contract Administrator may, in his/her sole discretion, interview Bidders during the evaluation process.

B19.

**NEGOTIATIONS** 

- B19.1 The City reserves the right to negotiate details of the Contract with any Bidder. Bidders are advised to present their best offer, not a starting point for negotiations in their Proposal Submission.
- B19.2 The City may negotiate with the Bidders submitting, in the City's opinion, the most advantageous Proposals. The City may enter into negotiations with one or more Bidders without being obligated to offer the same opportunity to any other Bidders. Negotiations may be concurrent and will involve each Bidder individually. The City shall incur no liability to any Bidder as a result of such negotiations.
- B19.3 If, in the course of negotiations pursuant to B19.2 or otherwise, the Bidder amends or modifies a Proposal after the Submission Deadline, the City may consider the amended Proposal as an alternative to the Proposal already submitted without releasing the Bidder from the Proposal as originally submitted.

#### **B20. EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS**

- B20.1 Award of the Contract shall be based on the following evaluation criteria:
  - (a) compliance by the Bidder with the requirements of the Request for Proposal or acceptable deviation therefrom: (pass/fail)
  - (b) qualifications of the Bidder and the Subcontractors if any, pursuant to B10:

(pass/fail)

(c) Total Bid Price; (Section B)

(d) Experience of Bidder and the Subcontractors (Section C)

(e) Experience of Key Personnel Assigned to the Project; (Section D)

(f) Project Understanding and Methodology (Section E)

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(g) Project Schedule. (Section F)

10%

- B20.2 Further to B20.1(a), the Award Authority may reject a Proposal as being non-responsive if the Proposal is incomplete, obscure or conditional, or contains additions, deletions, alterations or other irregularities. The Award Authority may reject all or any part of any Proposal, or waive technical requirements or minor informalities or irregularities if the interests of the City so require.
- B20.3 Further to B20.1(b), the Award Authority shall reject any Proposal submitted by a Bidder who does not demonstrate, in his/her Proposal or in other information required to be submitted, that he/she is responsible and qualified.
- B20.4 Further to B20.1(c), the Total Bid Price shall be the lump sum price shown on Form B: Prices.
- B20.4.1 Further to B20.1(c), the Award Authority may reject a Proposal as being non-responsive if it exceeds the budget as shown on Form B: Prices.
- B20.5 Further to B20.1(d), Experience of Bidder and Subcontractor will be evaluated considering the information submitted in response to B11.
- B20.6 Further to B20.1(e), Experience of Key Personnel Assigned to the Project will be evaluated considering the information submitted in response to B12.
- B20.7 Further to B20.1(f), Project Understanding and Methodology will be evaluated considering the information submitted in response to B13.
- B20.8 Further to B20.1(g), Project Schedule will be evaluated considering the information submitted in response to B14.

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- B20.9 Notwithstanding B20.1(d) to B20.1(g), where Proponents fail to provide a response to B7.2(a) to B7.2(d), the score of zero may be assigned to the incomplete part of the response.
- B20.10 This Contract will be awarded as a whole.
- B20.11 If, in the sole opinion of the City, a Proposal does not achieve a pass rating for B20.1(a) and B20.1(b), the Proposal will be determined to be non-responsive and will not be further evaluated.

#### **B21. AWARD OF CONTRACT**

- B21.1 The City will give notice of the award of the Contract, or will give notice that no award will be made.
- B21.2 The City will have no obligation to award a Contract to a Bidder, even though one or all of the Bidders are determined to be responsible and qualified, and the Proposals are determined to be responsive.
- B21.2.1 Without limiting the generality of B21.2, the City will have no obligation to award a Contract where:
  - (a) the prices exceed the available City funds for the Work;
  - (b) the prices are materially in excess of the prices received for similar work in the past;
  - (c) the prices are materially in excess of the City's cost to perform the Work, or a significant portion thereof, with its own forces;
  - (d) only one Proposal is received; or
  - (e) in the judgment of the Award Authority, the interests of the City would best be served by not awarding a Contract.
- B21.3 Where an award of Contract is made by the City, the award shall be made to the responsible and qualified Bidder submitting the most advantageous offer.
- B21.3.1 Following the award of contract, a Bidder will be provided with information related to the evaluation of his/her Proposal upon written request to the Contract Administrator.
- B21.4 Notwithstanding C4 and Paragraph 6 of Form A; Proposal, the City may issue a purchase order to the successful Bidder in lieu of the execution of a Contract.
- B21.5 The Contract Documents, as defined in C1.1(n)(ii), in their entirety shall be deemed to be incorporated in and to form a part of the purchase order notwithstanding that they are not necessarily attached to or accompany said purchase order.

