



CALL FOR TENDER
FireSmart Vegetation Management Project
Project Number: 2024-17-01-01

The Town of Whitecourt, with funding support from the Forest Resource Improvement Association of Alberta (FRIAA) is treating approximately **22.5 hectares** per FireSmart principles and practices. This is located in Blocks 23 and 24 in the Whitecourt Forest Area FireSmart Map. Perform required maintenance including mulching, removal of dead standing and downed materials, removal of ladder fuels in key stands. Alberta Wildland Hazardous Fuels Management Prescriptions have been provided for this work. There is requirement for the candidate to coordinate with other contractors performing active projects in the area (i.e Fireguard project).

Startup is required during the first quarter of 2025, and completion is to be no later than March 31st, 2025. Further vegetation management may be requested through March – September 2025.

A field visit by interested proponents is strongly recommended.

There are two components to this project:

1. Project Management:

The successful candidate must manage the project and work with the Town of Whitecourt throughout the planning, implementation, and completion of the project. The contractor must be, or provide, a Forestry Professional registered in Alberta (Registered Professional Forest Technologist – RPFT; or Registered Professional Forester – RPF). Project Management duties include:

- Developing the overall treatment plan for presentation and approval by Alberta Agriculture and Forestry and the Whitecourt Fire Department prior to commencement of treatment work.
- Preparing a Safety Plan and act as the primary contractor to meet all Occupational Health & Safety (OHS) requirements.
- Obtaining required access approvals and permits.
- Completing all necessary reporting documents, including grant reporting per requirements outlined by FRIAA FireSmart and the Whitecourt Fire Department.

2. FireSmart Treatment:

The project will provide treatment as per FireSmart principles and practices.

Pricing:

Detail total cost of the project, along with cost per hectare.

Submission:

SEALED TENDERS, marked “2025 – FRIAA FIRESMART PROGRAM” will be accepted until 1:00 p.m. on Friday, January 31, 2025.

Tenders are to be submitted to:

Town of Whitecourt
Box 509, 5004 52nd Avenue
Whitecourt AB T7S 1N6

Award:

Tender will be awarded in accordance with the Town of Whitecourt Purchasing Policy 13-003.

Whitecourt Forest Area FireSmart

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Whitecourt FireSmart

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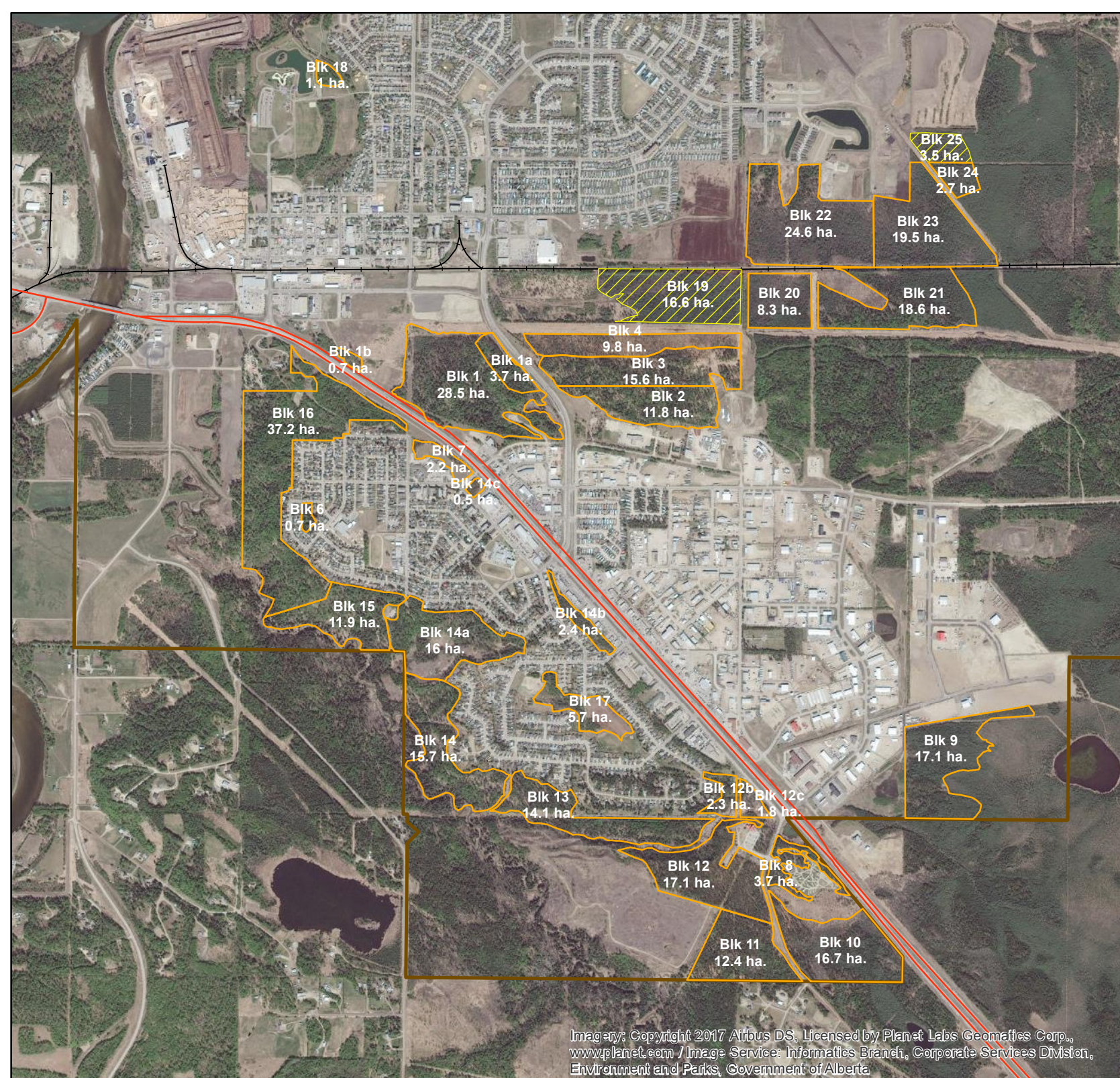


