

October 17, 2024

## THE REGIONAL DISTRICT OF OKANAGAN-SIMILIKAMEEN (RDOS) ADVERTISEMENT

## RETROFITTING HOMES PROGRAM IN THE SOUTH OKANAGAN – MODEL REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATIONS PROJECT

## **RFP-RDOS-24-SUSTAINABILITY**

## **Summary**

The purpose of this Request for Proposal (RFP) is to solicit submissions from qualified Consultants to provide recommendations on the appropriate retrofit programming model tailored for the RDOS and City of Penticton, who will co-implement the retrofit program. The study shall address barriers in the residential retrofit sector.

Buildings are the highest energy use sector but rank second after vehicles in terms of emissions and energy expenditure in the RDOS and City of Penticton. The region is committed to reducing greenhouse gas emissions by 80% by 2050, including measures such as retrofitting homes by replacing inefficient heating systems with high-efficiency alternatives. To meet these objectives and reduce energy usage and associated costs, approximately 1,500 single-family homes will need to be renovated in the region annually.

For full details regarding this opportunity, please visit the RDOS Bonfire portal rdos.bonfirehub.ca

**Electronic submissions only through the Bonfire portal.** Submissions by any other method will not be accepted.

All submissions must be received through the Bonfire portal on or before 2:00 PM, Local Time, November 8th, 2024.

Respondents <u>must</u> be registered vendors on the RDOS Bonfire portal in order to issue a response to this opportunity and/or receive addenda or other important notifications. The RDOS does not accept any responsibility for missing addenda, notifications or misunderstandings when the source documents were downloaded from any other website or portal, other than the RDOS Bonfire portal <u>rdos.bonfirehub.ca</u>

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