## **INVITATION FOR TENDERS**

## Ukraine

## Design, Supply and Installation of water supply distribution pipes in Irpin city, Buchanskyi District, Kyiv region

This Invitation for Tenders follows the General Procurement Notice dated 21.02.2023 for EU Programme "Repair of critical infrastructure, Ukraine" which was published on the Procurement Notices section of NEFCO's website (https://www.nefco.int).

**Executive Committee of Irpin city council** hereinafter referred to as "the Employer", intends to use part of the proceeds of financing from the European Union (EU) managed by Nordic Environment Finance Corporation (NEFCO) as Fund Manager towards the cost of the project "**Repair of heat, water supply and wastewater facilities in Irpin city, Kyiv Region**". The project is financed by the EU Programme "**Repair of critical infrastructure, Ukraine**".

The Employer now invites sealed tenders for the **Contract IRP-1 "Design, Supply and Installation of water supply distribution pipes in Irpin city, Buchanskyi District, Kyiv region".** The preliminary scope of water distribution pipelines is 16 km with nominal diameter (DN) up to 315 mm.

Tendering for contracts that are to be financed with the EU grant financing is open to firms/individuals from any country.

Tenders are invited for the complete scope of works; tenders for a part of works will be rejected. The successful Tenderer will be required to sign one Contract IRP-1.

Tenders should be priced in Euro.

The Contract IRP-1 to be financed by the EU grant will be tax exempt, therefore, the respective amount of VAT will be excluded from this contract's price.

To be qualified for the award of a contract, tenderers must satisfy the following minimum criteria:

- Tenderers shall meet the eligibility requirements set forth in Instructions to Tenderers;
- Average annual turnover over the last **4 years** (2019-2022) exceeded EUR 3,000,000 equivalent. In case of tender submitted by JVCA, the leading partner shall demonstrate at least 50% compliance with the requirement;
- The Tenderer shall demonstrate that it has access to, or has available, liquid assets, unencumbered real assets, lines of credit and other financial means sufficient to meet the production cash flow for the contract estimated as not less than **40% of the Tender price proposed by the Tenderer**, taking into account the Tenderer's commitments for other contracts. In case of tender submitted by JVCA, the leading partner should demonstrate at least 50% compliance with the requirement;
- The Tenderer has satisfactorily supplied and completed for the period 2017-2022:
- at least three (3) contracts as main contractor for supply and installation of water supply distribution pipes in urban conditions with the total length of at least 10 km. Each contract shall include distribution pipes with a nominal diameter (DN) of at least 250 mm. In case of tender submitted by JVCA, the leading partner shall demonstrate at least 1 (one) contract according to the above-mentioned requirement;
- Non-performance of contract by Tenderer (including members of JVCA, if applicable) did not occur during the last **3 years (2020-2022)** based on information provided in Section III, Tender Forms (the Employer reserves the right to check the correctness of the reported information by using other sources);
- All pending litigations against Tenderer (including members of JVCA, if applicable) shall in total not represent more than 30% of the Tenderer's net worth, as based on information provided in Section III, Tender Forms (the Employer reserves the right to check the correctness of the reported information by using other sources);

- The Tenderer shall demonstrate that he (or JVCA partner or designated subcontractor) has available all personnel for implementation all works included in the contract;
- The Tenderer must demonstrate that it has the personnel for the key positions that meet the requirements set forth in Qualification requirements of the Tender Documents;
- The Tenderer must demonstrate that it has equipment and machinery that meet the requirements and quantity set forth in Qualification requirements of the Tender Documents.

The Employer reserves the right to cancel all tenders in the event that grant funding is not approved.

In preparation of their offers, the Tenderers should take into account that works under this contract will tentatively start in *May 2023* and end in *January 2024*.

Tender documents may be obtained from the office at the address below free of charge upon a written request from a prospective Tenderer.

Upon receiving the written request from prospective Tenderer, the documents will be promptly dispatched electronically in PDF and MS Word format, however, no liability can be accepted for their non-delivery or late delivery. In case of discrepancies between the PDF and Word versions of the document, the PDF version shall prevail.

All tenders must be accompanied by a tender security in the form of tender-securing declaration whose form is provided in the Tender Documents. The purpose of tender security is to ensure the tenderers are serious about their participation.

Tenders must be delivered to the office at the address below on or before **14:00 p.m. 03.05.2023**, at which time they will be opened in the presence of those tenderers' representatives who will be willing to be present at the opening.

Pre-tender meeting of Tenderers with the Employer and discussion of technical and logistical issues will be held online on **12.04.2023 at 11.00 a.m.** For preliminary registration to pre-tender meeting please contact: **Olha Anatoliivna Kalyta, email: viddiljkgirpin@ukr.net, Executive Committee of Irpin City Council, Ukraine, 08205, Kyiv Region, Irpin City, 2A Shevchenko street.** 

Prospective tenderers may obtain further information from, and also inspect and acquire the tender documents at, the following office Olha Anatoliivna Kalyta, email: viddiljkgirpin@ukr.net, Executive Committee of Irpin City Council, Ukraine, 08205, Kyiv Region, Irpin City, 2A Shevchenko street.

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