



## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS)

#### MULTINATIONAL UGANDA/RWANDA: BUSEGA- MPIGI AND KAGITUMBA-KAYONZA-RUSUMO ROADS PROJECT

Financing Agreement Reference: 2100150035493

Project ID No: P-Z1-DBO-105

- The Government of the Republic of Uganda (GOU) has received a loan, from African Development Bank (ADB) and the African Development Fund (ADF) to finance the construction of Busega-Mpigi road including Training and capacity building for women and youth traders in Kampala (Busega Market).
- 2. The Main Objective of the assignment is to:-
- Identification and/mapping of women and youths traders in Busega Market
- Asses the capacity of women and youths traders in terms of volume of trade, nature of commodities traded, constraints and needs.
- Conduct capacity building needs assessment, prepare a technical document that specifies barriers that restrain women and youths traders at Busega market, facilitate training and capacity building programme for women and youths traders to enhance personnel and group entrepreneurial and business skills.
- Assess women and youths led or gender focused trade and business organisations in Busega to understand their business strength, capacity constraints and needs.
- Facilitate coordination with other stakeholders on strategic policies and programming issues geared towards supporting women and youth traders.
- Undertake business skills development, formation of associations or cooperatives for women and youths traders.
- Establish strategic networks for knowledge and information sharing among women and youths in informal trade and micro finance support institutions.
- Capacity building for women and youths business association to articulate business interests and needs; trade rules, and standards under the East African Community and their benefits to women and youths.

- 3. The Uganda National Roads Authority (UNRA) now invites consultants to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). Consultants may constitute joint-ventures to enhance their chances of qualification.
- 4. Eligibility criteria, establishment of the short-list and the selection procedure shall be in accordance with the African Development Bank's "Procurement Policy for Bank Group Funded Operations, dated October 2015, as amended from time to time, which is available on the Bank's website at <a href="http://www.afdb.org">http://www.afdb.org</a>
- 5. Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours between 9.00 hours and 17.00 hours on working days.
- Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below by 2 February 2018 16.00Hrs and mention "Training and Capacity Building for Women and Youth Traders in Kampala (Busega market)"

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# REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS) ROAD SECTOR SUPPORT PROJECT 5 (RSSP 5)

Financing Agreement Reference: 2100150032194

Project ID No: P - UG - DBO - 022

Procurement Reference Number: UNRA/SERVICES/2017-18/00014

- 1. The Government of Uganda (GoU) has received financing from the African Development Fund (ADF) towards the cost of the Bumbobi-Lwakhakha and Rukungiri-Kihihi-Ishasha/Kanungu road project and intends to apply part of the agreed loan proceeds to payments under the contract for Consultancy Services to undertake Awareness on Gender and Equity; Child Protection; Persons with Disability and Elderly on Bumbobi-Lwakhakha and Rukungiri-Kihihi-Ishasha/Kanungu Road Project Area".
- 2. The Main Objective of the assignment is to:-
- Enhance participation of both men and women in road construction activities.
- Identify points of intervention to enhance gender and equity, PWDs and elderly inclusion in the road sector
- Analyse the extent to which persons with disabilities and elderly are being mainstreamed in the roads sector and promote their participation
- Document and understand how road infrastructure development and improvement supports or can support empowerment of vulnerable groups like women, children, persons with disabilities and the
- Sensitize men and women on gender equality and equity, rights of persons with disabilities and elderly to fight existing stereotypes.
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  Empower UNRA project staff, contractors and communities to mainstream gender and equity, child protection and PWDS and elderly in project operations.
- Step up awareness campaigns to complement on going institutional actions on sexual and gender based violence prevention.
- Reduce sexual and gender based violence through sensitization of communities, contractors, workers, administrators and social workers to provide extension and outreach services
- Step up advocacy campaigns for behavioralchange in communities and institutional actions on sexual

and gender based violence prevention and response programmes at district level.

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- Consultants may constitute joint-ventures to enhance their chances of qualification.
- 5. Eligibility criteria, establishment of the short-list and the selection procedure shall be in accordance with the African Development Bank's "Rules and Procedures for the Use of Consultants" Dated May 2008, Revise July 2012, which is available on the Bank's website at <a href="http://www.afdb.org">http://www.afdb.org</a>
- Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours between 9.00 hours and 17.00 hours on working days.
- 6. Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below by 2 February 2018 at 16.00 hours and mention "Consultancy Services to Undertake Awareness on Gender and Equity; Child Protection; Persons with Disability and Elderly on Bumbobi-Lwakhakha and Rukungiri-Kihihi-Ishasha/Kanungu Road Project Area"

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Project ID No: P-Z1-DBO-105

Procurement Reference Number; UNRA/SERVICES/2017-18/00015

- 1. The Government of the Republic of Uganda (GOU) has received financing from the African Development Fund (ADF) towards the cost of the Mpigi and Kagitumba-Kayonza-Rusumo Roads Project and intends to apply part of the agreed loan proceeds to payments under the contract for Training and Capacity Building for Cross Border Women Traders at Mirama Hills.
- 2. The Main Objective of the assignment is to:-
- Profiling and /or mapping of cross border women traders at Mirama hills.
- Asses the capacity of cross border women traders in terms of volume, form, nature of commodities, strengths, constraints and needs.
- Conduct capacity building needs assessment, prepare a technical document that specifies product specific tariff and non-tariff barriers that restrain women cross border women traders at Mirama hills; facilitate training and capacity building programme for cross border women traders to enhance personal and group entrepreneurial and business skill; group formation and development.
- Assessing of women led or gender focused trade and business organizations in Mirama hills to understand their business strength, capacity constraints and needs.
- Facilitate coordination with other stakeholders on strategic policies and programming issues geared towards supporting cross border women traders
- Undertake business skills development, formation of association or cooperatives for women traders.
- Establish strategic networks with micro finance institution to support women in trade.
- Capacity building for women's business association to articulate business interests and needs; trade rules, tariff regimes and standards under the East African community and their benefits to women
- Imparting information and knowledge on operations of a one stop border point.

- Awareness creation on different protocols that have been agreed upon between countries within the East African Community to facilitate cross border trade.
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