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REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS

NOTICE NO:2023/2024-128

PROJECT NAME: GRASS CUTTING & COLLECTION IN BUXTON PARK & NEW JERUSALEM FOR 2 MONTHS

NAME OF THE COMPANY:______

CONTACT PERSON: ______

CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATA BASE NO (CSD): ______

BID AMOUNT: R______ (AMOUNT TO BE INCLUSIVE OF VAT)

BID AMOUNT IN WORDS_____

Issued by:

BUDGET AND TREASURY OFFICE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT UNIT MOUNTAIN VIEW OFFICES MATATIELE 4730 Enquires:

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1. CHECKLIST

PLEASE ENSURE THAT THE FOLLOWING FORMS HAVE BEEN DULY COMPLETED AND SIGNED AND

THAT ALL DOCUMENTS AS REQUESTED, ARE ATTACHED TO THE TENDER DOCUMENT:

MBD 1 Invitation to tender?	Yes	No	
Authority to Sign a Bid Is the form duly completed and is a certified copy of the resolution attached?	Yes	No	
Tax Clearance Certificate Is an ORIGINAL and VALID Tax Clearance Certificate attached?	Yes	No	
MBD 4 (Declaration of Interest) Is the form duly completed and signed?	Yes	No	
MBD 6.1 (Preference Points claim form for purchases/services) Is the form duly completed and signed?	Yes	No	
MBD 6.2 (Local Content Declaration) Is the form duly completed and signed?	Yes	No	
MBD 8 (Declaration of Past Supply Chain Practices) Is the form duly completed and signed?	Yes	No	
MBD 9 (Certificate of Independent Bid Determination) Is the form duly completed and signed?	Yes	No	
MBD 15 (Certificate of Payment of Municipal Accounts) Is the form duly completed and signed? Are the Identity numbers, residential addresses and municipal account numbers of ALL members, partners, directors, etc. provided on the form	Yes	No	
SCHEDULE A – CONFIRMATION OF REGISTRATION OF TENDERER ON MATATIELE SUPPLIER DATABASE AND NATIONAL TREASURY DATABASE			
SCHEDULE B – TENDERER'S PAST EXPERIENCE			
MBD 7.1 (Contract form – Goods)Is the form duly completed and signed?	Yes	No	

SIGNATURE	NAME	
CAPACITY	DATE	
NAME OF FIRM		



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MATATIELE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY REOUEST FOR OUOTATIONS

	REQUESTION QUOTITIONS						
ADVERTISED ON:	MUNICIPAL NOTICE B	BOARD, MUNICIPAL W	VEBSITE.				
TENDER DESCRIPTION		NOTICE NO.					
GRASS CUTTING & COLL	ECTION IN BUXTON	2023/2024-128					
PARK & NEW JERUSALEN	4 FOR 2 MONTHS						
GRASS CUTTING & COLL	ECTION IN THE	2023/2024-129					
OLD AND NEW HARRY GV	WALA PARK AREA						
FOR 2 MONTHS							
PUBLISHED DATE:	01/12/2023	CLOSING DATE:	07/12/2023				
CLOSING TIME:	10h00: Tenders will be	opened immediately the	reafter, in public at				
	Matatiele Local Municipal	ity Mountain View BTO (Offices R56				
AVA	AILABILITY OF TENDE	R DOCUMENTS					
Bid Documents will be available on Municipal Website as from 01 December 2023							
	TENDER SUBMISSION	N RULES:					

- Tenders must be completed in accordance with the tender conditions and tender rules contained in the tender document.
- The tender document and compulsory attachments/supporting documents must be placed in a sealed envelope and externally endorsed with: Tender Number; Description and Closing Date of the Tender.
- Tender documents must only be submitted on the tender document issued by Matatiele Local Municipality, each tender must submit separately.

Tender documents must be completed in blank ink only.

MANDATORY DOCUMENTS- FAILURE TO SUBMIT ANYONE OF THEM WILL INVALIDATE YOUR TENDER OFFER.

- •A confirmation from SARS with a verification PIN •Proof of Central Supplier Database (CSD) registration- a full report printed •Completed of all MBD 1-9 and its Annexures in full as attached in tender document •Ethics Commitment Form •Authority to sign Form Prices quoted must be firm and must be inclusive of VAT •Original Certified I.D. Copies of Managing Directors / Owners •Joint Ventures Agreement signed by all parties involved.
- Tenders will be evaluated in terms of Matatiele Local Municipality Supply Chain Management • Policy Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act No.5 of 2000 • Section 217 of the Constitution Act No 108 of 1996

EVALUATION CRITERIA

The Bids will be evaluated on the basis of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act is 80/20 in line with the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (PPPFA) of November 2022.

