



# Request for Proposal

**Project Title:** Skid Unit and Stretcher Systems

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Municipality of French River

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## Confidentiality Statement

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## Submission Details

### Submission Deadlines and Methods

All submissions for responding to this request must be submitted to our office, as stated below, no later than:

**Submissions accepted no later than – Wednesday July 10, 2019 @ 2:00pm**

Successful candidate will be notified within 30 days of the proposal closing date

The use of mail for delivery of proposal will be at the risk of the respondent. Submissions sent in electronic format will **not** be accepted.

Proposal must be submitted in a sealed envelope and shall be clearly marked with the following:

- The Name and Address of the Respondent
- The Request Number
- The Project Title

Administration staff will affix on the sealed envelope:

- Date and time of receipt

### Submission Delivery Address, Submission Questions and Clarifications

You may contact the following lead person if you have any questions or require clarification on any topics covered in this Bid Solicitation. The delivery address to be used for all submissions is:

**Fire Chief Roch Bigras**  
French River Fire Department  
Municipality of French River  
44 St. Christophe Street, Suite 1  
P.O. Box 156  
Noëlville, ON, P0M 2N0  
Tel: 705-898-2294  
Cell: 705-562-0559  
Fax: 705-898-2181  
Email: firechief@frenchriver.ca

## Submission Opening

Proposals will be publicly opened and recorded on **Wednesday July 10, 2019 2:30PM**. Staff will review the proposal and the successful candidate will be presented at the Regular Council Meeting of **July 17, 2019**

## Amendment and Withdrawal of Submission

Requests for withdrawal of a submission shall be allowed if the request is made before the closing time for the contract to which it applies. Requests shall be directed to the Lead person by letter or in person, by a Senior Official of the company, with a signed withdrawal confirming the details. Telephone requests shall not be considered. The withdrawal of a tender does not disqualify a bidder from submitting another tender on the same contract.

## Addendums

The Municipality may, at its discretion, amend or supplement the documents for this request by addendum at any time prior to the closing date for receipt of Proposals. Changes to the request documents shall be made by ADDENDUM ONLY. Such changes made by addendum shall be supplementary to and an integral part of the request. All addendum must be signed and included in the final submission acknowledging all addenda issued by the Municipality. While the Municipality will endeavor to provide notification of the issuance of an addendum to prospective Proponents, the Municipality assumes no liability for the notification and it is the responsibility of each Proponent monitor and determine whether any addenda have been issued by the Municipality.

## Introduction & Background

The Municipality of French River is a vibrant, welcoming and family-based community that is committed to positive, sustainable growth. A scenic environment, friendliness of neighbors, diversity of cultures and small Municipality feel make French River the community of choice to live, work, visit and vacation.

## Detailed Specifications/Scope of Work

The Municipality of French River (herein after referred to as the Municipality) is requesting proposals for the purchase of Skid Unit and Stretcher Systems.

- Financial Components are attached in Schedule "A"
- The detailed specifications are attached in Schedule "B"

## Assumptions & Constraints

The successful Proponent will ensure all services and products provided in respect to this proposal are in accordance with, and under authorization of all applicable authorities, municipal, provincial and/or federal legislation.

The successful Proponent and its employees may have access to information confidential to the Municipality. This information may include, but is not limited to, terms of this agreement, business methods and systems, contractual terms, pricing, personal information, etc. subject to disclosure by force of law, the successful Proponent agrees that it and its employees who have access to this information will not either during the term of the agreement or at any time thereafter reveal to any third party any of this confidential information or use in any way, whether on the successful Proponent's behalf or on behalf of any third party, any such information

The information, reports, documentation, plans, etc. that are a product of this award by the successful Proponent, will become the exclusive property of the Municipality of French River.

## Terms and Conditions

Relating to the submission document:

- Provincial and Federal Taxes (H.S.T.)** - Tenders shall include applicable H.S.T. taxes. This tax shall be shown separate from the unit price. The proponent shall include with the executed documents, at the time of submission, on company letterhead, notification to the Municipality of their H.S.T. Registration Number (if any)
- Costs, Deliverables & Timelines** – as set out in Schedule A
- Declaration** - Signed declaration must be submitted (Page #8)
- Other** - Proponents may include any additional information regarding their firm and/or services that may prove beneficial to the evaluation of the proposal. These would be provided in the form of appendices.

Relating to the Successful Candidates:

- **Notice of Acceptance** - Notice of acceptance may be made by fax or telephone, with written confirmation of same to follow, to the successful proponent at the number given by the proponent.
- **Payment** - shall be made upon receipt of invoice following the receipt of the product (net 30 days) with completion of the work to the satisfaction of the Municipality. The security deposit will be released upon completion of any deficiencies and receipt of payment by the Municipality of French River of any late fees owing as per the contract clause above.
- **Servicing manuals** - need to be provided with the final product.
- **Price** - The Proponent shall abide by the total price stated in the submission document. No further payments beyond the contract amount will be made for any additional services required to provide a satisfactory deliverable. If additional requirements are requested by the Municipality beyond the original scope of work described in this Request, the cost of these services would be negotiated between the Municipality and the company that has been selected to perform the work. Any additional work will only be undertaken based on a request in writing from the Municipality of French River.
- **Termination** - The Municipality reserves the right to immediately terminate the contract for sufficient cause, including but not limited to such items as non-performance, late deliveries, inferior quality, pricing problems, etc.
- **Warranty** – Details of the warranty need to be provided to the Municipality before the install is commenced.
- **Public Record** - Any personal information required on the proposal form is received under the authority of the Municipality. This information will be an integral component of the quote submission. All written proposals received by the Municipality become a public record; once a proposal is accepted by the Municipality, and a contract is signed, all information contained in it is available to the public including personal information.

