

# PUBLIC PROCUREMENT PAGE

#### TRAINING NOTICE

SUPPLIER FREE VIRTUAL TRAINING SERIES OCTOBER 2023-FEBRUARY 2024

EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF JAMAICA ELECTRONIC PROCUREMENT (GOJEP) SYSTEM

In keeping with the Government's commitment strengthen, promote and enhance the Public Procurement system, the Ministry of Finance and the Public Service (MOFPS), through the Office of Public Procurement Policy (OPPP), has officially mandated the use of the e-Procurement System for procurement transactions exceeding One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Jamaican Dollars (\$1,500,000.00), effective as of August 01, 2023. Suppliers interested in conducting business with the Government of Jamaica are now required to access and submit procurement documents through the Government of Jamaica Electric Procurement (GOJEP) system. The OPPP is providing continuous and dedicated support to suppliers, and is pleased to announce the commencement of its annual free virtual supplier training series for the 2023-24 financial year. All interested suppliers are encouraged to partake in this initiative. Virtual sessions will run from October 2023-February 2024.

These sessions are designed to empower participants with the knowledge and skills required to effectively support the navigating, administering and managing of the GOJEP system. Each session is four (4) hours in length, and integrates interactive discussions, covering topics such as supplier self-registration, electronic bid submission and supplier account management.

To register for this free virtual training, visit www.procureja.gov.jm, select the 'Events' tab and follow the instructions listed below:

- Select the cohort you wish to register for.
- Read the training overview;
- Click the Zoom Event link at the bottom of the page to initiate your registration and select your respective training date.
   Please note that a maximum of two (2) participants per company are allowed to register;
- Complete the mandatory information for the designated participant/s as required;
- Click 'Register' to confirm your participation.

For more information on this free GOJEP training initiative, contact the Office of Public Procurement Policy by phone: 876-932-5220; or by email opppcustomercare@mof.gov.jm or visit our website at www.procureja.gov.jm.

We look forward to seeing you at these sessions.

GOJEP - Increasing transparency and efficiency in doing business with the Government of Jamaica.

#### **MINISTRY OF LABOUR & SOCIAL SECURITY**

#### INVITATION TO BID

The Ministry of Labour & Social Security (MLSS) now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the **Provision of Security Services for a period of two years (2024-2026).** 

**Scope:** To provide Security Guard Services to the

MLSS at several Ministry offices located across

the island (all parishes).

Procurement Method: National Competitive Bidding (NCB)

Eligibility: A valid Tax Compliance Letter (TCL), a valid

Public Procurement Commission (PPC) registration certificate in the category of Safety & Security Services – Guard Services, proof of valid registration with the Private Security Regulation Authority (PSRA) and a Bid Security in the prescribed sum and format

as outlined in the Bid Document.

#### **Collection of Bid Document:**

A complete set of Bidding Documents in English will be available for download as at Monday, June 24, 2024 on the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement website at www.gojep.gov.jm. Bidders MUST be registered on the GOJEP system in order to access the bidding documents and participate in the tender. Registration can be done by following instructions listed on the website at www.gojep.gov.jm.

Bids shall be valid for a period of 120 days after bid closing date.

#### **Bid Submission & Opening:**

Bids must be submitted online via the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement website at www.gojep.gov.jm no later than Tuesday, July 16, 2024 at 3:00 p.m. or 15:00 hrs. Online Bid Opening will take place on Tuesday, July 16, 2024 at 3:15 p.m. or 15:15 hrs. An online Bid Opening Report will be sent to all bidders. Late submissions will not be rejected by the system automatically.

Contact information: Director, Public Procurement

Public Procurement Branch

Email: shackeel.walker@mlss.gov.jm

Tel: 876-922-9500

Failure to directly obtain the Bidding Documents from the MLSS via the GOJEP System will result in the ineligibility/non-responsiveness of that bid from the process.

The Ministry of Labour & Social Security reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and restart the entire tender process.



## INVITATION TO BID Procurement of Services for EXTERNAL AUDITORS

Rural Water Supply Limited (RWSL) invites suitably qualified accounting firms to submit bid proposals to serve as independent auditors for a three-year period.

**Scope:** For the Provision of Audit Services at Rural Water Supply

Limited

Procurement Method: Open Bidding

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** 

Tenderers must provide:

- ✓ Evidence of tax compliance.
- ✓ Evidence of current registration with the Public Accountancy Board
  - Partners must be members of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Jamaica (ICAJ)

Procurement Type: National Competitive bidding

Availability of Tender Document and Bids Submission: This is an online tender where the tender documents will only be available on the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement Portal (GoJEP) (www.gojep.gov.jm) from Wednesday, June 26, 2024. No offline (Hard Copies) will be accepted and there will be no physical tender drop-off box. Deadline: Tuesday, July 16, 2024, at 2:00 p.m.

**Note:** To participate in this tender opportunity, Bidders must first be registered on the GoJEP at **www.gojep.gov.jm.** To register, please select the "Register as a supplier" link from the system's home page.

For assistance relating to the operation of the GOJEP website, please contact the Office of the Public Procurement Policy (OPPP) within the Ministry of Finance and the Public Service at 876 932-5220/932-5205 or email Opppcustomercare@mof.gov.jm.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION- PLEASE CONTACT: The Procurement Unit of Rural Water Supply Limited Tel: 876 552-3244/876-754-5485 ext. 3050

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PLEASE CHECK THE MINISTRY'S WEBSITE FOR THE FULL DOCUMENTS

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