

KIAMBU COUNTY GOVERNMENT

FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT FOR SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF BUILDING, ROAD AND WORKS MATERIALS

TENDER NO: CGK/FWA/001/2020-2022

CLOSING DATE & TIME:30th SEPTEMBER 2020 AT 12.00 PM County Government of Kiambu P.O. Box 2344 - 00900 Kiambu, Kenya

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SECTION I INVITATION TO TENDER Date :

TENDER NAME. FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT FOR SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF BUILDING ,ROADSAND WORKSMATERIALS.CGK/FWA/001/2020-2022.

- 1.1 Interested eligible candidates may obtain further information from the Directorate of roads under the department of Roads, Transport,Public Works & Utilities situated at Kiambu Head office.
- 1.2 A complete set of tender documents shall be viewed and *downloaded* by interested candidates *from the Kiambu County website:* www.kiambu.go.ke,supplier.treasury.go.ke
- 1.3 Completed tender documents are to be enclosed in plain sealed water proof envelopes, marked FRAMEWORKAGREEMENT FOR SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF BUILDING, ROADS AND WORKS MATERIALS. CGK/FWA/001/2020-2022.on or before 30th September 2020 at Noon and deposited to a tender box situated outside room 15B Thika sub county office.
- 1.4 Prices quoted should be inclusive of all taxes and delivery must be in Kenya Shillings and shall remain valid for 120 Days from the closing date of the tender.
- 1.5 Due to Covid-19 pandemic, tenders will be opened 9 days after the closing date which will be on 9th October 2020 in the presence of the Candidates or their representatives who choose to attend at Thika Town Hall Chambers Thika Subcounty at 10.00 A.M.

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SECTION II - INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS

2.1 **Eligible Tenderers**

- 2.1.1 This Invitation for Tenders is open to all tenderers eligible as described in the Invitation to Tender. Successful tenderers shall complete the supply of goods by the intended completion date specified in the Schedule of Requirements Section VI.
- 2.1.2 The procuring entity's employees, committee members, board members and their relative (spouse and children) are not eligible to participate in the tender.
- 2.1.3 Tenderers shall provide the qualification information statement that the tenderer (including all members of a joint venture and subcontractors) is not associated, or have been associated in the past, directly or indirectly, with a firm or any of its affiliates which have been engaged by the Procuring entity to provide consulting services for the preparation of the design, specifications, and other documents to be used for the procurement of the goods under this Invitation for tenders.
- 2.1.4 Tenderers shall not be under a declaration of ineligibility for corrupt and fraudulent practices.

2.2 Eligible Goods

- 2.2.1 All goods to be supplied under the contract shall have their origin in eligible source countries.
- 2.2.2 For purposes of this clause, "origin" means the place where the goods are mined, grown, or produced. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing, or substantial and major assembly of components, a commercially-recognized product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components
- 2.2.3 The origin of goods is distinct from the nationality of the tenderer.

2.3 Cost of Tendering

- 2.3.1 The Tenderer shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its tender, and the procuring entity, will in no case be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the tendering process.
- 2.3.2 Tender documents shall be obtained free of charge from the website.
- 2.3.3 All firms found capable of performing the contract satisfactorily in accordance with the set prequalification criteria shall be prequalified.

2.4. The Tender Document

- 2.4.1 The tender document comprises the documents listed below and addenda issued in accordance with clause 2.6 of these instructions to Tenderers
 - (i) Invitation to Tender
 - (ii) Instructions to tenderers
 - (iii) General Conditions of Contract
 - (iv) Special Conditions of Contract
 - (v) Schedule of requirements
 - (vi) Technical Specifications
 - (vii) Tender Form and Price Schedules
 - (viii) Tender Security Form
 - (ix) Contract Form
 - (x) Performance Security Form
 - (xi) Bank Guarantee for Advance Payment Form
 - (xii) Manufacturer's Authorization Form
 - (xiii) Confidential Business Questionnaire
- 2.4.2 The Tenderer is expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms, and specifications in the tender documents. Failure to furnish all information required by the tender documents or to submit a tender not substantially responsive to the tender documents in every respect will be at the tenderers risk and may result in the rejection of its tender.

2.5 **Clarification of Documents**

- 2.5.1 A prospective tenderer requiring any clarification of the tender document may notify the Procuring entity in writing or by post at the entity's address indicated in the Invitation to Tender. The Procuring entity will respond in writing to any request for clarification of the tender documents, which it receives not later than seven (7) days prior to the deadline for the submission of tenders, prescribed by the procuring entity. Written copies of the Procuring entities response (including an explanation of the query but without identifying the source of inquiry) will be sent to all prospective tenderers that have received the tender document.
- 2.5.2 The procuring entity shall reply to any clarifications sought by the tenderer within 3 days of receiving the request to enable the tenderer to make timely submission of its tender.

2.6 Amendment of Documents

2.6.1 At any time prior to the deadline for submission of tenders, the Procuring entity, for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective tenderer, may modify the tender documents by amendment.

All amendments shall be through the *website:* www.kiambu.go.ke

2.6.2 In order to allow prospective tenderers reasonable time in which to take the amendment into account in preparing their tenders, the Procuring entity, at its discretion, may extend the deadline for the submission of tenders.

