



REQUEST FOR QUOTES

FISHERMAN'S ROAD BRUSH AND TREE CUTTING

The Town of Victoria is inviting open quotes from qualified contractors or businesses with the appropriate equipment, insurance, and experience to complete brush and tree cutting along Fisherman's Road.

1. Scope of Work

The work will consist of cutting brush and trees of various sizes within an area extending approximately three (3) metres on each side of Fisherman's Road, beginning at the entrance to Fisherman's Road in the ridge area of 70 Victoria Road and continuing to the connection with Swansea Road.

The approximate length of the work area is approximately 2,400 metres.

The successful bidder will be responsible for:

- Cutting brush and trees of various sizes within the designated three-metre area on each side of Fisherman's Road;
- Providing all equipment, machinery, labour, and other resources necessary to complete the work;
- Leaving all cut brush, trees, and other cut material within the designated three-metre cut area;
- Ensuring that no cut material is left on the travelled portion of Fisherman's Road, within any area required for access or travel, or in any location that would obstruct or interfere with travel by off-road vehicles or other users of the road; and
- Leaving the work area in a safe and reasonably accessible condition upon completion.

2. Property Boundaries and Removal of Wood

The bidder/contractor is responsible for satisfying themselves as to the location and limits of the work area before commencing any cutting.

The contractor shall not cut, remove, transport, or otherwise take possession of any trees, timber, wood, or other material located outside the Town-authorized work area or on privately owned property.

No wood or other material may be removed from the work area for personal or commercial use unless the contractor has obtained all required written permissions from the lawful property owner(s) and any required authorization from the appropriate authority.

The Town of Victoria makes no representation that all land adjacent to Fisherman's Road is Town-owned or that all vegetation within the general vicinity of the road is located within the Town's property or road reservation.

Where the ownership or limits of a property are uncertain, the contractor shall not proceed with cutting in the area until the property boundary or authorization to proceed has been confirmed.

3. Permits, Licences and Authorizations

The contractor is responsible for determining whether any permit, licence, approval, authorization, or other requirement applies to the proposed work and for obtaining and maintaining all such permits, licences, approvals, and authorizations required by law.

All associated costs shall be the responsibility of the contractor unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the Town of Victoria.

The contractor shall comply with all applicable federal, provincial, and municipal legislation, regulations, bylaws, permits, safety requirements, and other applicable requirements.

4. Insurance

The contractor shall be responsible for obtaining and maintaining, at their own expense, all insurance required for the work.

At a minimum, the successful bidder shall maintain:

- Commercial General Liability Insurance appropriate to the work being undertaken;
- Automobile Liability Insurance for all vehicles used in connection with the work; and
- Workers' compensation coverage, where applicable.

The Town of Victoria may require the successful bidder to provide certificates of insurance and evidence of applicable workers' compensation coverage prior to commencing work.

The contractor shall be solely responsible for ensuring that its employees, operators, subcontractors, equipment, vehicles, and operations are adequately insured and covered as required by law.

5. Site Conditions

The bidder is responsible for satisfying themselves as to the site conditions, terrain, vegetation, access, road conditions, work area, equipment requirements, and other circumstances that may affect the cost or performance of the work before submitting a quote.

Submission of a quote will be considered confirmation that the bidder has satisfied themselves as to the conditions relevant to the work.

6. Quote Submission

This is an open call for quotes and is available to qualified contractors or businesses that have the appropriate equipment, insurance, and ability to complete the work described.

Bidders are requested to submit a lumpsum quote for the completion of the entire scope of work described in this request.

Quotes must be received by the Town of Victoria no later than 12:00 noon on Tuesday, September 29, 2026. Quotes received after the closing time will not be considered.

7. Opening of Quotes

Quotes will be opened publicly at approximately **12:10 p.m. on Tuesday, September 29, 2026, in the Committee Room, Town Hall, 271 Main Highway, Victoria, NL.**

8. Award of Work

The Town of Victoria reserves the right, in the opinion of Council, where it considers it to be in the best interests of the Town, to reject any or all quotes and to decline to award the work.

The Town is not obligated to accept the lowest quote or any quote received and shall not be responsible for any costs, expenses, losses, or claims incurred by a bidder in preparing or submitting a quote or in connection with the Town's decision not to award the work.

The Town also reserves the right to accept or reject any quote, in whole or in part, and to select the quote that, in the opinion of the Town, best meets the requirements of the work.

The successful bidder will be required to enter into any agreement or provide any documentation reasonably required by the Town prior to commencing the work.

For further information or clarification regarding the scope of work, please contact the Town Office at 709-596-3783 during the office hours of 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.

The Town of Victoria reserves the right to issue clarifications or additional information to all known bidders where such clarification may affect the preparation of quotes.

Quotes can be submitted to:

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