

## **B.C. MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION**

### **SA14 – Local Area Specification #4**

#### **RETAINING STRUCTURE MAINTENANCE**

#### **1. OBJECTIVE**

To provide a safe environment for Highway Users and to maximize the functional life of the Retaining Structures.

#### **2. GENERAL PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS**

##### **2.1 Routine Maintenance Services**

All services for this Local Area Specification are Routine.

There are 3 rock catchment Retaining Structures protecting Highway #1 from falling rock. They are located along the east side of the Highway beginning 60 meters north of Nicomen Bridge #1489 (17km north of Lytton) and ending in an area known as Marshall Mountain.

##### **2.2 Quantified Maintenance Services**

Not applicable to this Local Area Specification.

#### **3. DETAILED PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS**

##### **3.1 Routine Maintenance Services**

The Contractor must:

- a) maintain Retaining Structures in accordance with the Maintenance Specification for *Retaining Structure* Maintenance and in accordance with this Local Area Specification. In case of a discrepancy between the two specifications, this Local Area Specification will apply; and
- b) clean out Debris behind the Retaining Structures to grade level and to a minimum width of 2.5 meters.

### **3.1.1 Performance Time Frames**

The Contractor must:

- a) clean out the Debris once per year or more often, if in the opinion of the Province, excessive build-up has occurred; and
- b) start removing such material within 2 days from the time the deficiency was detected by or notified to the Contractor.

### **3.2 Quantified Maintenance Services**

Not applicable to this Local Area Specification.

### **3.2.1 Performance Time Frames**

Not applicable to this Local Area Specification.

### **3.3 Materials**

Not applicable to this Local Area Specification.

## **4. WARRANTY**

Not applicable to this Local Area Specification.