2.7 Language of Tender

2.7.1 The tender prepared by the tenderer, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the tender exchange by the tenderer and the Procuring entity, shall be written in English language, provided that any printed literature furnished by the tenderer may be written in another language provided they are accompanied by an accurate English translation of the relevant passages in which case, for purposes of interpretation of the tender, the English translation shall govern.

2.8 **Documents Comprising of Tender**

- 2.8.1 The tender prepared by the tenderers shall comprise the following components
 - (a) a Tender Form and a Price Schedule completed in accordance with paragraph 2.9, 2.10 and 2.11 below
 - (b) documentary evidence established in accordance with paragraph 2.1 that the tenderer is eligible to tender and is qualified to perform the contract if its tender is accepted;
 - (c) documentary evidence established in accordance with paragraph 2.2 that the goods and ancillary services to be supplied by the tenderer are eligible goods and services and conform to the tender documents; and
 - (d) tender security furnished in accordance with paragraph 2.14

2.9 **Tender Forms**

2.9.1 The tenderer shall complete the Tender Form and the appropriate Price Schedule furnished in the tender documents, indicating the materials to be supplied, a brief description of the goods, their country of origin, quantity, and prices.

2.10 **Tender Prices**

- 2.10.1 The tenderer shall indicate on the appropriate Price Schedule the unit prices and total tender price of the goods it proposes to supply under the contract.
- 2.10.2 Prices indicated on the Price Schedule shall include all costs including taxes, insurances and delivery to the premises of the entity.
- 2.10.3 The validity period of the tender shall be 120 days from the date of opening of the tender.
- 2.10.4 The framework agreements will be valid for 2 financial years.

2.11 **Tender Currencies**

2.11.1 Prices shall be quoted in Kenya Shillings unless otherwise specified in the Appendix to Instructions to Tenderers.

2.12 Tenderers Eligibility and Qualifications

- 2.12.1Pursuant to paragraph 2.1. the tenderer shall furnish, as part of its tender, documents establishing the tenderers eligibility to tender and its qualifications to perform the contract if its tender is accepted.
- 2.12.2The documentary evidence of the tenderers eligibility to tender shall establish to the Procuring entity's satisfaction that the tenderer, at the time of submission of its tender, is from an eligible source country as defined under paragraph 2.1
- 2.12.3The documentary evidence of the tenderers qualifications to perform the contract if its tender is accepted shall be established to the Procuring entity's satisfaction;
 - (a) that, in the case of a tenderer offering to supply goods under the contract which the tenderer did not manufacture or otherwise produce, the tenderer has been duly authorized by the goods' Manufacturer or producer to supply the goods.
 - (b) that the tenderer has the financial, technical, and production capability necessary to perform the contract;
 - (c) that, in the case of a tenderer not doing business within Kenya, the tenderer is or will be (if awarded the contract) represented by an Agent in Kenya equipped, and able to carry out the Tenderer's maintenance, repair, and spare parts-stocking obligations prescribed in the Conditions of Contract and/or Technical Specifications.

2.13 Goods Eligibility and Conformity to Tender Documents

- 2.13.1 Pursuant to paragraph 2.2 of this section, the tenderer shall furnish, as part of its tender documents establishing the eligibility and conformity to the tender documents of all goods which the tenderer proposes to supply under the contract
- 2.13.2The documentary evidence of the eligibility of the goods shall consist of a statement in the Price Schedule of the country of origin of the goods and services offered which shall be confirmed by a certificate of origin issued at the time of shipment.

- 2.13.3The documentary evidence of conformity of the goods to the tender documents may be in the form of literature, drawings, and data, and shall consist of:
 - (a) a detailed description of the essential technical and performance characteristic of the goods;
 - (b) a list giving full particulars, including available source and current prices of spare parts, special tools, etc., necessary for the proper and continuing functioning of the goods for a period of two (2) years, following commencement of the use of the goods by the Procuring entity; and
 - (c) a clause-by-clause commentary on the Procuring entity's Technical Specifications demonstrating substantial responsiveness of the goods and service to those specifications, or a statement of deviations and exceptions to the provisions of the Technical Specifications.
- 2.13.4For purposes of the documentary evidence to be furnished pursuant to paragraph 2.13.3(c) above, the tenderer shall note that standards for workmanship, material, and equipment, as well as references to brand names or catalogue numbers designated by the Procurement entity in its Technical Specifications, are intended to be descriptive only and not restrictive. The tenderer may substitute alternative standards, brand names, and/or catalogue numbers in its tender, provided that it demonstrates to the Procurement entity's satisfaction that the substitutions ensure substantial equivalence to those designated in the Technical Specifications.

2.15 Validity of Tenders

- 2.15.1 Tenders shall remain valid for 120 days or as specified in the Invitation to Tender after the date of tender opening prescribed by the Procuring entity, pursuant to paragraph 2.18. A tender valid for a shorter period shall be rejected by the Procuring entity as non-responsive.
- 2.15.2 In exceptional circumstances, the Procuring entity may solicit the Tenderer's consent to an extension of the period of validity. The request and the responses thereto shall be made in writing. The tender security provided under paragraph 2.14 shall also be suitably extended. A tenderer may refuse the request without forfeiting its

tender security. A tenderer granting the request will not be required nor permitted to modify its tender.

Format and Signing of Tender.

2.16 Submission of Tenders

The tenderers shall submit the tender documents clearly marked and sealed in waterproof envelope outside Room 15B Thika sub county offices.