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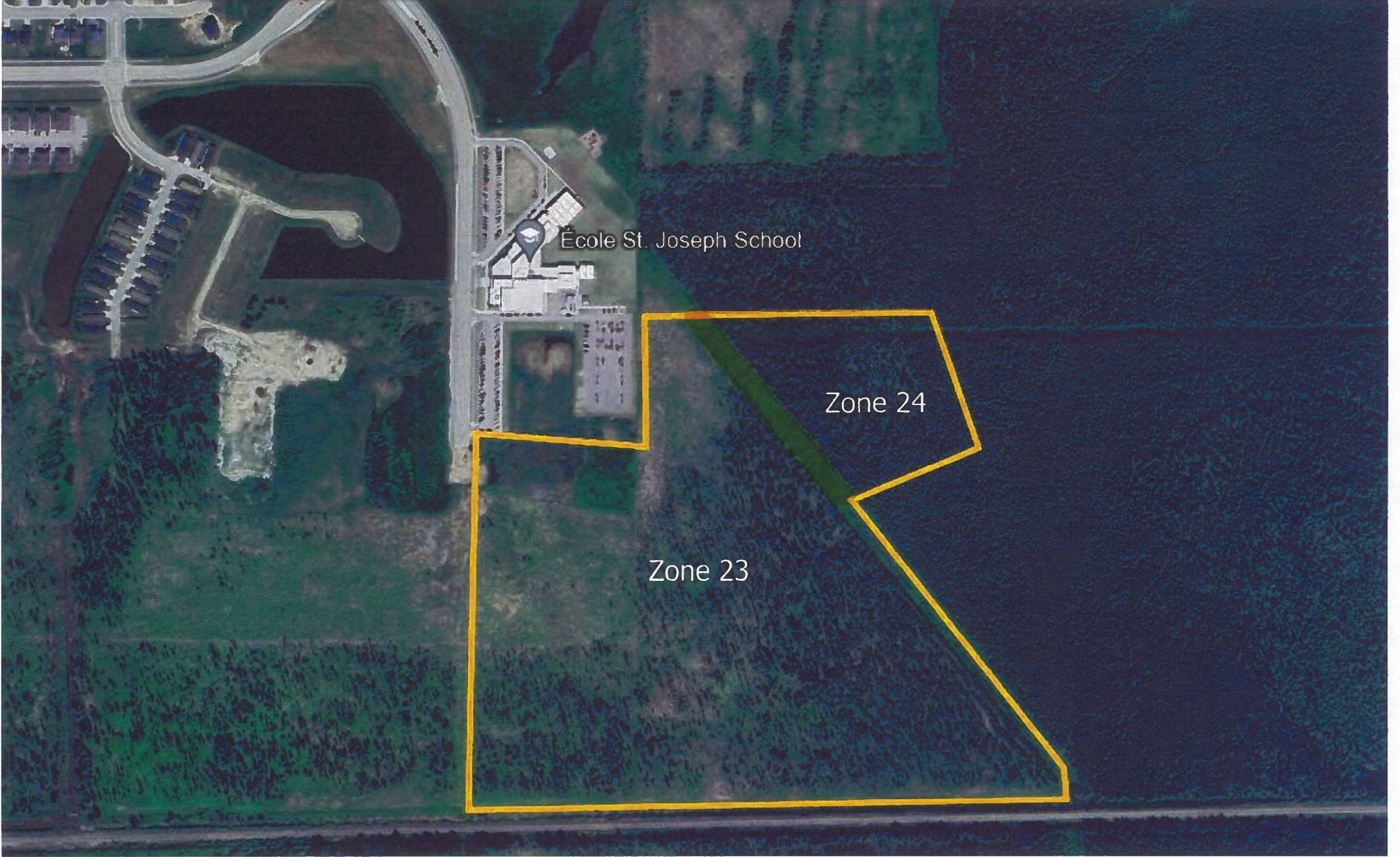
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