PROCUREMENT UPDATE

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This update provides early information to the market about upcoming procurement opportunities. All contracts are subject to the Site C Clean Energy Project receiving environmental certification and other regulatory permits and approvals.

NEW PROJECT <u>WEBSITE</u> FEATURES BUSINESS AND JOB OPPORTUNITIES

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The new Site C project website – <u>www.sitecproject.com</u> – features an enhanced <u>Business and Job Opportunities</u> page to provide information about current and upcoming business and job opportunities. People interested in participating in the project are encouraged to check this website for updates and current project information.

By way of update, procurement for the <u>Main Civil Works</u> and Worker Accommodation contracts is expected to commence in spring 2014.

The **Main Civil Works** is expected to be the largest contract opportunity of the Site C project, and includes construction of the earthfill dam, the roller-compacted concrete buttress and the diversion tunnels, as well as excavation and bank stabilization activities. Further information about the procurement process for this contract is available on the website.

The **Worker Accommodation and Site Services** contract will include the design, fabrication, installation, partial financing and servicing of two temporary accommodations, one located on the north bank and one on the south bank of the Peace River. Further information about the procurement process for this contract will be posted on the website later this year.

UPCOMING SITE C PUBLIC HEARINGS – REGISTER BY NOVEMBER 25

The Joint Review Panel reviewing the proposed Site C Clean Energy Project has announced the process for public hearings. The <u>preliminary schedule</u> has an opening session in Fort St. John on December 9, 2013, with hearings completed in January 2014.

You are encouraged to make your voice heard by making a presentation or a written submission to the Joint Review Panel.

Registration to present, and written submissions must be submitted to the Panel by **November 25, 2013**.

Confirm your participation by completing a registration form at the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency (CEAA) <u>website</u> and contacting a Panel Co-Manager: Brian Murphy <u>brian.murphy@gov.bc.ca</u> or Courtney Trevis <u>SiteCReview@ceaa-acee.gc.ca</u>.

BUSINESS UPDATE CONFERENCE CALL – TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 11:00 A.M. PST

You are invited join a conference call to learn more about the upcoming procurements. There will be a brief update and then an opportunity to ask any questions you may have.

Details are:

- Tuesday, November 26, 2013
- o 11:00 a.m. PST (noon MST)
- o Dial: 1-866-696-5910

Please RSVP at <u>sitec@bchydro.com</u> by November 25 to ensure an adequate number of phone lines are reserved.

The Site C project team will periodically send updates about the Site C project and upcoming business opportunities. You are also welcome to visit the <u>Business and Job Opportunities</u> page.

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