



## **REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS No. 25-022**

### **GNPCC Receiving Environment Monitoring Program**

#### **Addendum 2**

**Issued: April 22, 2025**

**Closing Date & Time: on or before 3:00 PM Pacific Time on April 30, 2025**

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

#### **Questions and Answers**

**Q1.** Is it required that the sediment sampling, benthic invertebrate sampling, and tissue sampling for bioaccumulation analysis be completed in 2025? And are these services included in the stated 2025 budget of \$200,000 + GST?

**A1.** Please consider these factors when proposing a program schedule:

- a) The RDN does not require the stated sampling to be completed in 2025. However, the 2025 budget amount provided assumes that such sampling may be included in this budget year.
- b) It is the RDN's preference that the sampling occurs in Year 1 or Year 2 of the program.
- c) Year 1 of the program spans 2025 and 2026.
- d) Samples may be collected in 2025 and analysed in 2026, as holds times permit.

**Q2.** Can you please provide the estimated maximum budget for the 3 years of service? We understand the maximum budget for services in 2025 is \$200,000 + GST.

**A2.** The RDN is seeking the best value for the scope of services listed in the RFP. Respondents are encouraged to provide a fixed price that is competitive, fair, and addresses the full scope of services.

End of Addendum 2