



Town of Westlock Fire Department

January 15, 2026

RE: Open Invitation to Local Vendors and Suppliers - 2026 Pre-Qualification

The **Town of Westlock Fire and Emergency Services Department** is seeking to establish a pre-qualified list of local vendors and suppliers for the provision of goods and services in support of training, exercises, and operational responses throughout 2026.

We are inviting businesses of all types who are interested in providing supplies, equipment, or services to complete the attached **Pre-Qualification Package**. The package is designed to capture key information about your company, products, services, and capacity to meet the operational needs of our department.

Types of Goods and Services of Interest:

We are specifically looking for vendors and suppliers who can provide one or more of the following:

- **Commercial lodging** to support training, operations, and evacuee accommodation
- **Catering and food services** to support training, operations, and evacuees
- Heavy equipment rentals or services (e.g., vehicles, machinery, towing)
- General supplies and materials, including hardware, tools, and consumables
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and safety gear
- Fuel, lubricants, and maintenance supplies
- Technology or communication equipment
- Event support services (e.g., tents, chairs, tables)



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While the above represents common needs, the Town encourages **all types of suppliers and service providers** who can support the Fire and Emergency Services Department to submit their information.

Purpose:

The Town of Westlock seeks to identify qualified suppliers who can reliably provide goods and services to support emergency services operations. By pre-qualifying vendors, we can streamline procurement processes, enhance operational readiness, and explore the potential for multi-year agreements.

Submission Instructions:

1. Review the attached Pre-Qualification Package carefully.
2. Complete all sections of the package with accurate and current information.
3. Submit the completed package to:

Town of Westlock – Fire and Emergency Services
Attn: Stuart Koflick, Fire Chief
10003 – 106 Street, Westlock, AB T7P 2K3
Email: skoflick@westlock.ca

Review Process:

All submissions will be reviewed by the Town of Westlock. Vendors that meet the Town's requirements may be contacted for further discussions, and multi-year agreements may be established with qualified suppliers.

Deadline:

Completed pre-qualification packages must be received by February 26, 2026, @ 4:00pm. Late submissions may not be considered.



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We strongly encourage all interested local vendors and suppliers to participate. Your contribution supports the readiness and safety of our community, and we look forward to establishing strong partnerships with reliable and capable service providers.

For questions regarding this process or the pre-qualification package, please contact me via email: skoflick@westlock.ca

Dear,

Yours Truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stuart Koflick".

Stuart Koflick
Fire Chief
Deputy Director of Emergency Management

PREQUALIFICATION PACKAGE

For Labour, Equipment, Materials, and Supplies (LEMS)



TOWN OF WESTLOCK – PREQUALIFICATION PACKAGE

For Labour, Equipment, Materials, And Supplies (Lems) Contractors

Purpose

The Town of Westlock maintains a roster of prequalified contractors for emergency management activities. This package collects essential information to verify that your business meets all requirements before entering into a Master LEMS Contract with the Town.

Section 1 – Business Information

Legal Business Name: _____

Operating/Trade Name (if different): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Physical Address (if different): _____

Primary Contact (name, title): _____

Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

Business License #: _____ **Expiry Date:** _____

CRA Business Number (BN): _____

Corporate Structure (check one):

Sole Proprietor Partnership Corporation Other: _____

Section 2 – Insurance & WCB

2.1 Attach **Certificate(s) of Insurance** showing:

- a) Commercial General Liability – minimum \$2,000,000 per occurrence
- b) Automobile Liability – minimum \$1,000,000 per occurrence
- c) Additional coverage (if applicable: cargo, aviation, marine)
- d) Town of Westlock named as **Additional Insured**

2.2 Attach **WCB Clearance Letter** showing current coverage.

2.3 Do you have an active OH&S safety program?

Yes – Attach copy of Certificate of Recognition (COR) or SECOR

No – Attach written safety policy/manual

Section 3 – Safety & Compliance

3.1 Do you have a recognized Health and Safety Program or a Certificate of Recognition (COR)?

Yes No

3.2 Has your company or any principal been issued OH&S stop-work or compliance orders in the past 3 years?

No Yes (explain: _____)

3.3 Do all operators have valid trade tickets, licenses, and/or competency certifications (e.g., Class 1/3 driver's license, equipment tickets)?

Yes No – explain: _____

3.4 PPE availability: Supplied by company Supplied by worker

Section 4 – Scope of Services

Please describe the services you can provide (check all that apply and provide details):

- Commercial Lodging
- Catering and food services
- Groceries
- Heavy equipment rentals or services (e.g., vehicles, machinery, towing)
- General supplies and materials, including hardware, tools, and consumables
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and safety gear
- Fuel, lubricants, and maintenance supplies
- Technology or communication equipment
- Event support services (e.g., tents, chairs, tables)
- Security Services
- Other: _____

Provide details:

1. Typical response time for routine service: _____
2. Typical response time for emergency service: _____
3. Equipment and tools available for emergency deployment: _____

Section 6 - Emergency Readiness

4.1 Can your company provide **24/7 on-call service** if required?

Yes No

4.2 Estimated mobilization time after call-out: _____ minutes/hours

4.3 Geographic areas your company can respond to:

Within Town of Westlock
 Surrounding County/Village
 Other: _____

Section 7 – Technical Qualifications / References

1. Years of experience in relevant service area Experience in emergency response or municipal operations:

2. Examples of past projects (include client, scope, date

Provide at least **two references** for similar work (preferably emergency, municipal, or industrial).

1. **Company/Agency:** _____ Contact: _____

Phone/Email: _____ Type of Work: _____

2. **Company/Agency:** _____ Contact: _____

Phone/Email: _____ Type of Work: _____

Section 6 – Additional Information

Attach the following where applicable:

- Copies of licenses, certifications, training certificates.
- Sample service agreements or standard terms & conditions.
- Any company policies relevant to service delivery (quality control, environmental management, IT security).
- Equipment list including specialized tools required for emergency deployment.

Section 7 – Declaration

I/We hereby certify that the information provided is accurate, and I/We understand that submission of this prequalification package does not guarantee work. The Town of Westlock reserves the right to reject or approve applicants at its sole discretion.

Authorized Representative:

Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Submission to:

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Email: skoflick@westlock.ca

Schedule A – Insurance Certificate

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NAMED INSURED
NAME AND ADDRESS OF AGENT/BROKER
NATURE OF WORK

Schedule Of Coverage	Insurance Company	Policy No.	Effective Date	Expiry Date
A. General Liability				
B. Automobile Liability				
C. Aircraft/Watercraft				
D. Cargo Insurance				

Schedule of Coverage	Coverage
A. General Liability	\$ _____
B. Automobile Liability	\$ _____
C. Aircraft/Watercraft	\$ _____
D. Cargo Insurance	\$ _____

*The Undersigned hereby represents to the Town of Westlock that the above policies are accurately described and have been issued to the Named Insured. With the exception of Automobile Liability, the Undersigned further represents that these policies are endorsed to provide thirty (30) days advance written notice of cancellation or material change (reduction of coverage and/or limits), the Town of Westlock at **10003 - 106 Street, Westlock, AB T7P 2K3**.*

This certificate is executed and signed by the insurer or authorized Agent/Broker.

Signature of Authorized Representative

Name of Insurance Company or Agent/Broker

Name of Representative (**Please Print**)

Telephone

Date