80/20 Evaluation Criteria								
Preferential Goals	80/20	Documents required for verification						
Maximum Points	20							
Goal 1- Ownership (Historically	6	ID Copy of the owner/director and CSD						
Disadvantaged Individuals-HDI)								
Goal 2- Youth Ownership 14-35 Years	6	CSD, ● Proof of municipal accounts or ●Proof of						
(MLM Enterprises)		residence signed by ward councillor or ●Affidavit						
Goal 3- Women Ownership	4	ID Copy of the owner/director and CSD						
Goal 4-Disability Ownership	2	ID Copy of the owner/director and CSD						
Goal 5-Rural Enterprises	2	CSD, • Proof of municipal accounts or • Proof of						
		residence signed by ward councillor or •Affidavit						
Tender Price	80	1						
TOTAL	100 PC	DINTS						

TENDER ENQUIRIES

All SCM enquiries relating to this bid must be directed to Z.C Matolo, e-mail: zmatolo@matatiele.gov.za during office hours (07h30 - 16h00) weekdays. All Technical enquiries relating to this bid must be directed to D.L. Leeu, e-mail: DLeeu@matatiele.gov.za during office hours

TENDER DISCLAIMER

The Matatiele Local Municipality reserves the right not to appoint a contractor on highest points scored. Value for money, past experience and functionality will be the key determinants of appointment. The Municipality will not make any award to a person or persons working for the state, or failing to possess relevant credentials as stipulated in the tender requirements.

Bidders are warned not to accept any person who request any amount for award for this bid, it is a scam and fraud, that person must be reported to the nearest police station.

Mr L.Matiwane	
Municipal Manager	

PART A INVITATION TO BID

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR	REQUIREMENTS OF THE (A	IAME OF	MUNICI	PALITY/ MUNIC	CIPAL	,			
BID NUMBER: 2023/2024-128	I I	07 DECE							
	OLLECTION IN BUXTON PAR								
THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REC		N A WRI	TTEN C	ONTRACT FOR	RM (M	BD7).			
	BID RESPONSE DOCUMENTS MAY BE DEPOSITED IN THE BID BOX								
SITUATED AT (STREET ADDRESS									
Matatiele Local Municipality									
New BTO Offices									
New DTO Offices									
Matatiele									
Matatiolo									
4730									
SUPPLIER INFORMATION									
NAME OF BIDDER									
POSTAL ADDRESS									
STREET ADDRESS					1				
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE			NUMBER					
CELLPHONE NUMBER			1						
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE			NUMBER					
E-MAIL ADDRESS									
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER									
TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS	TCS PIN:		OR	CSD No:					
ARE YOU THE ACCREDITED				YOU A FOREIG		☐Yes ☐No			
REPRESENTATIVE IN SOUTH AFRICA	☐Yes ☐N	0		D SUPPLIER F	OR	MENTER ANDVAGE BARTER			
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TOTAL NUMBER OF ITEMS OFFERED			IUIA	L BID PRICE		R			
SIGNATURE OF BIDDER									
			DATE						
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS									
SIGNED		l ====							
BIDDING PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY I						BE DIRECTED TO:			
DEPARTMENT	BTO MATOLO		CT PEF			MS D.L. LEEU			
CONTACT PERSON	MR Z.C MATOLO	1	TELEPHONE NUMBER			0397378100			
TELEPHONE NUMBER	0397378263								
FACSIMILE NUMBER E-MAIL ADDRESS	0397373811	E-IVIAIL	AUUK	200		DLeeu@matatiele.gov.za			
E-INIVIT ADDRESS	ZMatolo@matatiele.gov.za								

PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

1.	RID 20RMI22ION:							
	BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDICONSIDERATION.	RESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR						
1.2.	ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED (NOT TO B	E RE-TYPED) OR ONLINE						
1.3.	THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.							
2.	TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS							
2.1	BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.							
2.2	BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VIEW THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.	ON NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE						
2.3	APPLICATION FOR THE TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) CERTIFICATE OR PIN I USE THIS PROVISION, TAXPAYERS WILL NEED TO REGISTER WITH S. WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.							
2.4	FOREIGN SUPPLIERS MUST COMPLETE THE PRE-AWARD QUESTIONNAIRE IN PA	RT B:3.						
2.5	BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE	BID.						
2.6	IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOTOS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.	DLVED, EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE						
2.7	WHERE NO TCS IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRUST BE PROVIDED.	RAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER						
3.	QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS							
3.1.	IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)?	☐ YES ☐ NO						
3.2.	DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA?	☐ YES ☐ NO						
3.3.	DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THE RSA?	☐ YES ☐ NO						
3.4.	DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?	☐ YES ☐ NO						
3.5.	IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION?	☐ YES ☐ NO						
IF TH SYST	HE ANSWER IS "NO" TO ALL OF THE ABOVE, THEN IT IS NOT A REQUIREMENT I TEM PIN CODE FROM THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE (SARS) AND IF NO	O REGISTER FOR A TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS T REGISTER AS PER 2.3 ABOVE.						
	FAILURE TO PROVIDE ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID I BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE.	NVALID.						
SIGN	NATURE OF BIDDER:							
CAPA	CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED:							
DATE	E:							
ANY	Y ENQUIRIES REGARDING THE BIDDING PROCEDURE MAY BE DIRECTED T	·O:						
Mun	Municipality / Municipal Entity: Matatiele Local Municipality							
	partment: Budget and Treasury Office ntact Person: Chain Management and Fleet Manager: Mr Z.C Matolo							

