



GOJ PUBLIC PROCUREMENT PAGE



GOVERNMENT OF JAMAICA

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES

SOUTHERN PLAINS AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF PIPELINES, FITTINGS AND METERS, AND CONSTRUCTION OF FARM ACCESS ROADS, DRAINS AND FLOOD PROTECTION WORKS – PARNASSUS (MOAF/SPADP/W2-W4A/07/2021)

INVITATION TO BID

The Government of Jamaica (GOJ) has received financing from the Caribbean Development Bank (CDB) – United Kingdom Caribbean Infrastructure Partnership Fund (UKCIF), in an amount equivalent to £16,710,313 towards the cost of the Southern Plains Agricultural Development Project (SPAD) and intends to apply a portion of the proceeds of this financing to eligible payments under a contract for which this invitation is issued. Payments by CDB will be made only at the request of GOJ and upon approval by CDB, will be subject in all respects to the terms and conditions of the Financing Agreement. The Financing Agreement prohibits withdrawal from the financing account for the purpose of any payment to persons or entities, or for any import of goods, if such payment or import, to the knowledge of CDB, is prohibited by a decision of the United Nations Security Council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations. No party other than GOJ shall derive any rights from the Financing Agreement or have any claim to the proceeds of the Financing.

The Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries (MoAF), Southern Plains Agricultural Development Project (SPADP), now invited sealed bids from eligible and qualified Bidders for the Supply and Installation of Pipelines, Fittings and Meters, and Construction of Farm Access Roads, Drains and Flood Protection Works – Parnassus (MOAF/SPADP/ W2-W4A/06/2021).

Firms whether bidding individually or in the form of a Joint Venture, shall:

- (a) Be legally incorporated or otherwise organised in, and have their principal place of business in an Eligible Country;
- (b) Be more than fifty (50) per cent beneficially owned by a citizen or citizens and/or a bona fide resident or residents of an Eligible Country, or by a body corporate or bodies meeting these requirements, as far as the ownership can be reasonably determined;
- (c) Shall have no arrangement and undertake not to make any arrangement whereby the majority of the financial benefits of the contract, i.e. more than fifty (50) per cent of the value of the contract, will accrue or be paid to sub contractors or sub-consultants that are not from an Eligible Country; and
- (d) In all cases, not be subject to any restrictions under European Council Regulation No 2580/2001 of 27 December 2001 or the Terrorism (United Nations Measures) 2009 of the UK with a view to combating terrorism.

Eligible countries are member countries of CDB.

Eligible bidders will be required to submit full qualification information with their bids establishing their eligibility to bid and qualification to perform the contract if the bid is accepted. Tender and qualification information are to be submitted in the English Language on the prescribed forms inserted in the Bid Documents. Submissions that do not provide the information required or that do not demonstrate the prospective contractor's ability to perform satisfactorily will not qualify and will not be considered for further evaluation.

Bid documents will be available for inspection at the first address below, **from July 5, 2021**, on weekdays between **9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Jamaica time**. A complete set of bidding documents can be requested by interested bidders via email at **SPADProcurement@nicjamaica.com**. Requests may be made by personal application or in writing. Written applications must be clearly marked: "Request for the Supply and Installation of Pipelines, Fittings and Meters, and Construction of Farm Access Roads, Drains and Flood Protection Works – Parnassus (MOAF/SPADP/W2 –W4A/07/2021)".

The documents will be promptly issued in soft copy, but under no circumstance will GOJ SPADP, or MOAF be held responsible for late delivery, loss or damage to the documents.

Hard copies of Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes, with the name and address of the bidder, and be clearly marked "Tender for the Supply and Installation of Pipelines, Fittings and Meters, and Construction of Farm Access Roads, Drains and Flood Protection Works – Parnassus (MOAF/SPADP/W2-W4A/07/2021)" and must be delivered to the first address below no later than **2:00 p.m. Jamaica time on September 6, 2021**. Bids will be opened publicly immediately after the deadline for submission of bids at **2:15 p.m. Jamaica time on September 6, 2021**, in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at that address. Qualification information only must be submitted simultaneously to the email in the second address below.

