

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Detail Feasibility study of Water transport along Koshi, Gandaki and Bheri River Basin

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The Government of Nepal, Ministry of Physical Planning and Works invites Expressions of Interest (Eol) for the purpose of short listing the qualified, eligible and experienced domestic Consultants/Consulting Firm(s) for Detail Feasibility study of water transport along Koshi, Gandaki and Bheri River Basin . The budget to this purpose has been allocated by the Government of Nepal for the fiscal year 2067/068.

Consulting Firms experienced in the above works and willing to provide the services are hereby invited to submit their 'Expressions of Interest (Eol)'. The Eol shall be submitted in a sealed envelope and must reach the MOPPW ,Works division , Singhadarbar, Kathmandu no later than the working hours on the 16th day of first publication of this notice.

In case the day of submission of the Eol falls on a public holiday, the Eol shall be submitted till the following working day. Only the short listed Consultants/Consulting Firms(s) shall be invited to submit the 'Request for Proposal (RFP)' for the mentioned job. The firm(s) shall include in their Expressions of Interest following information in measurable terms and any other information that they may feel will support their application.

- Financial Capacity and Annual Turnover
- General Experience of the Firm(s)
- Experience in Similar Works
- Equipment Facilities available
- Manpower Resources

The experiences of Government/semi-government sector of Nepal only will be counted in General and Similar works and the firm/s shall produce certified evidences of completion(substantial) of the job either as a corporate entity individually or as one of the major companies with a legal association from concerned agencies of Government of Nepal.

One Firm is permitted to submit only one Eol either single or in a joint venture, failing which such Firm shall not be short listed. A firm participating in the short listing process shall have to provide its details like the name, address and other relevant information. Firms participating as Joint Venture shall also have to disclose the name of the Prime firm. MOPPW reserves the right not to shortlist any of the Firms without assigning any reasons whatsoever. Further information or clarification on the Eol can be obtained from the MOPPW ,Works division Singhadarbar, Kathmandu during office hours. The Eol document can also be downloaded from the website: www.moppw.gov.np for reference use.

The Project Chief
Waterway Development Project

INFORMATION ON THE CONSULTING FIRM

Information shall be provided in the following format. No field shall be left vacant. In case of a joint venture, the same form shall be filled by each of the JV partners separately. The form shall be submitted in the time, date and venue as mentioned in the published notice.

1. General

Name of Firm	Address	Telephone	Email	Fax	JV Percent

Out of the above list, will be the Prime Consultant.

2. Financial Capacity

Annual turnover over the last three years are as follows. The auditor's report/tax clearance certificates are attached

Fiscal year	Turnover (Rs)

3. General Experience*

General experiences over the past 5 years are as follows. Work completion certificates are attached.

Fiscal year	Project	Client	Contract amount (excluding VAT)	Year of completion	Variation if any
2066/67					
2065/66					
2064/65					
2063/64					
2062/63					

4. Specific Experience*

Detailed engineering survey and design of roads completed over the past 5 years are as follows. Work completion certificates are attached.

Fiscal year	Project	Client	Contract amount (excluding VAT)	Year of completion	Variation if any
2066/67					
2065/66					
2064/65					
2063/64					
2062/63					

* *The firm/s shall produce certified evidences of completion of the job either as a corporate entity individually or as one of the major companies with legal association from concerned agencies of Government of Nepal. Sublet works or assignment as a sub consultant shall not be considered for evaluation.*

5. Unfinished Works

Uncompleted works over the past 5 years are as follows. Copies of relevant correspondence are attached.

Year of Agreement	Due Date of Completion	Project	Client	Contract amount (excluding VAT)	Reason for Incompletion
2066/67					
2065/66					
2064/65					
2063/64					
2062/63					

6. Human Resources

We are in a position to deploy the following staff members:

Staff Member	Number	
	Permanent	On-call
Highway/transport engineer ⁺⁺		
Engineer Geologist/Geo-technical engineer ⁺⁺		
Hydrologist ⁺⁺		
Senior surveyor ⁺⁺		
Economist ⁺⁺		
Other Professional Staff		
Support Personnel		

⁺⁺ *CV must be attached for these key personnel.*

7. Other Resources

Other relevant resources available with us are as follows. The office layout, invoice/bill of equipment/vehicle/software/computer is attached.

Resource	Unit	Total Available	Engaged by Works on Hand
Office area	m2		
Telephone lines	line		
Total station with accessories	set		
Theodolite with accessories	set		
Levelling machine with accessories	set		
GPS	Set		
Design software	No		
Computer with normal OS	set		
Field vehicles	no		
Motor boats	no		

Authorized signature:

Seal:

Date:

ANNEX: INFORMATION TO THE CONSULTING FIRM

General Information

- Purpose of inviting the EOI: The main purpose shall short-list suitable consulting firm for detail feasibility survey of water transport so that proposals could be invited from them only. However, the client may extend the short-list to include additional relevant consulting firms which are capable of giving the desired output.
- Minimum eligibility of the firm: Registered civil engineering consulting firm, registered at VAT office
- Deadline for submission of EOI: 15 days from the date of publication of the Invitation notice for EOI
- Number of copies to be submitted: one original and one Copy
- Joint Venture: A firm may apply to be short-listed alone or in joint venture with other firms. However once short-listed, JV partners are unchangeable.
- Duration for survey and design: The survey and design work shall be completed within six months from the date of signing of the contract.
- Information from the Client: The shortlist shall be published on the Client's notice board and at the web-site: www.mopppw.gov.np within a week from the last date of submission of the EOI. The Client shall mail the short-list to each of the firms/JV submitting the EOI and initiate the process of RFP without waiting for the receipt from the firms that they have received the short-list.

Project Description

The Ministry of Physical planning and works singhadarbar , Kathmandu, intends to utilize services of engineering consulting firms well experienced in the fields of water transport ,hydrological analysis ,river training works, environment aspects, transportation planning and management etc. for providing engineering consulting services for Detail Feasibility study of water transport of Koshi, Gandaki and Bheri River Basins including tentative details of obstruction along the river and its cost .