

# **Invitation for Bids**

The Aga Khan Agency for Habitat-Afghanistan (AKAH-A) for its project titled "Excavation of Watershed /Trenches" invites sealed bids from interested suppliers/vendors/companies for the supply of Excavation of Watershed /Trenches as detailed below:

| S.No. | Activities  | Location   | Unit    | Quantity |
|-------|---|--|---------|----------|
| 1     | Excavation of trenches/watersheds & location plantation | Gonbatak village, Shaikh<br>Ali District – Parwan        | Project | 1        |
| 2     | Excavation of trenches/watersheds & location plantation | Shukrullah village,Shaikh<br>Ali District – Parwan       | Project | 1        |
| 3     | Excavation of trenches/watersheds & location plantation | Beghamak village,<br>Sorkhparsa District –<br>Parwan     | Project | 1        |
| 4     | Excavation of trenches/watersheds & location plantation | Dahan Raqool village,<br>Sorkhparsa District –<br>Parwan | Project | 1        |

## **Expectations**

- The Interested Applicants should demonstrate relevant experience in the relevant sector, well-established financial capacity, and a drafted work plan for project completion on due on time.
- A financial proposal in USD currency, All proposals are deemed valid for 45 days, and cost must be inclusive of all taxes.
- A bid security is a must with the validity of two (2) months until the bid evaluation is completed.

#### Duration

The duration for completion of delivery of supplies will be 60 days(2 months) from the issuance of the Purchase Order (PO) and contract.

### **Process**

Interested bidders are requested to submit technical and financial proposals/ bids each in a separate envelope and pack both proposals in one large envelope as one package. The timeline given must be respected. AKAH-A shall not accept any bids after the given deadline.

### Required documents and information

The interested bidder shall provide the following documents and information.

- Details and profile of the business mentioning the overall experience in the same field
- List of similar projects undertaken including supporting data for three (3) most relevant procurements (PO or contract to be submitted.
- Evidence of required Certifications and licenses of the business.
- Detailed project delivery plan including Schedule of Work (Breakdown of the Schedule with Role of AKAH and Company with clear timelines);
- Financial capacity guarantee (Recent three years audit reports, bank statements).
- Submission of bid security equivalent to 2% of the total amount quoted (only Bank Guarantee will be accepted). Bids without a bank guarantee will automatically be disqualified from the bidding process.

#### Criteria:

 Applicants / Proponents must acknowledge and understand the procurement rules, regulations, and procedures of (Aga Khan Agency for Habitat)



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- Prices should be inclusive of all applicable taxes.
- Technical evaluation will be done first before opening the financial proposals. Unsuccessful financial proposals will not be opened and will returned to the bidders unopened.
- Payment will be through bank transfer (The selected company will be required to share the bank details)
- Questions or clarifications can be submitted via email to <a href="mailto:sherdil.paiwandi@akdn.org">sherdil.paiwandi@akdn.org</a> or during the orientation session.

## How to Apply:

Applicants (National bidders)must submit bids for their financial and technical proposal /Bids to The Bamian Office at the address below no later than 10:00 AM (local time) on April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024, to the address below. **The bid opening meeting will be held on the same date April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024, in the AKAH-A Office in Bamyan and Kabul Offices at 02:00 PM,** and all bidders are invited to participate.

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