



Algonquin Forestry Authority

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Invitation to Quote – Dust Control for the Lake Travers Road

The Algonquin Forestry Authority (AFA) is the Ontario Crown Agency responsible for the sustainable forest management in Algonquin Provincial Park. The AFA has an agreement with Ontario Parks to manage Algonquin Park's public access road maintenance program. These are public roads leading to and within Algonquin Park.

As part of this program, the AFA is seeking quotations for 'Dust Control' on the Barron Canyon / Lake Travers Road from established and reputable companies. The dust control will begin at the end of the pavement on the Barron Canyon Road (County Rd 28) and proceed for 72 km up to Lake Travers and also 5 km on the Achray Road which leads to the campground. The Barron Canyon Road starts between Pembroke and Petawawa and becomes the Lake Travers Road once inside the park gate at km 18. The project will consist of 2 applications. The first application is to treat the full 77 km and is to be completed by 18 June 2015. The second application will only cover the first 38 km of the Barron Canyon / Lake Travers Road and 5 km on the Achray Road. It is to be completed by 23 July 2015. Total road coverage for this quotation is 120 km.

Coverage will consist of an approximately 12 foot (4 metres) wide spray application down the centre of the road only. In previous years, a liquid spray of 35% calcium chloride was applied at a rate of approximately 0.5 litres per m².

Quotes will be evaluated based on overall application cost, as well as expected product performance. Any alternative treatment type quoted must be able to achieve equivalent dust control performance as supported by suitable literature and references.

Quotes will be based on total costs to complete both applications, excluding HST. The lowest or any quote will not necessarily be accepted.

Quotes must be received no later than 2 p.m. local time, Thursday, May 28, 2015.

This Invitation to Quote is subject to monies being appropriated by the Legislature of Ontario and provided to the AFA by Ontario Parks for the public roads maintenance program. Please direct any questions to Bob Coleman at 613-735- 0173 ext 227 or by email at bob.coleman@algonquinforestry.on.ca.

If interested, quotations can either be submitted electronically to tenders@algonquinforestry.on.ca or delivered in a sealed envelope marked "Dust Control Quote" to our Pembroke office at the address below. Verbal or faxed quotations will not be accepted.

Thank you.

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