



November 22, 2022

ENQUIRIES AND RESPONSES # 1
NWRFP-22-16
Multi-Family Recycling, Food Scraps, and Glass Packaging Collection Program
New Westminster, BC

ANSWERS TO SUBMITTED QUESTIONS

- Q1 Is this a typo on page 13?
A1 It is. The sentence should read “Contract prices to prevail in subsequent years of the agreement will be based on the **2022** contract price adjusted by the agreed indicator for only the operating cost portion of the price.”.
- Q2 Can a tentative start date be given, so we can have an idea if we can order equipment by then?
A2 The City is aiming for between March and May of 2023, dependant on how much time may be needed by the successful proponent.
- Q3 Who is currently providing the services to these multi-family units, City of New West or Private Haulers? If private haulers, are there service contracts in place?
A3 The current supplier of this service is Waste Management. Yes.
- Q4 In Section 9.2, the NWRFP document states, “If a written contract cannot be negotiated within fourteen (60) days of notification with the lead Proponent the City may, at its discretion at any time thereafter, terminate negotiations with the lead Proponent and either enter into negotiations with the next qualified Proponent or cancel the RFP or negotiate with another supplier.” Can the City clarify whether the period described above will be fourteen (14) days or sixty (60) days?
A4 That should read fourteen (14).

END of Enquiries and Responses

Yours truly,

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