INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

REHABILITATION & UPGRADE OF BOAT BASIN TO SCHON CHOWRANGI WITH PEDESTRIAN TRAIL AND GIZRI SPORTS GROUND KARACHI, SINDH.

1. The Government of Sindh (hereinafter called Borrower) has received financing from the International Development Association (IDA) (the Bank) in the form of a credit (hereinafter called credit) towards the cost of Karachi Neighborhood Improvement Project (KNIP). The Project Director, Project Implementation Unit, KNIP, Karachi an implementing agency of the Client, intends to apply a portion of the proceeds of this credit to eligible payments under the contract “Rehabilitation & Upgradation of Boat Basin to Schon Chowrangi with pedestrian trail and Gizri Sports Ground at Karachi, Sindh” for which this Invitation for Bids is issued.

2. The Project Director Karachi Neighborhood Improvement Project (KNIP) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for works consist of the construction of urban infrastructure, street, roads, parks, Pedestrian Bridge and other elements including Landscaping, Street Furniture, Lighting, etc. for:

“Rehabilitation & Upgradation of Boat Basin to Schon Chowrangi with Pedestrian trail and Gizri Sports Ground Karachi, Sindh”

The works are to be completed in 210 days.

3. Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” (July 2016) revised October 2017 and August 2021 (“Procurement Regulations”) available on www.Worldbank.org. The bid is open to all Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations. Bidding procedure used is Single Stage One-Envelope.

4. Bidding Documents (and additional copies) may be purchased from Office of the Project Director (KNIP) for a nonrefundable fee of Rs. 30,000/- (in words Rupees Thirty Thousand Only) payable through pay order in favor of “Project Director, Karachi Neighborhood Improvement Project (KNIP)” for each project set. Interested bidders may Purchase and obtain further information at the address mentioned at the end. Additional charges of Rs. 5000 (Pakistan Rupees Five Thousand only) shall be payable if the document is required through courier. Additional sets of documents may be purchased at same price.

5. Interested Bidders may also download the Bidding Document from project website www.knip.gos.pk. Those bidders who download the Bidding Documents from Project website shall attach documents fee at the time of submission of bids.

6. Bids must be delivered to Project Director PIU-KNIP on or before 3:00 pm, 8th September 2021. The bids will be opened on the same date at 3:00 pm, 8th September 2021. Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders’ designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address given below.
7. Bids shall be valid for a period of 90 days after bid opening as mentioned in the bidding documents. All Bids must be accompanied by a 2% Bid Security of the Bid Price.

8. A Pre-bid conference will be held at 3:00 pm on 31st August at the above-mentioned address. All potential bidders, those who have obtained the Bidding Document, are invited to attend. Any questions / queries may be delivered to the address given below in writing at least 7 days before the deadlines for submission of bids. The purpose of the conference/Questions will be to clarify issues and to answer questions on any matter regarding Bidding Documents, bidding procedure etc. that may be raised at that stage.

9. All bidders shall be required to submit with their bids, qualification information specified in the bidding documents. This information shall be used to establish through Post Qualification whether the bidder is qualified to perform the work.

10. Bidders are required to submit on item rates basis (not on the basis of composite schedule of Rates with Percentage premium) and the rates and amounts (in Rupees) must be filled by the bidder for each item in the Bill of Quantities and provide a total price. Non-Compliance may result in rejection of bid.

11. Bidders should give their best and final price in their bids as no negotiations on the Bid prices are expected.

12. As provided in the bidding documents, bidders engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices (including collusion/pooling) will be declared ineligible, either indefinitely or for a stated period of time, to be awarded a contract financed by the World Bank.

13. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder’s beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.”

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