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Project: Upgrade of the East Bank Public Road (Grove to Timehri)

Title: Invitation for Prequalification for Contractors and/or Firms to Provide Design and Build Services.

Borrower/Bid No:

Invitation for Prequalification

The Cooperative Republic of Guyana

DESIGN AND BUILD: UPGRADE OF THE EAST BANK PUBLIC ROAD

GROVE TO TIMEHRI

Loan Program Under Preparation GY-L1081

The Government of Guyana has requested a loan from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) to partially finance the Program to Support Climate Resilient Road Infrastructure Development (GY-L1081) for the Upgrade of the East Bank Public Road (Grove to Timehri), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this Program to payments under the contract for Design and Build Services.

The Ministry of Public Works intends to prequalify contractors and/or firms to provide Design and Build Services, the key requirements, of which, are outlined below:

The Contractor will be required to utilize the Design – Build Methodology, as per the FIDIC Yellow Book 2017) for the rehabilitation of the current deteriorated road pavement and areas where road pavement is non-existent; the installation of road safety equipment throughout the roadway; construct safe non-motorized traffic facilities for vulnerable road users, and rehabilitation or construction of new bridges / culverts across the various drainage and irrigation channels along the alignment; the coordination with utility companies and when agreed replace or relocate utility assets along the road. Also included are the construction and installation of weigh-in-motion (WIM) system and operation facility.

The detailed designs proposed by the Contractor must satisfy all legal, statutory, technical, economic, social, and environmental requirements as well as the terms and conditions of the loan program; the laws and regulations of Guyana; and the policies and procedures of the IDB.

For this Prequalification process, interested eligible Applicants are requested to demonstrate a proven track record which incorporates *all of the following but not limited to:*

- *Implementation of Design/Build Contracts for road construction using of FIDIC Suite of Contracts 1999 - 2017.*
- *Conduct of road/traffic safety analysis inclusive of street lighting and road markings and other safety works.*
- *Implementation of a rigorous traffic management plan*
- *Build Information Management for road projects in general and for Design and Build construction contracts in particular.*
- *Implementation of road pavement, bridge, culvert and drainage (inclusive of tidal structures) infrastructure assessments such as IRI, geotechnical, and pavement* and utility works
- *Site and geotechnical investigation techniques.*
- *Preparation of detailed design and construction working drawings for execution of the civil works and utility works, and technical specifications.*
- *Experience with Weigh-in-Motion Scale installations and operations.*
- *Experience in consultations processes with Utilities Companies (relocation and asset replacement) and Stakeholders i.e. businesses and residents in an Urban setting.*
- *Construction of road, structures, street lighting, drainage construction and utility relocation infrastructure works.*
- *Working in a multicultural environment and developing countries, specifically in Latin America and the Caribbean.*
- *Use of technology for resolved the planning, engineering and communication relates issues which may arise during the design, planning and execution phases of the project.*
- *Use of Ground Penetrating Radar technology and incorporating detailed utility location maps in the design and for construction planning and monitoring.*
- *Effective time management, construction planning and equipment utilization rates to implement adequate simultaneous work sites whenever possible.*
- *Effective coordination and experience with utility relocation and replacement projects.*
- *Experience with recycled pavement and polymer additives and rubber dust mix for pavements.*

An prequalification conference via ZOOM will be held on July 7, 2022 at 10:30hrs Guyana Time (Registration must be done ahead of time at: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEtcu6oqDIuGdO_feKPymR98nHw6fD...)

It is expected that prequalification documents will be published by June 30, 2022, and invitations for bid will be addressed to prequalified contractors in August 2022.

Prequalification will be conducted through prequalification procedures specified in the Inter-American Development Bank's Policies for the Procurement of Works and Goods financed by the Inter-American Development Bank (GN 2349-15), dated May 2019, approved by the Bank on July 2, 2020 , and is open to all Applicants from eligible source countries, as defined in the Policies.

Interested eligible Applicants may obtain further information from and inspect the prequalification document at the Ministry of Public Works (Address 1 below) from 8:30am to 3:00pm. A complete set of the prequalification document in English may be uplifted by interested Applicants on the submission of a written or email Application to Address 1.

Applications for prequalification should be submitted in sealed envelopes, delivered to **Address 2 specified below by July 28, 2022**, and be **clearly marked "Application to Prequalify for Design and Build: Upgrade of the East Bank Public Road (Grove to Timehri)".**

Address 1	**Address 2**

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