



GOVERNMENT OF SIERRA LEONE

Ministry of Finance

RESILIENT URBAN SIERRA LEONE PROJECT

GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

NAME OF PROJECT: Resilient Urban Sierra Leone Project
(Integrated Urban Management & Service Delivery)

Practice Area: Urban, Resilience & Land

PROJECT ID No: P168608

DATE: 29th March, 2023

The Government of Sierra Leone has received funding from the International Development Association (IDA) of the World Bank financing in the amount of **US\$ 56.73 Million (Fifty-six Million, Seven Hundred and thirty Thousand United States Dollars)** equivalent from the International Development Association (IDA) and co-financing from Sustainable Cities Program of GEF-7 toward the cost of the Resilient Urban Sierra Leone Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for goods, works, non-consulting services and consulting services to be procured under this project.

The project comprises the following four components:

Component 1: Institutional and Capacity Development in sustainable Urban Management

Component 2: Resilient Municipal Infrastructure Investment and Urban Greening

Component 3: Emergency Management Institutional and Capacity Development

Component 4: Project Management

Component 1: Institutional and Capacity Development in Integrated Urban Management, US\$5.4 million.

This component will support City Councils in institutionalizing and strengthening their urban management capabilities that are critical for efficient revenue generation, planning, as well as delivery and sustainable management of resilient infrastructure and services.

Component 2: Resilient Municipal Infrastructure Investment and Urban Greening, US\$42.0 million. This component will finance priority resilient municipal infrastructure and services at neighborhood-and city-levels, including the preparation of technical designs, as needed.

Component 3: Emergency Management Institutional and Capacity Development, US\$4.53million. This component will build the capacity of the national and local governments in emergency preparedness and response, to better prepare them to respond to and recover from disasters.

Component 4: Project Management, US\$4.80 million.

This component would finance project management costs of the Project Management Unit (PMU) for staffing, monitoring and evaluation, including project technical audits (as needed) and mid-term and end-project evaluations, safeguards, financial management, procurement, and training. This component will also cover any costs related to the setup of a grievance redress mechanism. The component will also support advocacy, knowledge exchange and partnerships for sustainable urban development, building upon the global Sustainable Cities Impact Program (SCIP) 49, as knowledge development is a core element of the GEF financing.

The components will include procurement of:

❖ **GOODS**

- ✓ Procurement and Supply of Assorted Equipment and Machinery support to Secondary cities for Solid Waste Management
- ✓ Procurement of Assorted Office equipment and other material support to the newly established National Disaster Management Agency
- ✓ Supply and delivery of Office Furniture, Office Stationery /equipment and accessories, for the PMU
- ✓ Procurement of assorted technical equipment as Institutional Strengthening and Capacity Building support to the EPA
- ✓ Supply and delivery of Packages of Emergency Response Goods to equip EOCs and DRM Agency, Package of Hydro-met Goods (rain gauges, etc.)
- ✓ Supply and delivery of Emergency equipment for EOCs

❖ **INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANCY SERVICES**

- ✓ Hiring of a Solid Waste Management expert
- ✓ Hiring of an individual Consultant for Third Party Safeguards Monitoring

❖ **CONSULTANCY SERVICES (FIRM APPROACH)**

- ✓ Hiring a firm to conduct feasibility Studies, Design supervision of the EOC Center and NDMA Administrative Office
- ✓ Hiring of Consulting Services to conduct Safeguards studies for the proposed National Disaster Management Agency Office & EOC

❖ **CIVIL WORKS**

- ✓ Construction and Upgrade of Markets in Makeni and Kenema City
- ✓ Construction of an Engineered Landfill in Western Area
- ✓ Construction and upgrade of Neighbourhood Communities in Freetown

- ✓ Construction of the proposed National Disaster Management Agency Office & EOC

Procurement of contracts financed by the World Bank will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers November 2020 (Procurement Regulations), and is open to all eligible firms and individuals as defined in the Procurement Regulations. After project negotiations, the World Bank shall arrange the publication on its external website of the agreed initial procurement plan and all subsequent updates once it has provided a no objection.

Specific procurement notices for contracts subject to open competitive procurement will be announced, as they become available, in *UN Development Business online*, on the World Bank's external website and www.mof.gov.sl and the country widely read newspapers

Interested eligible firms and individuals who would wish to be considered for the provision of goods, works, non-consulting services and consulting services for the above-mentioned project, or those requiring additional information, should contact the Borrower at the address below:

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