

May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024

Smithers Regional Airport, Town of Smithers  
Suite 1- 6421 Airport Road  
Smithers, BC V0J 2N2

Attention: Rob Blackburn, Airport Manager

## Smither Regional Airport Lands Environmental Investigation – Request for Quote

### 1.0 INTRODUCTION & BACKGROUND

The Town of Smithers (ToS) owns and operates the Smithers Regional Airport (SRA), a public airport with scheduled commercial services and charter flights, located 5 km northwest of the ToS (the Site). The SRA occupies approximately 340 hectares and these lands represent a significant opportunity for economic development and diversification for the airport operations and regional economy. The SRA was recently awarded a grant to assist with environmental investigation and remediation to prepare several areas for future development.

The SRA is currently seeking qualified local contractors to provide services throughout 2024. Activities may include test pits, excavation of soil to a maximum depth of 5 m, transportation of IL+ soil from the SRA to the Knockholt Landfill in Houston, BC, backfilling and compaction of the excavated area with approved material. To complete this work, the following equipment or materials are anticipated to be needed:

- Excavator (200 and 300 size or similar)
- Gravel truck (including end dumps and truck and pups)
- Gravel (3" minus, ¾" crush, and pit run); please include the source/location of gravel
- Hydrovac

As part of the quotation include where equipment and staff are located, as well as any affiliations with local First Nations. Please provide applicable unit (as applicable), hourly and daily rates including availability for some, or all of the items listed above. The quotation is to be sent to [rblackburn@smithers.ca](mailto:rblackburn@smithers.ca) or [airportadmin@smithers.ca](mailto:airportadmin@smithers.ca) and is due by 5:00pm Pacific Standard Time on May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

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