2.7 Language of tender

2.7.1 The tender prepared by the tenderer, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the tender exchange by the tenderer and the Procuring entity, shall be written in English language, provided that any printed literature furnished by the tenderer may be written in another language provided they are accompanied by an accurate English translation of the relevant passages in which case, for purposes of interpretation of the tender, the English translation shall govern.

2.18.1 Tenders must be received by the Procuring entity on or before 29th September 2020 at 12.00 noon

2.18.2The Procuring entity may, at its discretion, extend this deadline for the submission of tenders by amending the tender documents in accordance with paragraph 2.6, in which case all rights and obligations of the Procuring entity and candidates previously subject to the deadline will therefore be subject to the deadline as extended

2.19 Modification and Withdrawal of Tenders

- 2.19.1The tenderer may modify or withdraw its tender after the tender's submission, provided that written notice of the modification, including substitution or withdrawal of the tenders, is received by the Procuring Entity prior to the deadline prescribed for submission of tenders.
- 2.19.2The Tenderer's modification or withdrawal notice shall be prepared, sealed, marked, and dispatched in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 2.17. A withdrawal notice may also be

sent by cable, telex but followed by a signed confirmation copy, postmarked not later than the deadline for submission of tenders.

- 2.19.3No tender may be modified after the deadline for submission of tenders.
- 2.19.4No tender may be withdrawn in the interval between the deadline for submission of tenders and the expiration of the period of tender validity specified by the tenderer on the Tender Form. Withdrawal of a tender during this interval may result in the Tenderer's forfeiture of its tender security, pursuant to paragraph 2.14.7
- 2.19.5The procuring entity may at any time terminate procurement proceedings before contract award and shall not be liable to any person for the termination.
- 2.19.6The procuring entity shall give prompt notice of the termination to the tenderers and on request give its reasons for termination within 14 days of receiving the request from any tenderer.

2.20 Opening of Tenders

- 2.20.1 The Procuring entity will open all tenders in the presence of tenderers 'or representatives who choose to attend nine(9) days after closing date which will be on 8th October 2020 at 10.00 A.M at Thika Sub county Chambers due to Covid-19 guidelines.
- 2.20.2The tenderers'or representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance.
- 2.20.3 The tenderers' names, tender modifications or withdrawals, tender prices, discounts and the presence or absence of requisite tender security and such other details as the Procuring entity, at its discretion, may consider appropriate, will be announced at the opening.

2.20.4 The Procuring entity will prepare minutes of the tender opening.

2.21 Clarification of Tenders

- 2.21.1To assist in the examination, evaluation and comparison of tenders the Procuring entity may, at its discretion, ask the tenderer for a clarification of its tender. The request for clarification and the response shall be in writing, and no change in the prices or substance of the tender shall be sought, offered, or permitted.
- 2.21.2 Any effort by the tenderer to influence the Procuring entity in the Procuring entity's tender evaluation, tender comparison or contract award decisions may result in the rejection of the tenderers' tender.

2.22 Preliminary Examination

- 2.22.1 The Procuring entity will examine the tenders to determine whether they are complete, whether any computational errors have been made, whether required sureties have been furnished, whether the documents have been properly signed, and whether the tenders are generally in order.
- 2.22.2Arithmetical errors will be rectified on the following basis. If there is a discrepancy between the unit price and the total price that is obtained by multiplying the unit price and quantify, the unit price shall prevail, and the total price shall be corrected. If the candidate does not accept the correction of the errors, its tender will be rejected, and its tender security forfeited. If there is a discrepancy between words and figures the amount in words will prevail.
- 2.22.3The Procuring entity may waive any minor informality or nonconformity or irregularity in a tender which does not constitute a material deviation, provided such waiver does not prejudice or effect the relative ranking of any tenderer.
- 2.22.4Prior to the detailed evaluation, pursuant to paragraph 2.23 the Procuring entity will determine the substantial responsiveness of each tender to the tender documents. For purposes of these paragraphs, a substantially responsive tender is one, which conforms to all the terms and conditions of the tender documents without material deviations. The Procuring entity's determination of a tender's responsiveness is to be based on the contents of the tender itself without recourse to extrinsic evidence.

2.22.5If a tender is not substantially responsive, it will be rejected by the Procuring entity and may not subsequently be made responsive by the tenderer by correction of the non-conformity.

Evaluation and Comparison of Tenders

- 2.22.6The Procuring entity will evaluate and compare the tenders which have been determined to be substantially responsive, pursuant to paragraph 2.22
- 2.22.7The tender evaluation committee shall evaluate the tender within 30 days of the validity period from the date of opening the tender.
- 2.22.8A tenderer who gives false information in the tender document about its qualification or who refuses to enter into a contract after notification of contract award shall be considered for debarment from participating in future public procurement.

2.23 Preference

2.23.1Preference where allowed in the evaluation of tenders shall not exceed 15%

2.24 Contacting the Procuring entity

- 2.24.1 Subject to paragraph 2.21 no tenderer shall contact the Procuring entity on any matter related to its tender, from the time of the tender opening to the time the contract is awarded.
- 2.24.2 Any effort by a tenderer to influence the Procuring entity in its decisions on tender, evaluation, tender comparison, or contract award may result in the rejection of the Tenderer's tender.

