



CONTRACT & SPECIFICATION UPDATES

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1) NEW ENG CONTRACT TEMPLATE

➤ Introduced a new ENG Contract Template for 2025

- Two parts will be posted with the tender
 - 1) RFT – Containing bidder's instructions etc.
 - 2) Contract Specifications – Agreement, Scope of Work, Special Provisions, Drawings listing
- Moved Contract T&C from the old front end (ie: instructions to bidders) to other parts of the Contract. E.g. Insurance, Bonding, H&S clauses now in General Conditions and Special Provisions as amended



1) NEW ENG CONTRACT TEMPLATE CONT'D



REQUEST FOR TENDER
RFT ENG25-26

SURFACE TREATMENT
VARIOUS LOCATIONS

Issued By:
City of Greater Sudbury
Engineering Services Division


Tony Cecutti, P. Eng., FEC
General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure

OFFICIAL POINT OF CONTACT: Purchasing Representative(s) noted in bids&tenders.

Bid Solicitation Issue Date:	Thursday, March 6, 2025
Prequalification Deadline:	Tuesday, March 18, 2025, 4:30 P.M. Refer to Section 2.4 for additional details.
Questions Deadline:	Tuesday, March 25, 2025, Noon EST
Addenda Deadline:	Thursday, March 27, 2025. Refer to Section 6.1.3 for additional details.
Closing Date and Time:	Bids shall be received by the City's electronic tendering site, bids&tenders, no later than 1:30:00 p.m. local time (City of Greater Sudbury) on Tuesday, April 1, 2025 (the "Closing Date and Time"). The Closing Date and Time shall be determined by the bids&tenders web clock.
Bid Submission Method:	Electronic Bid submissions only. Refer to Section 3.1

NOTICE:

- Where there are discrepancies between the dates and times in the Bid Solicitation and bids&tenders, the dates and times in bids&tenders shall supersede any other dates and times. Please bring any discrepancies to the attention of the Official Point of Contact.
- The above timelines are subject to change at the sole discretion of the City and in accordance with this Bid Solicitation. In the event a change is made to any of the above dates, the City will post any such changes by issuing an Addendum.
- Bidders must fully review the Bid Solicitation Documents for the full description of all mandatory requirements for the Bid Solicitation. Failure to meet the mandatory requirements may result in automatic rejection from the Bid Submission Process. Any concerns regarding mandatory requirements must be brought to the attention of the Official Point of Contact immediately.



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City Engineering Standard Contract Document Rev. January 2025

2) CGS GENERAL CONDITIONS

➤ Updates were required as part of the New Contract Template. Some of the notable updates include revisions to

- Interpretations
- Indemnification and Insurance
- Bonding Requirements
- Prices and Payments
- New Health and Safety Section



3) SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS (GSSS)

Some of the notable updates include:

- OPS 310 MUNI - HMA
 - A new clause added under HMA Patching, specifying the minimum patch size requiring an asphalt paver (3m and 10m)

