THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF POWASSAN

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ADDENDUM NO. 1

REQUEST FOR TENDER 2026-06

Supply and Delivery of One New or Like-New Four-Wheel-Drive Backhoe Loader

Addendum issue date	October 29, 2026
Original closing date	October 30, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. local time
REVISED closing date	November 6, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. local time
REVISED public opening	November 6, 2026 at 2:35 p.m. local time

1. Powertrain – Differential Lock (Original Tender, Page 4)

Under Section 4, Technical Specifications and Compliance Schedule, Powertrain, the requirement "Four-wheel drive, differential lock, road travel transmission – state speeds" is replaced with:

Four-wheel drive with differential lock, automatic limited-slip differential, or manufacturer-approved equivalent traction-control system suitable for municipal operations. Bidder shall state transmission type and maximum road travel speed.

The requirement remains mandatory. Bidders offering an equivalent system shall identify the system and provide supporting manufacturer information.

2. Loader Coupler and Optional Pallet Forks (Original Tender, Pages 5 and 7)

A hydraulic quick coupler for the front loader is not mandatory under the base equipment requirements. The mandatory hydraulic 4-in-1 multipurpose front bucket requirement remains unchanged.

For the optional "Pallet forks / loader forks" item in Section 5, bidders shall include any necessary coupler, mounting equipment and installation to provide fully functional pallet forks compatible with the proposed machine. Bidders may separately identify and price an optional hydraulic loader quick coupler, if available. Optional pricing remains excluded from the evaluated base bid.

3. New or Like-New Equipment (Original Tender, Pages 1–3 and 8)

The Municipality will consider bids for either new, unused equipment or like-new demonstration/lightly used equipment of the same general size and capability, provided all mandatory technical specifications are met. References in the tender to "new" or "new, unused, current-production" equipment are amended accordingly.

For any like-new unit, the bidder shall state the model year, engine hours, previous use, current condition, manufacturer warranty remaining (including start date and exclusions), and provide photographs and service history where available. The unit must be fully serviced, inspected, and delivered in ready-to-operate condition. The Municipality reserves the right to inspect the proposed unit before award or acceptance.

Bidders shall clearly identify whether their base bid is for NEW or LIKE-NEW equipment. The Municipality will evaluate compliant bids under the published evaluation criteria, including technical suitability, warranty/service support, delivery, and price.

4. Closing, Opening and Award Dates (Original Tender, Page 1)

The tender closing date is extended to November 6, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. local time. The public tender opening is revised to November 6, 2026 at 2:35 p.m. local time. The previously stated anticipated award date of November 3, 2026 is superseded; award timing will be determined following tender review and required municipal approvals.

5. General

This addendum forms part of RFT 2026-06. Except as expressly amended above, all other terms, conditions and requirements of the original tender remain unchanged. All bidders shall acknowledge Addendum No. 1 in the "Addenda acknowledged (numbers)" field of the Supplier Declaration on page 9.

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