2.25 Award of Contract

(a) **Post-qualification**

- 2.25.1 In the absence of pre-qualification, the Procuring entity will determine to its satisfaction whether the tenderer that is selected as having submitted the lowest evaluated responsive tender is qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily.
- 2.25.2The determination will take into account the tenderer financial, technical, and production capabilities. It will be based upon an examination of the documentary evidence of the tenderers qualifications submitted by the tenderer, pursuant to paragraph 2.12.3 as well as such other information as the Procuring entity deems necessary and appropriate.
- 2.25.3An affirmative determination will be a prerequisite for award of the contract to the tenderer. A negative determination will result in rejection of the Tenderer's tender, in which event the Procuring entity will proceed to the next lowest evaluated tender to make a similar determination of that Tenderer's capabilities to perform satisfactorily.

(b) Award Criteria

2.25.4 The Procuring entity will award the contract to the successful tenderer(s) whose tender has been determined to be substantially responsive and has been determined to be the lowest evaluated tender, provided further that the tenderer is determined to be qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily.

(c) **Procuring entity's Right to Vary quantities**

2.25.5 The Procuring entity reserves the right at the time of contract award to increase or decrease the quantity of goods originally specified in the Schedule of requirements without any change in unit price or other terms and conditions

(d) **Procuring entity's Right to accept or Reject any or All Tenders**

2.25.6 The Procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject any tender, and to annul the tendering process and reject all tenders at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected tenderer or tenderers or any

obligation to inform the affected tenderer or tenderers of the grounds for the Procuring entity's action

2.26 Notification of Award

- 2.26.1 Prior to the expiration of the period of tender validity, the Procuring entity will notify the successful tenderer in writing that its tender has been accepted.
- 2.26.2 The notification of award will constitute the formation of the Contract but will have to wait until the contract is finally signed by both parties
- 2.26.3Upon the successful Tenderer's furnishing of the performance security pursuant to paragraph 2.28, the Procuring entity will promptly notify each unsuccessful Tenderer and will discharge its tender security, pursuant to paragraph 2.14

2.27 Signing of Contract

- 2.27.1 At the same time as the Procuring entity notifies the successful tenderer that its tender has been accepted, the Procuring entity will send the tenderer the Contract Form provided in the tender documents, incorporating all agreements between the parties.
- 2.27.2The parties to the contract shall have it signed within 30 days from the date of notification of contract award unless there is an administrative review request.
- 2.27.3 Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the Contract Form, the successful tenderer shall sign and date the contract and return it to the Procuring entity.

2.28 Corrupt or Fraudulent Practices

- 2.28.1 The Procuring entity requires that tenderers observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement process and execution of contracts when used in the present regulations, the following terms are defined as follows;
- (i) "corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution; and

- (ii) "fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of the Procuring entity, and includes collusive practice among tenderer (prior to or after tender submission) designed to establish tender prices at artificial noncompetitive levels and to deprive the Procuring entity of the benefits of free and open competition;
- 2.28.2The procuring entity will reject a proposal for award if it determines that the tenderer recommended for award has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the contract in question.
- 2.28.3Further a tenderer who is found to have indulged in corrupt or fraudulent practices risks being debarred from participating in public procurement in Kenya.

Appendix to Instructions to Tenderers

The following information regarding the particulars of the tender shall complement supplement or amend the provisions of the instructions to tenderers. Wherever there is a conflict between the provision of the instructions to tenderers and the provisions of the appendix, the provisions of the appendix herein shall prevail over those of the instructions to tenderers

INSTRUCTIONS	PARTICULARS OF APPENDIX TO INSTRUCTIONS TO
TO TENDERERS	TENDERS TO ATTACH THE FOLLOWING
REFERENCE	DOCUMENTS

 2.1.1 All tenderers with firm that supply and delivery of Building and Roadwork materials. Copy of valid tax compliance certificate Copy of VAT/PIN certificate Copy of certificate of registration /incorporation Proven Physical location of the firm/company(attach copies of tenancy agreements or title deed,utility bills) Copy of Valid single business permit. Current CR 12/CR13 form or equivalent for business name registration/company. At least one year. A properly filled signed stamped confidential business questionnaire. The tenderer must specify area of interest (LOT). Ix Original and copy of Tender document MUST be paginated/serialized/Numbered sequentially on all pages including attachments. Note: Tenderers who fail to meet these criteria shall not proceed any further. Due diligence will be done on all above documents. 	2.1.1	 Copy of valid tax compliance certificate Copy of VAT/PIN certificate Copy of certificate of registration /incorporation Proven Physical location of the firm/company(attach copies of tenancy agreements or title deed,utility bills) Copy of Valid single business permit. Current CR 12/CR13 form or equivalent for business name registration/company. At least one year. A properly filled signed stamped confidential business questionnaire. The tenderer must specify area of interest (LOT). Ix Original and copy of Tender document MUST be paginated/serialized/Numbered sequentially on all pages including attachments.

SECTION III: GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

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SECTION III - GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

3.1 **Definitions**

- 3.1.1 In this Contract, the following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:-
 - (a) "The Contract" means the agreement entered into between the Procuring entity and the tenderer, as recorded in the Contract Form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
 - (b) "The Contract Price" means the price payable to the tenderer under the Contract for the full and proper performance of its contractual obligations
 - (c) "The Goods" means all of the equipment, machinery, and/or other materials, which the tenderer is required to supply to the Procuring entity under the Contract.
 - (d) "The Procuring entity" means the organization purchasing the Goods under this Contract.
 - (e) "The Tenderer' means the individual or firm supplying the Goods under this Contract.

