Tender Number: 2023/039

Tender Title: Cwabeni Off-Channel Storage Dam - Appointment of an Environmental Control Officer (ECO))

T1.1 TENDER NOTICE AND INVITATION TO TENDER

uMngeni-uThukela Water is a state owned business enterprise that operates within the South African legislative parameters. The primary function of uMngeni-uThukela Water is to supply treated water in bulk to its municipal customers.

Competent and experienced Service Providers are invited to Tender for the following:

ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL OFFICER FOR THE CWABENI OFF-CHANNEL STORAGE DAM CONSTRUCTION.

In addition to the Eligibility Criteria specified in Clause F2.1 of the tender document, tenderers are required to fulfil the following:

The Environmental Control Officer (ECO) must have a Bachelor's Degree in Social Science/ Natural Sciences/ Environmental Sciences/ Environmental Engineering or Agricultural Engineering.

The successful Environmental Control Officer will have the following competencies:

Proven experience in auditing of construction projects. A minimum of 3 years working experience as an ECO on construction projects of a similar nature or water related projects;

Working knowledge in ecology/ biodiversity, with the ability to identify vegetation species;

Knowledge of alien vegetation control requirements;

Knowledge of wetland protection, management and reinstatement requirements; and Good communication skills both verbal and written.

Tenderers are required to achieve at least 35% Contract Participation Goals (CPG) including a minimum 10% Black Women participation and another 10% for Local participation of the value of goods, services and Works paid to one or more targeted enterprises to comply with uMngeni-uThukela Water's BBBEE policy initiative.

Evaluation method:

The tender will firstly be evaluated on eligibility. If found to be eligible, it will be further evaluated in two stages i.e.

 Functionality shall be assessed. A minimum functionality score of seventy (70) points is required for the tender to be considered further.
 Price & Preference Goals using the 80/20 Preference Point Scoring System in terms of PPPFA

Price and Preference goals

- 1. In compliance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2022, the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system is applicable: points for this bid shall be awarded for:
 - a) Price; and (80 or 90) and Preference as defined in SBD 6.1 (20)
- 2. The Preference Goals that have been identified for this bid is stipulated in SBD 6.1
- 3. Failure on the part of a bidder to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender document to claim points for specific goals, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed by the bidder.

Preferential goals and applicable points for this tender in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations 2022, are indicated in the table below

Description 80/20 Evidence to be provided	Description	80/20	Evidence to be provided
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HDI	The entity which is at least 51% women owned	5	BBBEE Certificate/ Sworn Affidavit
HDI	The entity which is at least 51% youth owned	5	Valid CSD Report / CIPC Registration Certificate
RDP	The promotion of SMME's, QSE's and or EME'S	5	Valid CSD Report/ BBBEE Certificate
RDP	The promotion of enterprises located in KwaZulu-Natal	5	Lease Agreement/ Municipal Account/ Letter from the Traditional Authority.
Total	points for preferential goals	20	

^{4.} Failure on the part of a bidder to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender document to claim points for specific goals, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed by the bidder.

The physical address for submission of Tender documents and the submission of Tenders is: uMngeni-uThukela Water, 310 Burger Street, Pietermaritzburg.

<u>A compulsory</u> clarification meeting with representatives of uMngeni-uThukela Water and will take place virtually via MS Teams on 02 August 2023 starting at 09h30 (*Link will be provided closer to the date*).

The closing time for submission of Tenders is 12h00 on 14 August 2023.

Tenders are to be deposited in the Tender Box located outside the main entrance at uMngeniuThukela Water, 310 Burger Street, Pietermaritzburg.

uMngeni-uThukela 's Standard Conditions of Tender are available on UMngeni-uThukela 's website: https://www.umgeni.co.za/wp-content/uploads/2023/07/SCM009-Standard-Conditions-of-Tender.pdf

Persons aggrieved by decisions or actions taken by uMngeni-uThukela Water, may lodge an appeal within 7 calendar days of the date of the intention to award advertisement appearing in the relevant print media.

The appeal (clearly stating reasons for appeal) and queries with regard to the decision of award are to be directed, in writing only to the Supply Chain Management Office,

Attention: Supply Chain Management

Email: appeals @umgeni.co.za

Note that appeals not addressed to the abovementioned email will not be considered.

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uMngeni-uThukela Water Reserves the Right to Award the Contract In Whole or In Part.