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Addendum No. 05

File Reference Number: RFP 2025 035

Title: Iroquois Falls Subdivision Track Rehabilitation

RE: Clarifications/Questions

Please refer to the following information / clarifications:

Item 1: Can the successful respondent mark the ties and plates together with the ONTC supervisor?

Answer: The successful respondent may be able to assist marking ties with the ONTC supervisor.

Item 2: During the non-mandatory site visit it was determined that 3'000 ties for the mainline might not be sufficient. Can a portion of the 5,000 ties for the yard re-allocated for the mainline?

Answer: A portion of the 5,000 yard ties can be reallocated for the mainline. These ties shall be invoiced as mainline ties.

Item 3: Addendum No. 02 – Item No. 07 states that gauging may be required. Please advise what tolerance of wide gauge will require the gauge to be corrected?

Answer: The track shall be gauge to a minimum standard of 57 3/4".

Item 4: Please provide a map showing the location of the turnout to be replaced.

Answer: ONTC will confirm the turnouts to be replaced with the successful proponent.

Item 5: Most ties in the yard don't have any tie plates. Do you provide plates that go with the new ties in the yard?

Answer: Plates will be provided for all new ties installed for this project.

Item 6: Does ONTC require additional plates to be installed in the yard?

Answer: The additional 3,000 tie plates required include the yard tracks.

Item 7: Will ONTC provide rail anchors for the mainline and the yard track or shall the proponent reuse the existing rail anchors?

Answer: The proponent shall reuse the existing rail anchors.

Item 8: Will ONTC provide the ties in bundles or loose?

Answer: Ties will be provided in bundles.

Item 9: Will ONTC provide spikes and tie plates packaged or in bulk (gondola)?

Answer: Spikes and Tie plates will be provided loose.

Item 10: Will ONTC provide boarding cars for this project?

Answer: ONTC will not be providing boarding cars for this project.

Item 11: Will ONTC agree to provide an extension for this RFP?

Answer: ONTC will not be extending the proposal submission date. The closing date remains

Friday, June 20, 2025 at 2:00:00 p.m.

This Addendum hereby forms part of the RFP.

Regards,

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