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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

**CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISION OF DESIGN AND BUILD CONTRACT OF:
LOT 1: UPGRADE OF KIRA-MATUGGA ROAD (16 KM) AND IMPROVEMENT OF 5 NO. JUNCTIONS
LOT 2: UPGRADE OF NAJJANANKUMBI-BUSABALA ROAD (11 KM) AND MUNYONYO SPUR
IMPROVEMENTS AND SERVICE ROADS**

1. The Government of the Republic of Uganda represented by the Uganda National Roads Authority has allocated funds from its National Roads Development and Maintenance Programme (NRDMP) to be used for **Design and Build Contract for the Upgrading from Gravel to Bituminous Standards for the following Roads:**
Lot 1: Upgrading of Kira - Matugga Road (16 Km) and Improvement of 5 No. Junctions
Lot 2: Upgrading of Najjanankumbi - Busabala Road (11 Km) and Munyonyo Spur Improvements and Service Roads.
2. The services to be performed under these projects shall comprise:
 - (a) Review of Contractor's Designs and Construction approach and methodology, and where necessary undertaking Incidental Designs;
 - (b) Supervision of all Construction works;
 - (c) Facilitation of Implementation of Environment and Social safeguards;
 - (d) Monitor the Physical Progress and financial status for the Construction of the Project;
 - (e) Transfer knowledge to UNRA staff.
3. The **Uganda National Roads Authority (UNRA)** now invites eligible 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.).
4. The Consulting Services shall be restricted to only local companies but may opt to associate with foreign firms to improve their capabilities. A local company means a provider registered in Uganda with more than fifty percent of the Company's share capital owned by Ugandan citizens.
5. If a Consultant has been proposed as the Design Consultant by the Contractor who participated in the tender for Civil Works for these two projects and the Contractor emerges the Best Evaluated bidder, the Consultant shall not be eligible for consideration for the Supervision Services.
6. The Expression of Interest submission should include but not be limited to the following:
 - (a) Full names of Consultant/firm or Joint Venture, Address and Registration details/ Certificates (including year of Incorporation or years of experience);
 - (b) Authorized Contact person(s);
 - (c) A brief profile of the Consultant;
 - (d) Name and summary of educational qualification and experience and competence of key staff;
 - (e) Details of similar major assignments undertaken (completed or on-going) in respective specified fields mentioned above, cost of assignments, year and name of funding agency. For on-going projects, firms should include the progress to date, and;
 - (f) Experience in similar conditions.
7. The short listing Criteria will be as follows:
 - (i) Preliminary Examination to determine the eligibility of firms
 - (a) a copy of the Trading License of the Consultant for the year 2019;
 - (b) a copy of the Certificate of Incorporation or Registration of the Consultant;
 - (c) a signed statement indicating that the consultant does not have a conflict of interest in the subject of the procurement;
 - (d) a Power of Attorney; and
 - (ii) Detailed evaluation to assess the competence of firms against the following criteria
 - (a) the firm's organizational setup: Organizational structure showing key departments of the firm to perform the required services;
 - (b) Experience in similar assignments under similar conditions, **at least 2 No. projects;**
 - (c) Evidence of availability of appropriate skills among staff either as Permanent employees, Freelance Consultant or their associates.
8. On the basis of the applications received, three (3) to six (6) best qualified candidates will be invited to submit technical and financial proposals.
9. Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours between 0900 hours and 1700 hours on working days.
10. Expressions of interest in English in one (1) Original and two (2) copies must be hand-delivered to the address below by **6th December, 2019** at **1100 hours** and mention **"Consultancy Services for Construction Supervision of Design and Build Contract for the Upgrading from Gravel to Bituminous Standard of:**
Lot 1: Upgrading of Kira - Matugga Road (16 Km) and Improvement of 5 No. Junctions
Lot 2: Upgrading of Najjanankumbi - Busabala Road (11 Km) and Munyonyo Spur Improvements and Service Roads.
11. Bids will be opened in the presence of the applicants' representative who choose to attend at the address below on **6th December, 2019** at **1130 hours.**
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Applications submitted by any other means will not be considered.

Any form of canvassing or lobbying for the tender shall lead to automatic disqualification.

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