3.2 **Application**

3.2.1 These General Conditions shall apply in all Contracts made by the Procuring entity for the procurement installation and commissioning of equipment

3.3 **Country of Origin**

- 3.3.1 For purposes of this clause, "Origin" means the place where the Goods were mined, grown or produced.
- 3.3.2 The origin of Goods and Services is distinct from the nationality of the tenderer.

3.4 Standards

3.4.1 The Goods supplied under this Contract shall conform to the standards mentioned in the Technical Specifications.

3.5 Use of Contract Documents and Information

- 3.5.1 The tenderer shall not, without the Procuring entity's prior written consent, disclose the Contract, or any provision therefore, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on behalf of the Procuring entity in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the tenderer in the performance of the Contract.
- 3.5.2 The tenderer shall not, without the Procuring entity's prior written consent, make use of any document or information enumerated in paragraph 3.5.1 above
- 3.5.3 Any document, other than the Contract itself, enumerated in paragraph 3.5.1 shall remain the property of the Procuring entity and shall be returned (all copies) to the Procuring entity on completion of the Tenderer's performance under the Contract if so required by the Procuring entity

3.6 **Patent Rights**

3.6.1 The tenderer shall indemnify the Procuring entity against all thirdparty claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the Goods or any part thereof in the Procuring entity's country

3.7 **Performance Security**

- 3.7.1 Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of Contract award, the successful tenderer shall furnish to the Procuring entity the performance security in the amount specified in Special Conditions of Contract.
- 3.7.2 The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the Procuring entity as compensation for any loss resulting from the Tenderer's failure to complete its obligations under the Contract.
- 3.7.3 The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the Contract, or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the

Procuring entity and shall be in the form of a bank guarantee or an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a reputable bank located in Kenya or abroad, acceptable to the Procuring entity, in the form provided in the tender documents.

3.7.4 The performance security will be discharged by the Procuring entity and returned to the Candidate not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the Tenderer's performance obligations under the Contract, including any warranty obligations, under the Contract

3.8 **Inspection and Tests**

- 3.8.1 The Procuring entity or its representative shall have the right to inspect and/or to test the materials to confirm their conformity to the Contract specifications. The Procuring entity shall notify the tenderer in writing in a timely manner, of the identity of any representatives retained for these purposes.
- 3.8.2 The inspections and tests may be conducted in the premises of the tenderer or its subcontractor(s), at point of delivery, and/or at the Goods' final destination If conducted on the premises of the tenderer or its subcontractor(s), all reasonable facilities and assistance, including access to drawings and production data, shall be furnished to the inspectors at no charge to the Procuring entity.
- 3.8.3 Should any inspected or tested goods fail to conform to the Specifications, the Procuring entity may reject the materials and the tenderer shall either replace the rejected materials or make alterations necessary to make specification requirements free of costs to the Procuring entity.
- 3.8.4 The Procuring entity's right to inspect, test and where necessary, reject the goods after the Goods' arrival shall in no way be limited or waived by reason of goods having previously been inspected, tested and passed by the Procuring entity or its representative prior to the equipment delivery.
- 3.8.5 Nothing in paragraph 3.8 shall in any way release the tenderer from any warranty or other obligations under this Contract.

3.9 Packing

3.9.1 The tenderer shall provide such packing/loads/pieces of the materials as is required quoted in the Contract.

3.10 **Delivery and Documents**

3.10.1 Delivery of the materials shall be made by the tenderer in accordance with the terms specified by Procuring entity in its Schedule of Requirements and the Special Conditions of Contract

3.11 Insurance

3.11.1 The Goods supplied under the Contract shall be fully insured against loss or damage incidental to manufacturer or acquisition, transportation, storage, and delivery in the manner specified in the Special conditions of contract.

3.12 **Payment**

- 3.12.1 The method and conditions of payment to be made to the tenderer under this Contract shall be specified in Special Conditions of Contract
- 3.12.2 Payments shall be made promptly by the Procuring entity as specified in the contract

3.13 Prices

- 3.13.1 Prices charged by the tenderer for goods delivered and services performed under the Contract shall not, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in Special Conditions of Contract, vary from the prices by the tenderer in its tender.
- 3.13.2 Contract price variations shall not be allowed for contracts not exceeding one year (12 months)
- 3.13.3 Where contract price variation is allowed, the variation shall not exceed 10% of the original contract price.
- 3.13.4 Price variation request shall be processed by the procuring entity within 30 days of receiving the request.

3.14. Assignment

3.14.1 The tenderer shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under this Contract, except with the Procuring entity's prior written consent

3.15 Subcontracts

3.15.1 The tenderer shall not have the rights to sub contract.

3.16 Termination for default

- 3.16.1 The Procuring entity may, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of Contract, by written notice of default sent to the tenderer, terminate this Contract in whole or in part
 - (a) if the tenderer fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the Contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the Procuring entity
 - (b) if the tenderer fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the Contract
 - (c) if the tenderer, in the judgment of the Procuring entity has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the Contract
- 3.16.2 In the event the Procuring entity terminates the Contract in whole or in part, it may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, equipment similar to those undelivered, and the tenderer shall be liable to the Procuring entity for any excess costs for such similar goods.

