

BLOEM WATER

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP): SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT, UNIFORMS, CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR FOR ALL BLOEM WATER REGIONS FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS.

CONTRACT NO.: BW261/PPE/21

Bloem Water is a schedule 3B Public Business Enterprises (PFMA, Act 1 of 1999), which has been established in terms of the Water Services Act (Act 108 of 1997).

Bloem Water is a Water Board, with the mandate to provide water services to the Southern and Central areas of the Free State Province.

This Project is designated for local production with minimum local content thresholds.

The following Industry/sectors/sub-sectors have been designated for Minimum threshold for local production:

Textile, Clothing, Leather and Footwear 100%

To access the practice notes to the above designated sectors, please go to www.treasury.gov.za

SCOPE OF WORK

- The scope of work for the bid will cover the Supply and Delivery of Personal Protective, Equipment, Uniforms, Clothing and Footwear for Bloem Water Regions.

The following items are excluded from this bid:

- (i) Bloem Water Corporate Clothing

Pre- Qualification Specific Tender Conditions:

The pre-qualifying criteria objective is to advance certain designated groups that meets the specific tendering condition

- (a) a tenderer having a stipulated minimum B-BBEE status level of contributor **Level 1**;
- (b) an EME or QSE;

“Designated group” means

- i. Black people
- ii. Black Designated groups
- iii. Women
- iv. People with disabilities; or
- v. Small enterprise, as defined in the National Small Enterprise Act, 1996 (Act No. 102 of 1996)

Preference will be given to Service Providers who have demonstrated previous expertise in the relevant field, capabilities, and have the required qualified human resources.

A tender that fails to meet the pre-qualifying criteria stipulated in the tender documents is an unacceptable tender as stipulated in the PPPF Act 2017, (Act No.5 of 2000): Government Gazette No.40553.

Firms who meet the specified pre-qualification will be further evaluated in line with the 80/20 method as per the PPPF Act; Bloem Water reserves the right not to award the tender to the highest scoring bidder.

Where bid documents can be obtained:

Website: www.etenders.gov.za - National Treasury Website – eTender Publication

Website: www.bloemwater.co.za – Bloem Water Website

The tender document will be available from National Treasury e-tenders and Bloem Water portal from **08 July 2021**.

Completed proposals must be addressed as below and deposited before **12:00 on Wednesday, 28 July 2021** at the Tender Box situated at the Bloem Water Reception Area for Attention:

Supply Chain Management

Bloem Water
2 Mzuzu Street
Pellissier
Bloemfontein
9322

Each proposal must be submitted in One **(1) separate envelope** clearly marked:

- 1. Request for Proposal (RFP): SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT, UNIFORMS, CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR FOR ALL BLOEM WATER REGIONS FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS** With the bidder's name and address.

Bloem Water promotes Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment. The name of the firm submitting the tender shall be clearly shown on all correspondence. An appointment will be made in terms of the approved Supply Chain Management Policy of the Board of Bloem Water.

Service Providers who meet the specified quality criteria will be further evaluated in line with the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (PPPFA) principle of 80/20. Bloem Water reserves the right not to award the tender to the highest scoring bidder. Bloem Water reserves the right NOT to appoint any Service Provider or to withdraw this request for bids.

Tenders may only be submitted on the tender documentation that has been issued. **A One-envelope system will be followed.**

Proposals which are incomplete, filled incorrectly, or telegraphic, telephonic, telex, facsimile, e-mail and late tenders will not be accepted.

Should you do not receive any feedback from Bloem Water after 60 days of submission, consider your tender unsuccessful.

Tender Administrative Queries can be directed to:

Mr T Khaeane or Mr L Moeketsi

Supply Chain Management

Tel: 051 - 403 0800

Fax: 051 – 422 5333

Email: thatok@bloemwater.co.za or leratom@bloemwater.co.za

NB: *Service Providers to all departments, constitutional institutions and public entities listed in schedule 2 and 3 of the PFMA are required to self-register on the Central Supplier Database.*