

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING INVOICES TO CITY OF SURREY

1. INVOICE SUBMISSION

The City encourages submission of invoices by email unless direct arrangements have been made with your City contact.

Invoicing via email

Email to: surreyinvoices@surrey.ca;

- Each invoice should be submitted as one PDF file format with all supporting documentation.
- PDF attachment(s) should be named as follows:
 <Company name> <Invoice Number>
- Email(s) should not exceed 35MB, including all attachments
- An automatic e-mail will be sent confirming successful receipt of e-mail.

Invoicing via mail

Mail printed copy of invoices to:

City of Surrey – Accounts Payable 13450 – 104 Avenue Surrey, BC

Canada, V3T 1V8

** Faxed invoices are not accepted.

Do not send duplicate copies of invoices previously submitted (either by email or regular mail).

Please contact Accounts Payable directly for assistance and to inquire on status.

2. INVOICE REQUIREMENTS

Each invoice should contain the following information, clearly written and visible (not part of a logo).

- Supplier name (operating and legal, if applicable)
- Remit to address/information
- Invoice number
- Invoice date month/day/year preferred
- Payment terms e.g., Net 30 days
- GST registration number (if applicable)
- Freight terms (if applicable)
- Ship To address/job site location
- City of Surrey authorized contact first and last name, department
- Purchase order (PO) number (if applicable)

NOTE: PO numbers are 6 digits and currently start with '4', any other number <u>must</u> include City of Surrey authorized contact.

- · Only one PO number per invoice
- Discounts/allowances/credits must be listed as a separate line on the invoice
- Total freight/handling costs must be approved by City contact
- Description of each item invoiced *Numeric, model or part numbers (alone) are not sufficient descriptions*
- Quantity, unit price and total with taxes clearly identified

All supporting documentation for an invoice must be sent as part of the invoice at the time of submission. Service providers/contractors are required to include documents that support services and labour performed (e.g. – time sheets).

Failure to comply with the above outlined information may result in processing delays or the return of the invoice.

3. INVOICE INQUIRIES

For Invoice and/or payment inquiries please contact Accounts Payable at 604-592-7010 or via email to APInquiry@surrey.ca

Note: The City of Surrey offers electronic payment options. Please contact us for further information.

Do <u>not</u> email inquiries to <u>surreyinvoices@surrey.ca</u>, as that email address is for submission of original invoices ONLY.

4. SUPPLIER INFORMATION UPDATES

The City of Surrey Accounts Payable must be notified, *in writing (email or mail)*, immediately of any changes to supplier information. *e.g.*, changes to: Payment Address, Company Name, Contact Information, Banking Information, etc.

Changes with supporting documentation can be submitted by e-mail to <u>APInquiry@surrey.ca</u> or mailed to the mailing address noted above. City contacts must also be notified of information changes relating to company name and contacts.