3.17 Liquidated Damages

3.17.1. If the tenderer fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the contract, the procuring entity shall, without prejudice to its other remedies under the contract, deduct from the contract prices liquidated damages sum equivalent to 0.5% of the delivered price of the delayed items up to a maximum deduction of 10% of the delayed goods. After this the tenderer may consider termination of the contract.

3.18 **Resolution of Disputes**

- 3.18.1 The procuring entity and the tenderer shall make every effort to resolve amicably by direct informal negotiation and disagreement or dispute arising between them under or in connection with the contract
- 3.18.2 If, after thirty (30) days from the commencement of such informal negotiations both parties have been unable to resolve amicably a contract dispute, either party may require adjudication in an agreed national or international forum, and/or international arbitration.

3.19 Language and Law

3.19.1 The language of the contract and the law governing the contract shall be English language and the Laws of Kenya respectively unless otherwise stated.

3.20 Force Majeure

3.20.1 The tenderer shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance security or termination for default if and to the extent that it's delay in performance or other failure to perform its obligations under the Contract is the result of an event of Force Majeure.

SECTION IV - SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

- 4.1. Special Conditions of Contract shall supplement the General Conditions of Contract. Whenever there is a conflict, between the GCC and the SCC, the provisions of the SCC herein shall prevail over these in the GCC.
- 42. Special conditions of contract.

REFERENCE	SPECIAL CONDITIONS.
3.9	Packaging The tenderer shall provide such packaging of materials as is specified.
3.10.1 ,3.11.1	Delivery The goods must be delivered at the time and place indicated in the Local purchase order (LPO) the requirements may be adjusted by giving a short notice.

3.12.1	Payment Payments shall commence after delivery inspection and acceptance of goods supplied. And submission of delivery note and invoice by the tenderer.
3.12.3	 Bidding A firm should not bid formore than one lot. This includes different firms with same directorship. LOT 1 - RUIRU, JUJA AND THIKA SUB COUNTIES LOT 2 - KIAMBU,KIAMBAA AND GITHUNGURI SUB COUNTIES. LOT 3 - GATUNDU NORTH, SOUTH AND LARI SUB COUNTIES. LOT 4- LIMURU, KIKUYU AND KABETE SUB COUNTIES

SECTION V - TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

5.1 General

- 5.1.1 These specifications describe the requirements for goods. Tenderers are requested to submit with their offers the detailed specifications of the products they intend to supply.
- 5.1.2 Tenderers must indicate on the specifications sheets whether the materials offered comply with each specified requirement.
- 5.1.3 All the dimensions and capacities of the materials to be supplied shall not be less than those required in these specifications. Deviations from the basic requirements, if any shall be explained in detail in writing with the offer, with supporting data such as calculation sheets, etc. The procuring entity reserves the right to reject the products, if

such deviations shall be found critical to the use and operation of the products.

- 5.1.4 The tenderers are requested to present information along with their offers as follows:
 - (i) Shortest possible delivery period of each product
 - (ii) Information on source of their materials.

5.2 PARTICULARS

Evaluation criteria

A. MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

- i. Copy of valid tax compliance certificate
- ii. Copy of VAT/PIN certificate
- iii. Copy of certificate of registration /incorporation
- iv. Proven Physical location of the firm/company(attach copies of tenancy agreements or title deed,utility bills)
- v. Copy of Valid single business permit.
- vi. Current CR 12/CR13 form or equivalent for business name registration/company. Atleast one year.
- vii. A properly filled signed stamped confidential business questionnaire.
- viii. A properly filled signed stamped form of tender.
- ix. The tenderer must specify area of interest(LOT).
- *x.* Submit an original and Copy of tender document both clearly marked original/copy.

Note: Tenderers who fail to meet these criteria shall **not** proceed any further.

• Due diligence will be done on all documents.

B. <u>TECHNICAL EVALUATION REQUIREMENTS</u>

1.	Current Letter of credit wor and stamped.	thiness from your banker duly signed	20mks
2.	Proof of ownership/Leasing least 3 Trucks (5)marks each		15mks
3.	Provide a written undertaking to supply/replace substandard materials for each item quoted. This must be signed and stamped by the authorized person. Within 3 working days 20mrks Within 7 working days 10mrks Above 7 working days 5mrks		20mks
4.	and their cvs, Director's curr	cluding History, list of directors rent tax compliance certificate stal address(5marks each)andco	20mks

5.	Ownership documents/Letter of authorization from the quarry ownersor dealer stating your agency/dealership arrangements. To promote locals businesses, the mines/dealers must be within Kiambu county.	20mks
6	Reliable communication services eg fixed line(s),telephone,fax,poastal address,E-mail,website and mobile phone.	5mks

PASS MARK TO FINANCIAL EVALUATION WILL BE 70%

C. FINANCIAL EVALUATION

After the technical evaluation, successful bidders Shall be subjected to financial evaluation using the formula below to determine the lowest evaluated price

Formula to be used for Financial Evaluation

E=A+C/D

The award shall be the lowest evaluated bidders at price E.

