



COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

<b>DATE:</b>	July 24, 2024	<b>COUNCIL MEETING DATE:</b>	August 6, 2024
<b>DEPARTMENT:</b>	Economic Development		
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	Extreme Cold Risk Mapping and Assessment Partnership		

**PURPOSE:**

Extreme Cold Risk Mapping and Assessment Partnership Approval

**SUMMARY/BACKGROUND:**

After completing the Extreme Heat Risk Mapping and Assessment in 2023, the subcommittee members have been working to continue to finalize the second part of the planning to include Extreme Cold Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning project.

The Subcommittee reviewed the briefing presented from Frontera Forest Solutions, Inc., for the District of Chetwynd, Sauteau First Nations, and West Moberly First Nations Extreme Cold Risk Mapping and Assessment project. Frontera Forest Solutions, Inc. has provided a quote of \$23,450.70 for the project. This represents significant savings as Frontera has done much of the preliminary research as part of the earlier 2023 Extreme Heat Risk Mapping and Assessment.

**Financial Implications:**

The DOC project costs would be provided from the Indigenous Engagement Requirements for Emergency Management Planning funds. The District of Chetwynd will be the managing partnership of the project as presented.

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

THAT Council receives for information;

THAT Council approves the submitted project award as presented for the Extreme Cold Risk Mapping and Assessment partnership project to Frontera Forest Solutions, Inc., in the amount of \$23,450.70, all costs to be provided from the Indigenous Engagement Requirements for Emergency Management Planning funds.

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