



REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)

Country: **Kenya**

ATHI WATER SERVICES BOARD

Project: **KENYA TOWNS SUSTAINABLE WATER SUPPLY
AND SANITATION PROGRAM**

Assignment Title: **DESIGN REVIEW AND SUPERVISION OF MWALA CLUSTER
WATER AND SANITATION PROJECT IN
TANATHI WATER SERVICES BOARD AREA.**

Reference No. (as per Procurement Plan) : 05

Contract No. **AWSB/ KTSWSP /CS/05/2016**

The Government of Kenya on behalf of Athi Water Services Board has requested for financing from the African Development Bank towards the cost of the Kenya Towns Sustainable Water Supply and Sanitation Program and intends to apply part of the agreed amount for this *loan* to payments under the contract for Consultancy Services for Design review and supervision for Mwala cluster water and sanitation works in Tanathi Water Services Board Area.

The objective of this consultancy is to engage a consulting firm to undertake design review, RAP and supervision of construction works for:

Construction of intake works and water treatment plant of 6,000m³ per day, construction of clean water raising and transmission mains, construction of distribution lines and storage tanks, Strengthening and rehabilitation of existing water distribution infrastructure in Mwala, Mbiuni, Masii and Makutano towns, Construction of waste ablution blocks in Mwala, Masii, Mbiuni and Masii towns and lateral Sewer lines.

The overall objective of the assignment are as follows:

- i. To carry out a review of the existing projects design and bid documents;
- ii. To fulfill the role of the Engineer's Representative in the supervision and Coordination of the construction works;
- iii. To supervise the appointed Contractor for Mwala Cluster Water and Sanitation Project, in accordance with the conditions of contract, specifications and drawings, works carried out by the selected contractors. The consultant will be responsible for ensuring that work is carried out in accordance with the designs, specifications and works contract documents while at all - time ensuring quality, cost effectiveness and timely completion;
- iv. To provide the client with regular status reports and other reports as per the Terms of Reference, together with all related necessary technical assistance and professional advice to the Client related to supervision of the construction of the said works;
- v. To carry out RAP study and assist in the implementation of Resettlement of Project Affected Persons (PAPs).

The consultancy services will be carried out over a period of 39 (Thirty Nine) months which will cover design review of 3 (Three) months, 24 (Twenty Four) months to cover construction supervision and 12 (twelve) months defects liability period.

The **Athi Water Services Board** now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). Consultants may constitute joint-ventures to enhance their chances of qualification. The shortlisting criteria are:

- a. Experience in similar assignments
- b. Experience in similar conditions.
- c. Availability of appropriate skills amongst staff.

Eligibility criteria, establishment of the short-list and the selection procedure shall be in accordance with the *"Procurement Policy for Bank Group Funded Operations"* dated October 2015, which is available on the Bank's website at <http://www.afdb.org>.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours **0800 to 1700 Hours** from Monday to Friday excluding lunch hour (1300 to 1400Hrs) and public holidays.

Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below by **16th August 2016** at 12.00 noon East African time and mention **Expression of Interest for consultancy services for Design review and supervision of Kenya Towns Sustainable Water Supply and Sanitation Program, construction of Mwala cluster water and sanitation Project in Tanathi water services board area.**

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