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REGIONAL DISTRICT

ADDENDUM #2

Request for Proposal

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Municipal Solid Waste Transport

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This addendum shall form part of the Request for Proposal document and is to be read and coordinated with all other parts.

Question 1: The RFP requires service within four hours of notification that a load is ready for transport. Would the qRD consider an alternative arrangement whereby dispatch occurs by a specified time each day, rather than requiring a driver to remain on standby awaiting notification?

Answer 1: To clarify, the four (4) hour service response requirement applies to the exchange of full and empty containers within the Transfer Station basement at the RRC. This requirement is integral to maintaining sufficient container capacity to support continuous loading operations.

The transportation of MSW containers to and from the intermodal yard in New Westminster is not subject to the four (4) hour service response requirement. Proponents are encouraged to propose alternative transportation models and scheduling arrangements; however, proposals must demonstrate the ability to provide reliable and consistent service, including timely container exchanges, to support ongoing RRC operations.

The qRD is not prescribing a particular transportation, dispatch, or scheduling model. Proponents are responsible for identifying how their proposed approach will meet the service requirements outlined in the RFP.