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Attention Contractors,

The Town of Smithers is seeking quotations from logging contractors for the immediate removal of trees and for property cleanup at the Smithers Airport, with the aim of maximizing revenue from timber sales while adhering to the highest safety and forest management standards.

Project Overview:

Location: Smithers Airport, Smithers, BC

Objective: Remove trees and brush in the protected clearways around the airport as shown on attached map generally outlined in blue.

Timeline: Immediate availability required

Addition work may be added as approvals are attained for the area generally outlined in orange on the attached map.

Scope of Work:

Interested contractors are requested to provide written quotations for the following tasks:

Cutting down, processing, and hauling marketable timber to the point of sale following log buyers' requirements.

Cutting down, mulching, and clearing the area of non-merchantable trees. Raking, piling, and generally cleaning the logged area for ease of future brushing.

Safety and Compliance:

Contractors must act as independent contractors and adhere to all WorkSafe BC requirements and best practices. Proof of WorkSafe BC clearance is mandatory for consideration.

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Quotation Options:

The Town of Smithers will consider two options for quotations:

- 1) Hourly rates for completing the specified work. Proceeds from log sales will be paid direct from the log buyer to the Town of Smithers under the Town timber mark.
- 2) Lump sum rate for performing the specified work to the satisfaction of the Town. Contractors will sell marketable timber and proceeds from log sales will go to the contractor.

Submission Details:

Interested contractors with immediate availability are invited to submit their written quotations by 2pm local time February 22nd. Please ensure that all quotations are comprehensive and include a breakdown of costs, timelines, and any relevant terms and conditions.

The Town will select the quotation which has best overall value to the Town. The lowest or any other proposal may not be selected at the sole discretion of the Town.

Contact Information:

For inquiries and submission of quotations, please contact:

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We appreciate your attention to this request and look forward to receiving your quotations. Thank you for your interest in working with the Town of Smithers

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