The market price of the procuring entity will be used to determine the price. The procuring entity shall consider the prices quoted +10% or -10% of the market price. The award shall be based within the range by taking the sum of quotes and eventually the average. Where:

A= range of prices not exceeding 10% above B

B= is the market price

C=range of prices not exceeding 10% below B

D=the number of bidders between A and C

E=the lowest evaluated price

SECTION VI - SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

No	Item Description quality of materia		Unit of measure	Unit Price (kshs)	Remarks if any
1	Gravel (Lateritic a Waste/Chippings)		M ³		
	Parameter	Requirement			
	California Bearing Ratio	Above 30			
	Maximum Dry Density	Above 1400Kg/M ³			
	Moisture Content	75%-105%			
	Plasticity Index	Above 20			

	Swell	2% -5%		
	Plastic Modulus	250-450		
		200 100		
2	Hardcore		M ³	
	Los Angeles	Not to exceed		
	Abrasion (L.A.A.)	40%		
	Aggregate	Not to exceed		
	Crushing Value (A.C.C.)	40%		
	Sodium	Not to exceed		
	Sulphate	12		
	Soundness			
3	Sand		M ³	
4	Cement		50 Kg Bag	
5	Natural Stones		Square feet	
6	Concrete		M ³	
7	Binding Wire- gauge "16"		25 Kg	
8	Wire Mess –gauge	18	4x8	
9	Wire Mess- gauge	16	4x8	
10	Wire Mess- gauge	14	4x8	
11	Wire Mess- gauge	12.5	4x8	
12	Concrete culvert ri	ng dia 600mm	M	
13	Concrete culvert ring dia 450mm		M	
14	Concrete culvert ring dia 900mm		М	
15	Bituminous mix: A	Asphalt Concrete	Litres	
16	type 1 Bituminous emulsions: MC 30		Litres	
17	Bituminous emulsi	ions: MC 70	Litres	
18	Bituminous emulsi	ion: K160	Litres	

1.	The tenderers must attach laboratory test results from Ministry of Transport, Infrastructure, Housing, Urban
	Development and Public Works, State department of
	Infrastructure, Materials Testing and Research Division
	during material delivery.
	The client will carry out confirmatory tests and will source the samples from the tenderers quarry for free in case of need.
3.	A firm participating in more than one lot will be disqualified. The case of same directors in different firms also applies.

Signature of tenderer _____

Note:

SECTION VIII - STANDARD FORMS

Notes on the sample Forms

- 1. Form of Tender The form of tender must be completed by the tenderer and submitted with the tender documents. It must also be duly signed by duly authorized representatives of the tenderer.
- 2. Confidential Business Questionnaire Form This form must be completed by the tenderer and submitted with the tender documents.
- 3. Tender Security Form When required by the tender documents the tender shall provide the tender security either in the form included herein or in another format acceptable to the procuring entity.
- 4. Contract Form The Contract Form shall not be completed by the tenderer at the time of submitting the tender. The Contract Form shall be completed after contract award and should incorporate the accepted contract price.
- 5. Performance Security Form The performance security form should not be completed by the tenderers at the time of tender preparation. Only the successful tenderer will be required to provide performance security in the form provided herein or in another form acceptable to the procuring entity.
- 6. Bank Guarantee for Advance Payment Form When Advance payment is requested for by the successful bidder and agreed by the procuring entity, this form must be completed fully and duly signed by the authorized officials of the bank.
- 7. Manufacturers Authorization Form When required by the ender documents this form must be completed and submitted with the tender documents. This form will be completed by the manufacturer of the goods where the tenderer is an agent.

8.1 FORM OF TENDER

Date _____ Tender No. _____

То:_____

[name and address of procuring entity]

Gentlemen and/or Ladies:

in accordance with the Schedule of Prices attached herewith and made part of this Tender.

2. We undertake, if our Tender is accepted, to supply/deliver the materials in accordance with the delivery schedules specified in the Schedule of Requirements.

4. We agree to abid by this Tender for a period of days from the date fixed for tender opening of the Instructions to tenderers, and it shall remain binding upon us and may be accepted at any time before the expiration of that period.

5. This Tender, together with your written acceptance thereof and your notification of award, shall constitute a Contract, between us. Subject to signing of the Contract by the parties.

6. We understand that you are not bound to accept the lowest or any tender you may receive.

Dated this _____ day of _____ 20 ____

[signature]

[in the capacity of]

Duly authorized to sign tender for an on behalf of _____

8.2 CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS QUESTIONNAIRE FORM

You are requested to give the particulars indicated in Part 1 and either Part 2(a), 2(b) or 2 (c) whichever applied to your type of business You are advised that it is a serious offence to give false information on this form

Part 1 – General:					
		Street/Road			
Postal Address	Tel No	Fax	E mail		
Nature of Business					
Registration Certificate No					
Maximum value of business which you can handle at any one time – Kshs.					
Name of your bankers		Branch			

Nationality	Age			
	• Citizenship details			
	•			
Part 2 (b) Partnership	-			
Given details of partner	rs as follows:			
Name	Nationality	Citizenship Details	S	
1	- -	-		
2				
3				
4				
Part 2 (c) – Registered				
Private or Public				
	ssued capital of company-			
Given details of all dire				
Name	Nationality	Citizenship Details	S	

• If a Kenya Citizen, indicate under "Citizenship Details" whether by Birth, Naturalization or registration.

