Residents Cooperate in Security in a Remote Afghan Village

KABUL - Residents of a remote village in Dand Aw Patan district in the eastern Paktika province are cooperating with local forces in ensuring their security for the past many years as they said that sometimes they have picked up guns for this purpose.

Dand Aw Patan district is located along the Durand Line from Afghanistan and Pakistan, and sometimes the area witnesses tensions between border forces of the two countries and that is when the residents pick up guns and take part in the crackdowns. The Afghans in Dand Aw Patan hold around 200 families lives along the Durand Line from where the border forces and Pakistan's military installation on the other side of the line is visible.

The residents of the village hold regular unofficial meetings with the local security forces in open spaces to discuss the situations of the village and its surrounding areas. "Children, youths and elders all are ready to sacrifice their lives for maintaining the security of our country," said Mohammad Amir, 40, a resident of Afai village.

The residents said that sometimes they have confronted Pakistanis border forces in order to safeguard their village and support Afghan security forces in maintaining security. "The residents are standing together with residents of the area and resolve any problems together," said Juma Din, a resident of the village. (More on P14/B)

Invitation for Bids

Date: 07 April 2019
Loan Grant No. and Title: G-0058 Road Asset Management Project
Contract No. and Title: Procurement of GIS Hardware
PMO/MPW/G-012/OCB
Deadline for Submission of Bids: 07 May 2019

1. The Government Islamic Republic of Afghanistan has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of Road Asset Management Project under Grant 0058, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this financing to payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

2. The Program Management Office Ministry of Transport ("the Purchaser") invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for Procurement of GIS Hardware.

3. National competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB's procurement procedure and is open to all bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.

4. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, bidders should contact:

Mohammad Azam Jawed
Head of Procurement
Program Management Office
Ministry of Transport
District 18, Kabul Afghanistan
Email: azjmjawed@gmail.com
Cell #: +93(0) 700706873

5. To obtain the Bidding Documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- write to the address above requesting the Bidding Documents for Procurement of GIS Hardware;
- The document will be sent by email or flash memory. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

6. Deliver your bid:
- to the address Program Management Office, Ministry of Transport
- on or before the deadline: 07 May 2019
- Together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline for bid submission in the presence of bidders’ representatives who choose to attend.

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Item Description
Procurement of MaziP ISF Core & Distribution Network Equipment for Afghan Telecom

Ref. No
NPA/MCT/989/G-244/ICB

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The Bids must be accompanied with Bid Security in the form of a Bank Guarantee provided in the Bidding Documents at the amount USD 16,000 (US Dollar Sixteen Thousand) or equivalent amount in any currency freely convertible to US Dollar And valid for 148 days after the bids submission deadline.

Deadline for Bid Submission
19/May/2019, 10:00 (AM) hrs. (Local Kabul Time), Electronic submission of Bid is not allowed. Late bid will be rejected.

Address for Bid Submission
Secretary of Bid Opening, Deputy of Operation and Resources, National Procurement Authority (NPA); Administrative Office of the President (AOP). Pashtunestan Watt, Kabul, Afghanistan.

Email Add: sabirullah.slokozroj@npa.gov.af

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Bid Security
The Bids must be accompanied with Bid Security in the form of a Bank Guarantee provided in the Bidding Documents at the amount USD 150,000 (One Hundred and Fifty Thousand USD); Or equivalent amount in any currency freely convertible to US Dollar. And valid for 148 days after the bids submission deadline.

Deadline for Bid Submission
16 May 2019, 10:00 (AM) hrs. (Local Kabul Time), Electronic submission of Bid is not allowed. Late bid will be rejected.

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Secretary of Bid Opening, Deputy of Operation and Resources, National Procurement Authority (NPA); Administrative Office of the President (AOP). Pashtunestan Watt, Kabul, Afghanistan.

Telephone No: +93 (0) 20-214-7389, +93 (0) 791 043 505
Email Add: sabirullah.slokozroj@npa.gov.af

Website
A complete set of bidding Documents in English may be obtained by interested bidders free of cost by downloading from the NPA website www.npagov.af and Or may be obtained in a flash memory from the NPA office (1st Floor, Project Analysis and Program Development Directorate, National Procurement Authority (NPA), Administrative Office of the President (AOP), Pashtunestan Watt, Kabul, Afghanistan / Islamic Republic of Afghanistan). In case of any difficulty in downloading from website, interested bidders may contact e-mail address: namir.mohammadi@npa.gov.af copied to azjmjawed@gmail.com

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