

TENDER NOTICE AND INVITATION TO TENDER

Tenders are hereby invited for: **TENDER NUMBER: T/ING/003/2022 - TENDER FOR THE EMERGENCY STANDBY POWER FOR MUNICIPAL RAW WATER PUMPSTATIONS 1 & 1A.**

Tenders may only be submitted on the Tender documentation that is issued. Requirements for sealing, addressing, delivery, opening and assessment of Tenders are stated in the Tender Data.

“Tender No. T/ING/003/2022: Tender for the Emergency Standby Power for Municipal Raw Water Pump Stations 1 & 1A” must be placed in the tender box at the George Municipality on the **First Floor, Directorate: Financial Services, Supply Chain Management, York Street, George** by no later than **12:00 on Tuesday, 17 May 2022**. Tenders will be opened on the same day in the Committee Room at 12:05. Late or unmarked Tenders will not be considered. Telegraphic, telephonic, telex, facsimile, e-mail and late tenders will not be accepted.

A compulsory clarification meeting with representatives of the Employer will be held at **11:00 on Thursday, 28 April 2022 via Microsoft Teams**. Tenderers must register per e-mail at Mr. Marc Jacobs with e-mail address mcjacobs@george.gov.za before **14:00 on Tuesday, 26 April 2022** in order to receive an invite for the compulsory Information Session. The site visit details will be finalized at the Microsoft Teams Meeting. If tenderers do not register for attendance before **14:00 on Tuesday, 26 April 2022** with Mr. Marc Jacobs; tenderers will not be able to attend the compulsory Information Session and will invalidate your tender.

Bidders should be represented at the compulsory Information Session and compulsory Site Inspection by a **technical employee from the prospective bidder** who is suitably qualified and experienced to comprehend the implications of the work involved. The certificate of attendance will only be signed after the site inspection.

Eligibility Criteria:

Only Tenderers who comply with the following criteria are eligible to submit tenders:

- A Bidder must have a CIDB contractor grading of 6EP or 6EB or higher.
- A bidder must have a current and valid Electrical Contractor's registration with the Department of Labour and shall remain registered for the duration of the contract.

Prospective bidders that join 15 (fifteen) minutes or more after the advertised time of the Microsoft Teams compulsory clarification meeting has started, will not be allowed to attend the meeting or to sign the attendance register. If a prospective bidder is delayed, he / she must inform the contact person before the meeting commences and will only be allowed to attend the meeting if the chairperson of the meeting, as well as all the other bidders attending the meeting, give permission to do so.

Tender documents are available at a non-refundable deposit of R 400-00 each from the offices of the Consulting Engineers, **Clinkscapes Maughan-Brown (CMB)** at 39 Victoria Street, George, Tel No. 044 874 1511. All documents must be ordered at least 3 days in advance. Payment must be made directly at the George Municipality's offices in York Street and the proof of payment presented to CMB when the document is collected. No document will be released without proof of payment, and CMB will not accept any payment.

Prospective Bidders must note that the local production and content requirements for designated sectors, as stipulated in the Preferential Procurement Regulations made in terms of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act 5 of 2000, will apply to this tender, for the following products:

- Electrical and telecom cables - 90%
- Transformers and Shunt Reactors (Class 1) - 70%
- Steel Value-added Products - 100%

All bidders must complete the MBD6.2 form and Annexures C, D and E in this tender for the above products. Bids that do not comply with this requirement will not be considered for evaluation.

Tenders will be evaluated as follows:

Stage 1: Functionality

Only Tenders scoring a minimum of **70 out of 100** in Stage 1 as per the qualifying criteria listed in the tender documentation will be considered further for evaluation in Stage 2.

Stage 2: Price and Preference

Tenders will be evaluated and adjudicated in terms of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (Act 5 of 2000) Regulations 2017 and the George Municipality's Supply Chain Management Policy, where 80 points will be scored for price and 20 points for B-BBEE status.

For more information, contact Mr Stephen Meggersee at 044 – 8741 511, or smeggersee@cmbgeorge.co.za.

The Municipality reserves the right to withdraw any invitation to tender and / or to re-advertise or to reject any tender, or to accept a part of it. The Municipality is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

A TCS PIN for bidder's tax compliance information must be submitted with the tender document.

It will be required from the successful Bidder to register on the Central Supplier Database (CSD).

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