

November 22, 2022
Call for Expression of Interest for the IAS Pilot Project
Answers to Questions Received from Potential Proponents

Q1 (revised): Should the facilitated community engagement process inform the evaluation framework?

A1: No, the facilitated community engagement process is not meant to inform the evaluation framework.

Q2: What is the timeframe for the time needed for the proponent to work on this?

A2: The IAS pilot project will be 30 months. IAS is seeking recommendations from the proponent to determine a timeframe for the independent evaluation and for the facilitation of community engagement sessions to achieve all three project activities (engagement, evaluation, and reporting) within a 30 month timeframe.

Q3: What is the expected number of people to be engaged in the community engagement sessions?

A3: IAS is seeking recommendations from the proponent to maximize the number of individuals engaged in the two rounds of community engagement sessions.

Q4: What is meant by “2 rounds” of engagement sessions?

A4: Each round of community engagement will consist of more than one session, will include at least one in-person session, and may include other forms of engagement sessions as recommended by the proponent (i.e. virtual, online or other). IAS is seeking recommendations from the proponent as to the timeframe for the first and second round of community engagement sessions within the 30 month timeframe of IAS.

Q5: What are some of the typical locations that are expected outside of Winnipeg?

A5: IAS is seeking recommendations from the proponent to maximize representation from urban, rural and northern areas of the province in the community engagement sessions.

Q6: Would you consider a secondment opportunity, or are you looking for an external vendor for this project?

A6: IAS is looking for an external organization(s) to undertake all activities specified in the Expression of Interest and are not considering a secondment opportunity.