

Aga Khan Agency for Habitat

Invitation for Bids

- 1. The Aga Khan Agency for Habitat-Afghanistan (AKAH-A) invites bids from the willing and relevant suppliers for the Rehabilitation & Construction of water gravity fed pipe schemes in Bamyan Center- Bamyan
 - a. Construction of gravity fed pipe scheme in Pai Kotal village- Qarghanatoo
 - b. Rehabilitation of gravity fed pipe scheme in Khalankash village Foladi

2. Expectations

- Demonstrable relevant experience in the field, financial capacity of the supplier and a drafted plan to complete the project on time.
- A financial proposal in local currency. All proposals are deemed valid for 60 days, and cost must be inclusive of all taxes
- The bid security with validity of two (2) months until the bids evaluation is completed
- AKAH reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive any informality in the RFP process, or to terminate the RFP process at any time, if deemed to be in its best interest

Duration

The duration of the project is expected to be **150 days (5 Months)** right from the issuing of (PO/contract).

Process

Interested applicants are requested to collect Request for Proposals (RFP) applications electronically from email listed in below. Please request for RFP of project with an official request letter from the company and a copy of AISA certificate or company registration certification from 17Th October to 24Th October 2024. Interested applicants are requested to submit technical and financial proposal/ bids in separate envelops then packed as one package. The timeline given must be respected. Bids submitted after the deadline will not be accepted.

Required documents and information

The company is expected to provide the following documents and information.

- Details and profile of the company mentioning the general experience in the field
- Provide details of 03 projects successfully completed during the last 03 years. The contract value of each project should not be less than 70% of the bid amount (Attach contract document(s) and Completion Certificates). In the case of JV, combined experience will be considered
- Provide details of completion of 03 projects similar in size and nature successfully completed in the last 03 years. Attach contract document(s)/POs and Completion Certificates. In the case of JV, combined experience will be considered
- Evidence of average Annual Turnover over the last 03 years. Provide documentary evidence in the shape of a Bank Statement duly signed and stamped by the bank OR Audited Accounts duly signed by the auditing firm. (In the case of JV, each partner is required to submit the details separately).
- Provide details of staff resources who are engaged with the bidder/. The details should be in the form of CV/Resumes of the staff working with the bidder. In the case of JV, combined staff resources will be considered.
- Detail of Equipment as per the bidding document.
- A complete work plan in the shape of a bar chart. The work plan will be assessed for its correspondence to the given timelines by the client, is realistic & implementable, and covers all the key milestones of the scope of work.
- Certificate of registration should be valid for the current fiscal year as per govt rules.
- Affidavit/Undertaking (on stamp paper or official letterhead) to prove that the bidder is not blacklisted/debarred by any Government department and/or any National & International NGO
- Detailed project delivery plan including Schedule of Work (Breakdown of the Schedule with Role of AKAH and Company with clear timeline);
- Submission of bid security equivalent to 2% of the total amount quoted (only Bank Guarantee will be accepted) and without Bid security the company will be disqualified.
- Any other information required in RFP



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Criteria:

- Review AKAH Bidding Document before submitting the bid.
- Separate envelop for technical and financial proposal should be submitted clearly mentioned the name of project on each envelop. Both the envelop can be placed in one bigger envelop.
- Prices should be all inclusive of taxes.
- Technical evaluation will be done first before opening the financial proposals. The unsuccessful companies financial proposals will not be opened. The final selection will be among the shortlisted companies based on favorable price, guality and deliver timeline.
- Payment for the procurement will always be through bank transfer (companies will be required to share the business bank account details) after selection.
- Questions or clarifications can be submitted via email to <u>shirkhan.paiwandi@akdn.org</u> <u>AKAHA.procurement@akdn.org</u>

How to Apply:

Applicants (National bidders)must submit bids their financial and technical proposal in separate sealed envelopes to Kabul and Bamyan Office in address below no later than 10:00 AM (local time) on October 24, 2024 to the address below. Bid opening meeting will be held on October 24, 2024 in AKAH Office in Kabul and Bamian at 10:30 AM, and all bidders are invited to participate to the bid opening meeting.

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