



**Request for Proposals: Next-Generation 9-1-1 Readiness Engagement**

**ADDENDUM NO. 1**

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1	<p>Can this project be completed remotely or is the expectation that proponent staff would be required on-site to complete the project?</p> <p><b>The SLRD expects that this project can be completed remotely. However, limited on-site engagement would be considered if deemed beneficial at specific stages of the project.</b></p>
2	<p>If this project can be done remotely, will WorkSafeBC coverage still be required?</p> <p><b>Yes. WorkSafeBC coverage requirements apply to all contractors regardless of work location or working arrangements. Contractors must either:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Maintain WorkSafeBC coverage; or</b></li> <li>• <b>Provide documentation demonstrating that WorkSafeBC coverage is not required (for example, where the contractor is a sole proprietor or sole operator exempt from coverage requirements).</b></li> </ul>
3	<p>Regarding WorkSafeBC coverage, are you requiring active WorkSafeBC registration/clearance, or simply proof of workers' compensation coverage from our home jurisdiction?</p> <p><b>Either would be acceptable. In British Columbia, not all employers or contractors are required to maintain WorkSafeBC coverage. For example, certain sole proprietors and sole operators may be exempt. Documentation confirming such an exemption would satisfy this requirement.</b></p> <p><b>For contractors performing all work remotely and not carrying out any work in British Columbia, proof of workers' compensation coverage from their home jurisdiction will also be accepted.</b></p>

4	<p>Is the data in an Enterprise Geodatabase or is it a local File Geodatabase?</p> <p><b>The data is stored in a local File Geodatabase.</b></p>
5	<p>How will the data be transferred to the winning proponent?</p> <p><b>The SLRD's data is currently stored in a File Geodatabase format and can be provided as a compressed (zipped) file geodatabase. Alternative data transfer methods may be considered if preferred by the selected proponent.</b></p>
6	<p>Can the data be remotely accessed?</p> <p><b>Yes, the data can be made available for remote access if the proponent chooses not to receive it as a File Geodatabase.</b></p>
7	<p>Do you have established contacts and communication with the surrounding municipalities for coordinating NG-911 boundary requirements?</p> <p><b>The SLRD has established communication channels with member municipalities regarding NG911 readiness and other initiatives. While general discussions have occurred on boundary requirements, a formalized communication process specific to this topic has not yet been established.</b></p>
8	<p>Are formal inter-municipal coordination processes already established for NG-911 boundary alignment, road centerline continuity, and addressing synchronization with neighboring jurisdictions?</p> <p><b>At present, formal inter-municipal coordination processes for NG911 boundary alignment, road centerline continuity, and addressing synchronization have not been established; however, this is recognized as an important component of ongoing NG911 readiness efforts.</b></p>
9	<p>Who is considered the authoritative data owner/steward for each NG-911 dataset involved in the project (roads, addresses, boundaries, PSAP polygons, emergency service zones, etc.)?</p> <p><b>There are multiple owners.</b></p>
10	<p>Are there existing data dictionaries, domain standards, or naming conventions that the successful proponent will be expected to follow?</p>

	<p><b>There are no existing data dictionaries, domain standards, or naming conventions that the successful proponent will be required to follow. However, all data developed under this project must conform to the applicable NENA Standard for NG9-1-1 GIS Data Model.</b></p>
11	<p>Are there existing QA/QC processes or validation tools currently being used for your datasets that will be involved in the NG-911 process?</p> <p><b>At present, the SLRD does not have formal QA/QC processes or dedicated validation tools specifically configured for NG911 datasets. However, general data review practices are in place, and the development of NG911-specific QA/QC procedures is anticipated as part of implementation planning.</b></p>
12	<p>Are there existing integrations with CAD, RMS, dispatch, or PSAP systems?</p> <p><b>There are currently no integrations at this time.</b></p>
13	<p>Are there any current data synchronization processes internally or between other municipalities or agencies?</p> <p><b>There are currently no data synchronization processes in place with external organizations.</b></p>
14	<p>Are there known data quality concerns or problem areas already identified by the SLRD?</p> <p><b>At this time, the SLRD has not identified any known data quality concerns or significant problem areas within the datasets currently maintained. The primary requirement will be transforming existing data to align with NENA standards.</b></p>
15	<p>Are there known discrepancies between municipal boundaries, addressing datasets, or road centerline ownership/maintenance responsibilities?</p> <p><b>At this time, no known discrepancies have been identified between municipal boundaries, addressing datasets, or road centerline ownership and maintenance responsibilities.</b></p>
16	<p>Is SLRD the established authoritative source for addressing and road naming?</p>

	<p><b>There are multiple authoritative sources.</b></p>
17	<p>Are there cybersecurity or data residency requirements that the successful proponent must comply with?</p> <p><b>Yes, the successful proponent must comply with the following requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>All data must remain within Canada</b></li> <li>• <b>The vendor must carry appropriate cybersecurity insurance</b></li> <li>• <b>The vendor must comply with all applicable Canadian data protection and privacy legislation</b></li> </ul>
18	<p>Will VPN access or secure remote desktop access be provided if remote work is permitted?</p> <p><b>Yes, VPN access can be provided if required to support remote work.</b></p>
19	<p>Will the Squamish – Lillooet Regional District be using GeoBC as their aggregator for NG9-1-1?</p> <p><b>Yes.</b></p> <p>Also, will the DRA be used for submissions to GeoBC?</p> <p><b>Yes.</b></p>
20.	<p>Are proponents allowed to request changes to the terms and conditions in SLRD's contract?</p> <p>If making such request is permitted, should proponents include these proposed changes with their proposal submission, or wait until they have been selected to address them?</p> <p><b>Once the preferred candidate is selected, the SLRD and the preferred candidate will enter into negotiations to determine whether contract terms can be arrived at.</b></p>