## **PART C - GENERAL CONDITIONS**

#### CO. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- C0.1 The *General Conditions for Supply of Services* (Revision 2007 04 12) are applicable to the Work of the Contract.
- C0.1.1 The General Conditions for Supply of Services are available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen\_cond.stm">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen\_cond.stm</a>
- C0.1.2 A reference in the Request for Proposal to a section, clause or subclause with the prefix "C" designates a section, clause or subclause in the *General Conditions for Supply of Services*

#### **PART D - SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS**

#### **GENERAL**

#### D1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

D1.1 In addition to the *General Conditions for Supply of Services*, these Supplemental Conditions are applicable to the Work of the Contract.

#### D2. SCOPE OF WORK

- D2.1 The Work to be done under the Contract shall consist of the Provision of Locally Based City of Winnipeg Recreation, Leisure and Aquatics Images for Promotional Campaigns.
- D2.2 The major components of the Work are as follows:
  - (a) a photo library of between 500-1,000 photos shall be created with the following specific conditions:
    - (i) photos should be 600 dpi;
    - (ii) images must be 'locally based' and appropriate for use in our promotional campaigns, including Leisure Guide covers, bus kings, posters, website etc.;
    - (iii) images should represent the diverse population of the City of Winnipeg;
    - (iv) images should be representative of all of our recreation, leisure and aquatics programming (e.g. preschool, children's, youth, adult leisure, adult active living, older active adults, skating lessons, public skating, swimming lessons, public swimming, free programming);
    - (v) the Leisure Guide is currently published 3 times per year (Spring/Summer, Fall and Winter). Images should represent the various seasons and types of programming available in each;
    - (vi) Images should include indoor and outdoor activities and should represent the range of facilities we offer:
    - (vii) the photo library should include a series of "Age Friendly" images could include multi-generational individuals participating in recreation/aquatics programs, at outdoor/special events, actively involved at a community centre, using parks/trails, using public transit;
  - (b) All images will become property of the City of Winnipeg;
  - (c) The Contractor will be responsible for collecting consent/release forms for all individuals photographed.
- D2.3 Notwithstanding D2.1, the type and quantity of Work to be performed under this Contract is subject to annual approval of monies therefore in a budget by Council. Bidders are advised that monies have been approved for work up to and including December 31, 2014.
- D2.4 Notwithstanding D2.1, in the event that operational changes result in substantial changes to the requirements for Work, the City reserves the right to alter the type or quantity of work performed under this Contract, or to terminate the Contract, upon thirty (30) Calendar Days written notice by the Contract Administrator. In such an event, no claim may be made for damages on the ground of loss of anticipated profit on Work.

#### D3. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR

D3.1 The Contract Administrator is:

Stephanie Johnson Research and Marketing Coordinator

Telephone No. 204-986-3068 Facsimile No. 204-986-3706

- D3.2 At the pre-commencement meeting, the Contract Administrator will identify additional personnel representing the Contract Administrator and their respective roles and responsibilities for the Work.
- D3.3 Bids Submissions must be submitted to the address in B7.10.

#### D4. OWNERSHIP OF INFORMATION, CONFIDENTIALITY AND NON DISCLOSURE

- D4.1 The Contract, all deliverables produced or developed, and information provided to or acquired by the Contractor are the property of the City and shall not be appropriated for the Contractors own use, or for the use of any third party.
- D4.2 The Contractor shall not make any public announcements or press releases regarding the Contract, without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.
- D4.3 The following shall be confidential and shall not be disclosed by the Contractor to the media or any member of the public without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator;
  - (a) information provided to the Contractor by the City or acquired by the Contractor during the course of the Work;
  - (b) the Contract, all deliverables produced or developed; and
  - (c) any statement of fact or opinion regarding any aspect of the Contract.
- D4.4 A Contractor who violates any provision of D4 may be determined to be in breach of Contract.

#### D5. NOTICES

D5.1 Notwithstanding C22.3, all notices of appeal to the Chief Administrative Officer shall be sent to the attention of the Chief Financial Officer at the following facsimile number:

The City of Winnipeg Chief Financial Officer

Facsimile No.: 204 949-1174

#### **SUBMISSIONS**

#### D6. AUTHORITY TO CARRY ON BUSINESS

D6.1 The Contractor shall be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba, or if the Contractor does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Contractor does carry on business, throughout the term of the Contract, and shall provide the Contract Administrator with evidence thereof upon request.

#### D7. INSURANCE

- D7.1 The Contractor shall provide and maintain the following insurance coverage:
  - (a) commercial general liability insurance, in the amount of at least two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) inclusive, with The City of Winnipeg added as an additional insured; such liability policy to also contain a cross-liability clause, non-owned automobile liability, contractual liability and products and completed operations cover, to remain in place at all times during the performance of the Work.
- D7.2 Deductibles shall be borne by the Contractor.