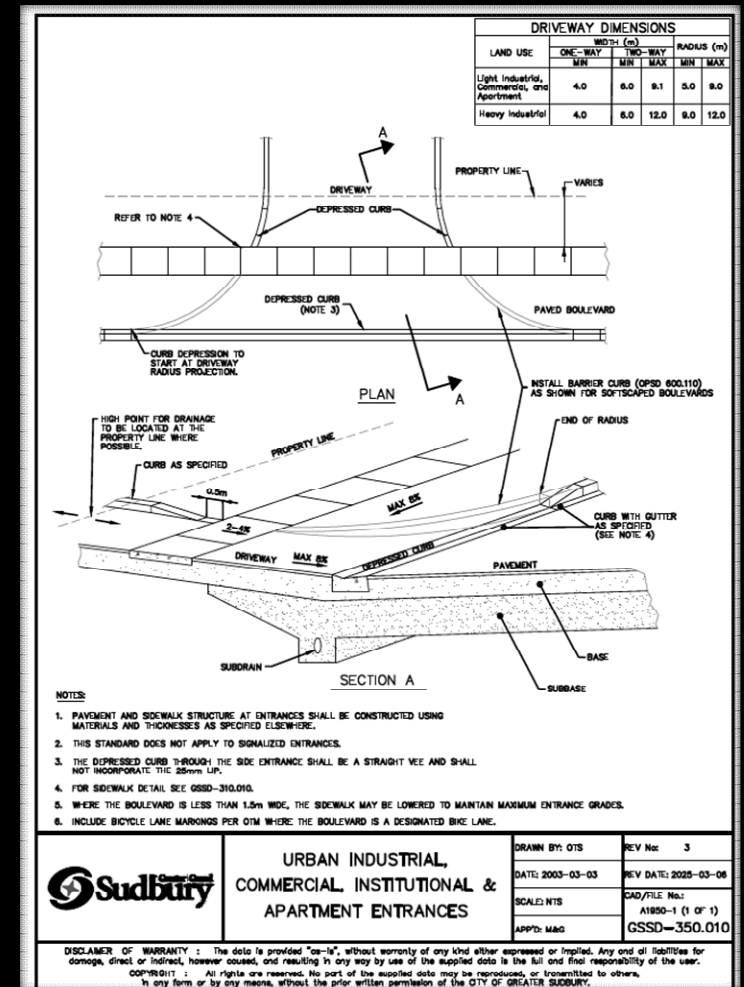
- OPS 407 MUNI – MH, CB's DI and VC Installation
 - Frost Straps to be installed in accordance with OPSD 701.100 to min depth of 3.0m and minimum 600mm from a joint.

- OPS 501 MUNI – Construction Spec. for Compacting
 - Frequency of compaction for Granular materials within the roadway revised to 50 meters (See Table 1)

4) SUPPLEMENTAL DRAWINGS CONT'D

➤ Revised Existing GSSD's

- GSSD 350.010 – Urban Industrial, Commercial Institutional & Apartment Entrances
- GSSD 525.010 – Transition Point Treatment New Road to Existing
- GSSD 701.017 – Precast Shallow MH/MHCB



5) SUMMARY OF REVISIONS & UPDATES

Summary of Revisions and Updated Specifications can be found on the City Engineering Services Website:

<https://www.greatersudbury.ca/do-business/infrastructure-and-city-construction/>

The screenshot displays the Greater Sudbury website interface. At the top, the logo for Greater Sudbury is visible, along with navigation links for Accessibility, Contact Us, and Français. A search bar is located in the top right corner. Below the logo, there is a horizontal menu with icons for Live, Play, Do Business, and City Hall. To the right of this menu are buttons for Services and Community Engagement. The main content area shows a breadcrumb trail: Home > Do Business > Infrastructure and City Construction > Engineering Services > Technical Documents > Design Standards for Linear Construction > Design Standards for Linear Construction by Category. The page title is 'Design Standards for Linear Construction by Category'. There are 'Expand All' and 'Collapse All' buttons. A section titled '- CGS General Conditions' is expanded, showing a list of links: 'General Conditions - Revised March 2, 2022 (PDF, 443 KB)', 'General Conditions - Summary of Revisions March 2022 (PDF, 103 KB)', 'General Conditions - Revised January 1, 2025', and 'General Conditions - Summary of Revisions January 2025'. Below this are several collapsed sections: '+ CGS Standard Special Provisions', '+ Supplemental Specifications (GSSS)', '+ Supplemental Standard Drawings (GSSD)', '+ Connection Protocol for Water Connections', '+ Design Criteria for Water Distribution Systems', '+ Design Criteria for Transportation Systems', and '+ Design Criteria for Sewage Works'. On the right side, there is a 'Contact the City' section with contact information: Online: Customer Service Portal, Email: 311@greatersudbury.ca, Local: Dial 311, and Long Distance: 705-671-2489. Below this is a 'Stay Connected' section with social media links for X (Formerly Twitter), Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, and Over to You.

6) FUTURE UPDATES

- Changes to the Construction Act.
 - Key Change : Owners must release 10% holdback annually
 - Effective Date: Upon Bill Enactment

- Tactile Walking Surface Indicator Plates.
 - Looking at switching to Cast Iron instead of traditional Yellow Polymer plates.