Invitation for Bids

1. The Islamic Republic of Pakistan has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Provincial Roads Improvement Project. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

2. The Communication & Works Department (C&WD) (the 'Employer") through Employer Representative (Project Director, Project Implementation Unit (PIU), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Provincial Roads Improvement Project (KP-PRIP), Communication and Works Department Peshawar) invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the Construction / Rehabilitation and Improvement of Kalam to Mahodand via Matiltan from Km 00+000 to Km 34+700 (34.7 Km) (the Works).

3. International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB’s Single-Stage: Two-Envelope bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB as described in the Bidding Documents.

4. National Bidders are required to be registered with Pakistan Engineering Council with a valid registration Certification in Category as mentioned in Section 3 of the Bidding Document.

5. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

   - Participation in at least two (2) contracts that have been successfully or substantially completed within the last three (3) years similar to the proposed works, where the value of the Bidder’s participation exceeds PKR 2,800 million or equivalent. The similarity of the Bidder’s participation shall be based on the physical size, nature of works, complexity, methods, technology or other characteristics as described in Section 6, Employer's Requirements of the Bidding Documents.
   - The Bidder should have a minimum average annual construction turnover of PKR 3,500 million or US$ equivalent calculated as total certified payments received from contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (3) years.
   - The Bidder should have cash flow requirement of PKR 585 million or US$ equivalent.

The complete qualification criteria are described in the Bidding Document.

Date: 25 March 2022
Loan No. and Title: Loan 3601/3602-PAK: Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Provincial Roads Improvement Project
Contract No. and Title: ADB/ICB/KPPRIP/CW-03: Construction / Rehabilitation and Improvement of Kalam to Mahodand via Matiltan from Km 00+000 to Km 34+700 (34.7 Km)
Deadline for Submission of Bids: 10 May 2022, 14:00 hours (local time)
6. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, Bidders should contact PIU, KP-PRIP, C&WD Peshawar at the address mentioned below.

7. To purchase the Bidding Document in English, eligible Bidders should:

   • Write to address below requesting the Bidding Document as mentioned above.
   • Pay a non-refundable fee of PKR 20,000/- (Pak Rupees Twenty Thousand Only) or US$ 125 (US Dollars One Hundred and Twenty-Five Only) by Pay Order / Demand Draft in favour of Project Director, Project Implementation Unit, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Provincial Roads Improvement Project, Communication and Works Department Peshawar

   The eligible Bidders also have the option to download the Bidding Document free of cost from Project Implementation Unit (PIU) website i.e. (http://kpprip.pk/).

   Eligible Bidders opting to download the Bidding Document from PIU website shall inform PIU in writing at the address given below for clarification, failing which PIU shall not be responsible if the Bidder does not receive clarifications and amendments, if any. In case of any discrepancy between the downloaded document and hard copy, the latter shall prevail.

8. A pre-bid meeting shall take place on 14 April 2022 at 11:00 hours (local time) at the address mentioned below.

9. Deliver bids:

   • to the address:

     Project Director
     Project Implementation Unit
     Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Provincial Roads Improvement Project
     Communication & Works Department
     Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Pakistan
     House No. 24, C/3 Circular Road, University Town Peshawar Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Pakistan
     Telephone No. +92 91 9212443

     • on or before 10 May 2022, 14:00 hours (local time).
     • together with a Bid Security as specified / required in the Bidding Document.
     • Electronic submission of bids is not allowed, and late bids will not be accepted.

10. Technical Bids will be opened on 10 May 2022, 14:30 hours (local time) in the presence of Bidders’ representatives who choose to attend, whereas the Financial Bids shall remain sealed and unopened and shall be placed locked. The Financial Bids of only Technically Responsive and Qualified Bidders shall be opened after technical bids evaluation, whereas, the financial bids of those Bidders whose technical bids are not responsive and qualified shall be returned unopened after the contract is awarded.
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