## Selection Criteria

A combination of quality, experience and price will determine the successful firm. More specifically:

- The Proponent's experience overall and particularly in relation to similar projects.
- The quality of the proposal.
- The quality of the proposed product.
- The proven ability to stay within project budget and meet project completion target date.
- Any additional features or advantages uniquely proposed by the Proponent which the Municipality has not identified in the project deliverables or description.
- The Proponent's financial proposal

The Municipality of French River is not obligated to award the service contract to the lowest or any firm. The Municipality reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive formalities as the interests of the Municipality may require without stating reasons. The Municipality will not be responsible for any liabilities, costs, expenses, loss or damage incurred, sustained or suffered by any Proponent by reason of the acceptance or the non-acceptance by the Municipality of any proposal or by reason of any delay in the acceptance of a proposal as well Any expenses incurred by the Proponent in the preparation of the proposal submission are entirely the responsibility of the Proponent and will not be charged to the Municipality.

## Declaration

To: The Municipality of French River

Sirs: I/We the undersigned acknowledge receipt of and having carefully examined the Request and "Specifications" set forth in schedule "B" and hereby offer to submit this proposal for the Compensation and Pay Equity Review in accordance with, and as required by the said documents at the price set forth in "Schedule "A" hereto.

I/We understand and accept that the prices set forth in this Proposal Form include full compensation to furnish all labour, equipment, materials and supplies and transportation necessary or incidental to completing the work in strict accordance with said documents.

I/We understand that this Agreement terminates in the event that I fail to perform the work to the satisfaction of the Municipality.

I/We understand that the lowest or any quote will not necessarily be accepted and that TO BE CONSIDERED, Quote Forms must be in the Municipal Office by the Submission Deadlines and Methods.

### GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. Notice of acceptance may be made by email, fax or telephone, with written confirmation of same to follow, to the respondent at the numbers given by the respondent.



**Name and Address of the Respondent**

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**Phone:**

**Fax:**

**Email:**

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**The Respondent declares:**

- No person, firm or Municipality other than the Respondent, has any interest in this proposal or in the proposed services for this proposal;
- This proposal is made without any connection, comparison of figures or arrangements with or knowledge of any other Municipality, firm or person making a proposal for the same service and is in all respect fair and without collusion or fraud;
- No member of the staff of the Municipality of French River is, or will become interested directly or indirectly; as a contracting party, partner shareholder, surety or otherwise; or in the performance of the service; or in the supplies, service or business to which it relates; or in any portion of the profits thereof; or in any of the monies to be derived there from;
- The content and requirements of this proposal document have been read and understood.
- All prices are quoted in Canadian funds.

**All or any proposals not necessarily accepted.**

Signed at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2019.

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Print Name - Witness

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Print – Respondent,

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Title - Respondent

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Signature - Witness

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Signature – Respondent

<b>Schedule "A" - Financials</b>
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**Skid Unit and Stretcher System Cost**

	Unit Price
<b>Unit 1 - Price for Skid Unit</b>	
<b>Unit 2 - Stretcher System</b>	
Shipping Cost	
Other ( <i>Multi purchase discounts</i> )	
<b>Subtotal:</b>	
<b>HST (13%)</b>	
<b>Total</b>	

**Other specifications not previously noted:**

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## Schedule "B" - Unit Speciation's

### Unit 1

#### ATV Slip-On Unit with High Pressure Fire Pump & Hose Real compatible with a Kawasaki Mule

##### General Specifications (Accepting various styles of Skid Units)

- 65 US Gallon (246 liters) NFPA compliant Baffled Tank
- Fire pump
- Pressure gauge
- Safety Bypass bleed line with Rapid Pump powered tank refill option
- The unit is designed so that the pump can be easily and quickly disconnected.
- Two thumb screws hold the pump in place should the portable pump be needed elsewhere
- Overboard connection for connecting the suction hose for use with an external water source
- Inlet available to connect an external water source for refilling a tank
- 1 ½" (38mm) discharge with shut-off valve, plus an auxiliary 1 ½" (38mm) connection with cap. Available with various threads or forged QC connections
- Stainless steel Hannayreel mounted on the tank. Includes 100' (30.5 M) section of ¾" (19 mm) Boost lite reel hose with a Fog/Straight stream nozzle, plus valve for emergency shutoff
- Poppet check valve and hand primer for rapid priming
- Discharge hose (sections of 1 ½" (38 mm) x 75' (23 M)
- Fire boss fire hose)
- Various discharge threads (NH, NPSH, BSP, QC)
- Choice of nozzle
- Jack Stack (NH & NPSH)
- Suction Hose
- Foot Valve

### Unit 2

##### General Specifications (Accepting various styles of Stretcher Systems)

- 2- Stretcher basket complete
- 2- flotation kit for stretcher
- 2- dust cover for stretcher
- 1-anchorman trailer for ATV
- 1- ATV kit for summer
- 1-ski kit for winter