

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD CONTRACT No. 21-056

Issued: June 17, 2021

Vendors are advised the Regional District of Nanaimo (RDN) intends to direct award a contract to GreatPacific Consulting Ltd. (GreatPacific) for a desktop review of the Greater Nanaimo Pollution Control Centre (GNPCC) Receiving Environment Monitoring Program.

Services include, but are not limited to:

- Updating the GNPCC effluent modelling predictions by August 6, 2021
- Reviewing and revising the GNPCC Receiving Environment Monitoring Program.

The estimated value of the agreement may be greater than \$25,000.

The RDN wishes to direct award for the following reasons:

- GreatPacific has developed a model of the GNPCC effluent as part of previous work assignments.
- GreatPacific is able to update the model by August 6, 2021.

Vendors wishing to challenge the RDN's intention to direct award a contract to GreatPacific must submit their objection, in writing, via email to the following person on, or before 3:00 p.m. PST on June 24, 2021:

Shelley Norum, Wastewater Program Coordinator Regional District of Nanaimo Email: <u>snorum@rdn.bc.ca</u>

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.