8.3 TENDER SECURITY FORM

(hereinafter called "the tenderer") has submitted its tender dated *equipment*] (hereinafter called "the of the Tender") KNOW ALL PEOPLE by these presents that WE of our registered office having at (hereinafter called "the Bank"), are bound unto [name of Procuring entity] (hereinafter called "the Procuring entity") in the sum of for which payment well and truly to be made to the said Procuring entity, the Bank binds itself, its successors, and assigns by these presents. Sealed with the Common Seal of the said Bank this day of 20 .

THE CONDITIONS of this obligation are:-

- 1. If the tenderer withdraws its Tender during the period of tender validity specified by the tenderer on the Tender Form; or
- 2. If the tenderer, having been notified of the acceptance of its Tender by the Procuring entity during the period of tender validity:
- (a) fails or refuses to execute the Contract Form, if required; or
- (b) fails or refuses to furnish the performance security in accordance with the Instructions to tenderers;

We undertake to pay to the Procuring entity up to the above amount upon receipt of its first written demand, without the Procuring entity having to substantiate its demand, provided that in its demand the Procuring entity will note that the amount claimed by it is due to it, owing to the occurrence of one or both of the two conditions, specifying the occurred condition or conditions.

This tender guarantee will remain in force up to and including thirty (30) days after the period of tender validity, and any demand in respect thereof should reach the Bank not later than the above date. [signature of the bank]______(Amend accordingly if provided by Insurance Company)

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8.4 CONTRACT FORM

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS:

1. In this Agreement words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract referred to:

2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this Agreement viz:

- (a) the Tender Form and the Price Schedule submitted by the tenderer
- (b) the Schedule of Requirements
- (c) the Technical Specifications
- (d) the General Conditions of Contract
- (e) the Special Conditions of contract; and
- (f) the Procuring entity's Notification of Award

3. In consideration of the payments to be made by the Procuring entity to the tenderer as hereinafter mentioned, the tender hereby covenants with the Procuring entity to provide the goods and to remedy defects therein in conformity in all respects with the provisions of the Contract

4. The Procuring entity hereby covenants to pay the tenderer in consideration of the provisions of the goods and the remedying of defects therein, the Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the provisions of the Contract at the times and in the manner prescribed by the contract.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in accordance with their respective laws the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed, delivered by ______ the _____ (for the Procuring entity

Signed, sealed, delivered by ______ the _____ (for the tenderer in the presence of ______

(Amend accordingly if provided by Insurance Company)

8.5 PERFORMANCE SECURITY FORM

To [name of Procuring entity]

 WHEREAS
 [name of tenderer]

 (hereinafter called "the tenderer") has undertaken , in pursuance of Contract

 No.
 [reference number of the contract] dated

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 to supply

 [description of goods] (hereinafter called "the Contract").

AND WHEREAS it has been stipulated by you in the said Contract that the tenderer shall furnish you with a bank guarantee by a reputable bank for the sum specified therein as security for compliance with the Tenderer's performance obligations in accordance with the Contract.

AND WHEREAS we have agreed to give the tenderer a guarantee:

This guarantee is valid until the _____ day of _____ 20 ____

Signed and seal of the Guarantors

[name of bank or financial institution]

[address]

[date]

8.6 BANK GUARANTEE FOR ADVANCE PAYMENT FORM

To [name of Procuring entity]

[name of tender]

Gentlemen and/or Ladies:

We further agree that no change or addition to or other modification of the terms of the Contract to be performed there-under or of any of the Contract documents which may be made between the Procuring entity and the tenderer, shall in any way release us from any liability under this guarantee, and we hereby waive notice of any such change, addition, or modification.

Yours truly,

Signature and seal of the Guarantors

[name of bank or financial institution]

[address]

[date]

8.7 MANUFACTURER'S AUTHORIZATION FORM

To [name of the Procuring entity]

We hereby extend our full guarantee and warranty as per the General Conditions of Contract for the goods offered for supply by the above firm against this Invitation for Tenders.

[signature for and on behalf of manufacturer]

Note: This letter of authority should be on the letterhead of the Manufacturer and should be signed by a person competent.

8.8 LETTER OF NOTIFICATION OF AWARD

Address of Procuring Entity

To:_____

RE: Tender No._____

Tender Name_____

This is to notify that the contract/s stated below under the above mentioned tender have been awarded to you.

- 1. Please acknowledge receipt of this letter of notification signifying your acceptance.
- 2. The contract/contracts shall be signed by the parties within 30 days of the date of this letter but not earlier than 14 days from the date of the letter.
- 3. You may contact the officer(s) whose particulars appear below on the subject matter of this letter of notification of award.

(FULL PARTICULARS)

SIGNED FOR ACCOUNTING OFFICER

8.9 FORM RB 1

REPUBLIC OF KENYA

PUBLIC PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW BOARD

APPLICATION NO......OF......20.....

BETWEEN

......APPLICANT

AND

Request for review of the decision of the (Name of the Procuring Entity) of
dated theday of20in the matter of Tender Noof
REQUEST FOR REVIEW
I/We,the above named Applicant(s), of address: Physical
address
Procurement Administrative Review Board to review the whole/part of the above mentioned
decision on the following grounds, namely:-
1.
2.
etc.
By this memorandum, the Applicant requests the Board for an order/orders that: -
1.
2.
etc
SIGNED(Applicant)
Dated onday of

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Lodged with the Secretary Public Procurement Administrative Review Board on day of20......

SIGNED Board Secretary