



TENDER NO: T05/2021

UPGRADING OF SOMERSET EAST MAIN SUBSTATION – PHASE 3

The Blue Crane Route Municipality invites tenders in terms of Section 4 & 8 of the Local Government Municipal System Act, Act No. 32, for the construction and upgrading of the existing main intake substation in Somerset East. The scope of works under this tender includes:

- Installation, Testing and Commissioning of a cable on an existing 11kV medium voltage switchgear (Eskom Incoming Feeder) from an old medium voltage switchgear.
- Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 8 x 11kV medium voltage switchgear (11kV Circuit Breakers)
- Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 8 x Maximum Demand Energy meters (11kV 630:5 CT) to the new medium voltage switchgear
- Dismantle feeder cable of 7 feeders from the old 11 kV feeder panel.
- Dismantle one feeder cable on the new existing 11 kV feeder (new 11 kV Cookhouse Feeder) that is currently supplying the old panel feeders that are feeding from The Eskom Incomer 2.
- Installation, Testing and Commissioning of a cable on the new existing 11kV medium voltage switchgear (11kV Cookhouse Circuit Breaker) from an old medium voltage switchgear.
- Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of all medium voltage cabling required for the switch over from the existing switchgear to the new switchgear as per the design drawing.
- Load Balancing (Current per Feeder) between Eskom incomer 1 and Eskom incomer 2.

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

Tenders will be evaluated based on the following two stages, namely:

- Stage 1 – Functionality
- Stage 2 – Price and Preferential Points

Documents may be collected during working hours after 11:00 on **Friday, 5th March 2021**. A non-refundable tender deposit of **R 350.00, Three hundred and fifty-rand**, payable by cash only to the Blue Crane Route Municipality (**67 Nojoli Street, Somerset East, directly opposite the ABSA Bank**). Proof of payment must be presented upon collection of document. Tenders may only be collected between 08:00 and 15:30 during weekdays.

The physical address for the collection of tender documents is **Supply Chain Offices, 67 Nojoli Street, Somerset East**.

A **compulsory clarification meeting** with representatives of the Employer and the Employer's agent will take place at **the Town Hall, Somerset East on Wednesday, 10th March 2021** starting at **10h00**. 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 Mr. Jaco Kotzé of Bosch Projects, Tel No: 041 363 0598, Fax No: 041 363 7646 or email: kotzej@boschprojects.co.za. The Municipal Official responsible for this tender is: Mr. Vuyani Appolis Tel.: 042 242 3006 Cellphone:083 220 1328 or email: appolisv@bcmr.gov.za

The closing time for receipt of tenders is **Friday 19th March 2021 at 12h00**. Tenders must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, bearing the applicable tender heading and reference number, as well as the closing time

and due date. Tender offer shall be submitted as an original, plus one (1) copy on CD/DVD or flash-drive of original completed tender document.

Tenders must be submitted in the **MUNICIPAL TENDER BOX** situated at **67 Nojoli Street, Somerset East (Directly opposite the ABSA Bank)**. Tenders will be opened in public strictly at **12:00** at the address stated above. 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.

Note:

1. Faxed, e-mailed or late quotations will not be accepted.
2. Price to include VAT (if registered for vat) and disbursement costs involved with the project.
3. The tender will be evaluated on 80/20system.
4. All suppliers must be registered on the **CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE**. Log onto **www.csd.gov.za** for registration. **CSD Report indicating Tax Compliance need to be submitted.**
5. Authority of signatory to be signed in original.
6. A current certified Municipal (rates & services) clearance certificate to be submitted.
7. A current certified BBBEE status level certificate from SANAS accredited agency or affidavit in DTI format must be submitted in order to claim preference points.
8. Council is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to accept any tender or part thereof.

If the Certificate is not attached to this tender document, no points shall be awarded for B-BBEE status.

In the case of a Trust, Consortium or Joint Venture, they will qualify for points for their B-BBEE status level as a legal entity provided that the entity submits their consolidated B-BBEE status level certificate.

Bids will be evaluated and Adjudicated according to the following criteria:

1. Relevant specifications;
2. Value for money;
3. Capacity to execute the contract;
4. PPPFA Regulations 2017.

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)

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BLUE CRANE ROUTE MUNICIPALITY