Each bid must be accompanied by a "Bid Security" of Ten Million Five Hundred Thousand Jamaican Dollars (J\$10,500,000.00) or Seventy Thousand United States Dollars (US\$70,000.00). Late bids will be rejected.

GOJ/MOAF reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, and to annul the process and reject all bids, at any time prior to award of contract, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected prospective bidder(s) or any obligation to inform the affected prospective bidder(s) of the grounds for GOJ/MOAF action. GOJ will not defray any costs incurred by any bidder in the preparation of bids.

1. **The Procurement Specialist**
Southern Plains Agricultural Development Project
The Project Office
National Irrigation Commission
191 Old Hope Road
Kingston 5,
JAMAICA, W.I.
Tel. No. + 1-876-977-6446
Or email: SPADProcurement@nicjamaica.com

2. **Procurement Officer**
Procurement Policy Unit
Caribbean Development Bank
P. O. Box 408, Wildey
St. Michael
BARBADOS, W. I.
Tel: +1-246-431-1600
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INVITATION TO TENDER

THE DESIGN, SUPPLY & INSTALLATION OF RENEWABLE ENERGY (SOLAR – PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEM) AT LEADERS AVENUE (TERMINAL) PUMPING STATION – MONTEGO BAY

Procuring Entity: The National Water Commission

Description of Service: The Design, supply & installation of Renewable Energy (Solar – Photovoltaic System) at Leaders Avenue (Terminal) Pumping Station – Montego Bay.

Eligibility Requirements:

Tenderers must submit:

- A valid Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC)/ valid Tax Compliance Letter (TCL) at the bid submission deadline
- A valid registration certificate from the Public Procurement Commission formerly (NCC) in any of the following categories at the bid submission deadline:
 - Electrical Works (minimum Grade 1)
 - Renewable Energy Systems
 - Photovoltaic and Wind-Powered Systems Design
 - Photovoltaic and Wind-Powered Systems - Installation, Maintenance and Repairs;
 - Electrical & Energy Saving Product and Supplies
- Completed, signed and sealed form of tender
- A Power of Attorney (POA) document is required if the Company's bid is not signed by a Director or Chief Executive Officer of the company.

Additional requirements are outlined in the Criteria used for evaluation in the Bidding Document.

Availability of Bid document and Bid Submission: This is an online tender where tender documents, clarifications and bids will only be made available and accepted via the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement Portal-GOJEP (www.gojep.gov.jm). No offline (hard copies) will be accepted and there will be no physical tender drop-off of tender documents.

- Tender documents can be downloaded as of **Wednesday, June 30, 2021**.
- Clarification period-no later than 7 working days (**Monday, July 19, 2021**) before bid submission deadline.

Submission Deadline: Tenders must be submitted by via GOJEP no later than **Wednesday, July 28, 2021 at 11:00 a.m.**

Late bids will be automatically rejected by the system.

The original Bid Security MUST be submitted in hard copy to the Tender Box at the National Water Commission (NWC) and delivered by **Thursday, July 29, 2021 at 11:00 a.m.** at the following address:

The Tender Box
National Water Commission
18 Oxford Road
Kingston 5

Failure to deliver the original bid security at the date and time specified will render the bid non-compliant.

The "Tender Box" is located in the Cashier's Section, to the left upon entering the building at 18 Oxford Road.

To participate in this tender opportunity, suppliers must first be registered on GOJEP AT www.gojep.gov.jm.

To register, please select the "Register as a supplier" link from the system home page.

For assistance regarding training, download of tender and upload of tender proposals, please contact the Ministry of Finance, Office of the Public Procurement Policy Customer Care Desk at 876-932-5220/932-5253/932-5244 or email opppcustomer@mf.gov.jm.

Failure of the bidder to directly register and download the Tender/Bidding document from the GOJEP website will result in ineligibility/non-responsiveness of that bid and disqualification from the procurement proceedings.

The National Water Commission is not obliged to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to annul the tender process and reject all tenders at any time prior to the award without incurring any liability.

NOTICE

PLEASE CHECK THE MINISTRY'S WEBSITE FOR THE FULL DOCUMENTS

For Bookings Email:
jisadvertising@gmail.com,
procurement@jis.gov.jm