BLUE CRANE ROUTE MUNICIPALITY

SOMERSET EAST MAIN SUBSTATION, FRANCISVALE RING MAIN UNIT AND WESTVIEW MINISUB UPGRADE

TENDER NO.: T01/2017

T1.1: TENDER NOTICE AND INVITATION TO TENDER

The Blue Crane Route Municipality invites tenders for the **SOMERSET EAST MAIN SUBSTATION**, **FRANCISVALE RING MAIN UNIT AND WESTVIEW MINISUB UPGRADE**.

It is estimated that Tenderers should have an estimated CIDB contractor grading designation of **4EP** or higher.

Local Content requirements are applicable to all goods in Designated Sectors as determined by DTI.

Preferences will be offered to tenderers who tender in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2011. The **90/10** Preference Point System will be applied to this tender.

Documents may be collected during working hours after **12:00pm** on **01 February 2017**. A non-refundable tender deposit of R350, *three hundred and fifty rand* payable by any means to the Blue Crane Route Municipality is required prior to the collection of the tender documents. When payment is made, please quote the following information: On cash/cheque payment.

The physical address for the collection of tender documents is: Supply Chain Management Office, 67 Nojoli Street, Somerset East 5850.

DOCUMENTS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT THE COMPULSORY SITE MEETING

A compulsory clarification meeting with representatives of the Employer and the Engineer will take place at the **Somerset East Town Hall, 67 Nojoli Street, Somerset East** on **08 February 2017** starting at **10:00** where all the contractual and tendering aspects of the document will be explained. After the clarification meeting a compulsory Site Meetings in Somerset East must also be attended by tenderers. Attendance and completion of the attendance register is compulsory for all Tenderers. Tenderers must appear on the attendance register to be considered as being present. Note that Tenderers who are more than 15 minutes late for the meeting will not be allowed to attend the meeting and will not be allowed to sign the attendance register.

Queries relating to the issue of these documents may be addressed to the municipal official responsible for this tender, - Ms Zuki Makhalima, Tel 042 243 6483, email: intern3@bcrm.gov.za and any Technical queries relating to the document should be directed to Mr C. Venter, Tel 083 5610284, email: clement@eyabantupe.co.za

The closing time for receipt of tenders is **12h00** on **17 February 2017** Tenders must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, bearing the applicable tender heading and reference number, as well as the closing time and due date, and must be addressed to:

THE MUNICIPAL MANAGER 67 NOJOLI STREET SOMERSET EAST 5850

Tenders must be submitted in the **TENDER BOX** situated at **Corporate Services**, **88 Nojoli street**, **Somerset East 5850**. Tenders will be publicly opened at the address at the time indicated. A tender must remain valid for a period of **90 days** from the closing date for the submission of tenders. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the Municipality reserves the right to accept a tender as a whole or in part. Telegraphic, telephonic, telex, facsimile, e-mail, posted and late tenders will not be accepted. Tenders may only be submitted on the tender documentation that is issued. More requirements for sealing, addressing, delivery, opening and assessment of tenders are stated in the Tender Data.

Only tenderers who satisfy the eligibility criteria stated in the Tender Conditions and Tender Data are eligible to submit tenders. Further, only those tender offers that achieve the minimum score for quality will be eligible for further evaluation in terms of price and preference.

The score achieved for quality (Ms) will be the sum of the scores achieved for the following criteria.

Description of quality criteria (See Returnable 2i)	Maximum possible score
Company Resources	10
Qualifications of Key Personnel	15
Experience of Key Personnel	15
Schedule of Work Satisfactorily Completed	60
Maximum possible score for quality (Ms)	100

Tenderers require a minimum score of 70 in order to be further evaluated for price.

Preference Points will be offered to tenderers in accordance with the Tenderer's B-BBEE status level.

THE BID IS SUBJECTED TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2011, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT 2015 (GCC 2015) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

NB: NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE (AS DEFINED IN REGULATION 1 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT: MUNICIPAL SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT REGULATIONS)