- D7.3 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a certificate(s) of insurance, in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, at least two (2) Business Days prior to the commencement of any Work on the Site.
- D7.4 The Contractor shall not cancel, materially alter, or cause the policy to lapse without providing at least thirty (30) Calendar Days prior written notice to the Contract Administrator.
- D7.5 The City shall have the right to alter the limits and/or coverages as reasonably required from time to time during the continuance of this agreement.

#### **CONTROL OF WORK**

#### D8. COMMENCEMENT

- D8.1 The Contractor shall not commence any Work until he/she is in receipt of a notice of award from the City authorizing the commencement of the Work.
- D8.2 The Contractor shall not commence any Work on the Site until:
  - (a) the Contract Administrator has confirmed receipt and approval of:
    - (i) evidence of authority to carry on business specified in D6;
    - (ii) evidence of the workers compensation coverage specified in C6.14;
    - (iii) evidence of the insurance specified in D7; and
  - (b) the Contractor has attended a meeting with the Contract Administrator, or the Contract Administrator has waived the requirement for a meeting.
- D8.3 The Contractor shall commence the Work on the Site within seven (7) Working Days of receipt of the notice of award.

#### D9. ORDERS

D9.1 The Contractor shall provide a local Winnipeg telephone number or a toll-free telephone number at which orders for service may be placed.

#### D10. INVOICES

D10.1 Further to C11, the Contractor shall submit an invoice for each portion of Work performed to:

The City of Winnipeg

Corporate Finance - Accounts Payable

4th Floor, Administration Building, 510 Main Street

Winnipeg MB R3B 1B9

Facsimile No.: 204 949-0864 Email: <u>CityWpgAP@winnipeg.ca</u>

- D10.2 Invoices must clearly indicate, as a minimum:
  - (a) the City's purchase order number;
  - (b) date of delivery;
  - (c) delivery address;
  - (d) type and quantity of work performed;
  - (e) the amount payable with GST and MRST shown as separate amounts; and
  - (f) the Contractor's GST registration number.
- D10.3 The City will bear no responsibility for delays in approval of invoices which are improperly submitted.

D10.4 Bids Submissions must be submitted to the address in B7.10.

## D11. PAYMENT

- D11.1 Further to C11, payment shall be in Canadian funds net thirty (30) Calendar Days after receipt and approval of the Contractor's invoice.
- D11.2 Further to C11, the City may at its option pay the Contractor by direct deposit to the Contractor's banking institution.

## **WARRANTY**

## D12. WARRANTY

D12.1 Warranty is as stated in C12.

#### **PART E - SECURITY CLEARANCE**

#### E1. SECURITY CLEARANCE

- E1.1 Each individual proposed to perform Work under the Contract shall be required to obtain a Criminal Record Search Certificate from the police service having jurisdiction at his place of residence. This can be obtained from one of the following;
  - (a) police service having jurisdiction at his/her place of residence.
- E1.2 The following is a link to information for obtaining the Criminal Record Search certificate including the Vulnerable Sector screening from the City of Winnipeg Police Service. <a href="http://winnipeg.ca/police/pr/info">http://winnipeg.ca/police/pr/info</a> request.stm#crim record search
- E1.2.1 The Criminal Record Search shall include a Vulnerable Sector Screening. This can be obtained by following the link below <a href="http://winnipeg.ca/police/pr/info\_request.stm#crim\_record\_search">http://winnipeg.ca/police/pr/info\_request.stm#crim\_record\_search</a>.
  - (i) Individuals will need to state in the form, that they may be working in City of Winnipeg pools, libraries and community centres;
- E1.3 The original Criminal Record Search Certificate (Form P–253) will be provided by the Winnipeg Police Service to the individual applicant. The original has a validation sticker from the Winnipeg Police Service in the top right hand corner. The applicant shall:
  - (a) Provide the original Criminal Record Search Certificate (Form P–253) to the Contract Administrator.
- E1.4 Prior to the commencement of any Work, and during the term of the Contract if additional or replacement individuals are proposed to perform Work, the Contractor shall supply the Contract Administrator with a Criminal Record Search Certificate obtained not earlier than one (1) year prior to the Submission Deadline, or a certified true copy thereof, for each individual proposed to perform the Work.
- E1.5 Any individual for whom a Criminal Record Search Certificate is not provided, or for whom a Criminal Record Search Certificate indicates any convictions or pending charges related to property offences or crimes against another person will not be permitted to perform any Work.
- E1.6 Any Criminal Record Search Certificate obtained thereby will be deemed valid for the duration of the Contract subject to a repeated records search as hereinafter specified.
- E1.7 Notwithstanding the foregoing, at any time during the term of the Contract, the City may, at its sole discretion and acting reasonably, require an updated criminal records search. Any individual who fails to provide a satisfactory Criminal Record Search Certificate as a result of a repeated criminal records search will not be permitted to continue to perform any Work.