Tel: 039 737 8205 **Fax**: 039 737 3611

DID CHIDINGCION

ANY ENQUIRIES REGARDING TECHNICAL INFORMATION MAY BE DIRECTED TO:

Contact Person: Manager Envoronment and Waste: Ms. D.L. Leeu

Tel: 039 737 8211

Fax: 039 737 3611

3. AUTHOURITY TO SIGN

1.	SOLE PROPRIETOR (SINGLE OWNER BUSINESS) AND NATURAL PERSON								
	1.1. l,				, the	unde	ersigned, her	eby co	nfirm that I am
	the sole owner of the business trading as								
	OR								
	1.2. I,, the undersigned, hereby confirm that I a								
	submitting this tende	er in my capacity as nate	ural p	erson.					
	SIGNATURE:				DATE:				
	PRINT NAME:								
	WITNESS 1:			,	WITNESS	S 2:			
	If a Bidder is a COMPANY, a certified copy of the resolution by the board of directors, duly signed, authorising the person who signs this bid to do so, as well as to sign any contract resulting from this bid and any other documents and correspondence in connection with this bid and/or contract on behalf of the company must be submitted with this bid, that is, before the closing time and date of the bid In the case of a CLOSE CORPORATION (CC) submitting a bid, a resolution by its members, orizing a member or other official of the corporation to sign the documents on their behalf, shall be used with the bid.								
	PARTICULARS OF RESC	ORS OF 1	THE (COMPANY/N	ИЕМВІ	ERS OF THE CO			
	Date Resolution was taken	Date Resolution was taken							
	Resolution signed by (name	Resolution signed by (name and surname)							
	Capacity								
	Name and surname of delega	ted Authorised Signatory							
	Capacity								
	Specimen Signature								
	Full name and surname of Al	L Director(s) / Member (s)							
	1.			2.					
	3.			4.					
	5.			6.					
	7.			8.					
	9.			10.					
	Is a CERTIFIED COPY o	f the resolution attach	ned?		Y	′ES		NO	
	SIGNED ON BEHALF OF COMPANY / CC:				DATE:				

	PRINT NAME:								
	WITNESS 1:			WITN	ESS 2:				
3.	PARTNERSHIP We, the undersigned partners in the business trading as								
	The following particulars in respect of every partner must be furnished and signed by every partner: Full name of partner Signature								
	у изглато стратите								
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	SIGNED ON BEHALF OF PARTNERSHIP:		DATE:						
	PRINT NAME:								
	WITNESS 1:			WITNESS 2	:				
ıe	CONSORTIUM We, the undersigned cor () To sign this offer as w correspondence in connected following particulars in re-	Name of entivell as any	ty) to act as lead concentract resulting the	nsortium pa from this to ntract for a	artner an ender a and on b	nd further auth and any othe behalf of the c	norize Mr./Ms. r documents and onsortium.		
	Full Name of Consortiun	n Member	Role of Consor	tium Membei	r	% Participation	Signature		
	SIGNED ON BEHALF OF PARTNERSHIP:					DATE:			
	PRINT NAME:								
	WITNESS 1:			V	VITNESS 2	2:			



Ethics Commitment for Suppliers of the Matatiele Local Municipality

In our dealings with the Matatiele Local Municipality we commit to uphold high standards of ethics. Among other things this means:

- We will be honest and deal in good faith;
- We will not try to improperly influence any municipal official or decision;
- We will avoid all conflicts of interest;
- We will not engage in any form of corruption (e.g. paying bribes, giving kickbacks);
- We will not give gifts to municipal officials or councillors;
- We will not be involved in collusion with other service providers (i.e. price-fixing);
- We will ensure that all information we submit to the municipality is accurate and truthful (e.g. we will not engage in BBBEE fronting).
- We will inform the Municipality of any unethical behaviour which we become aware of in the procurement process, either related to other suppliers or to municipal officials.*
- We will, through all our dealings, contribute to building a positive ethical culture in the Matatiele Local Municipality.

This is our commitment to help build an ethical community.	
Name of Company:	
Name of authorised person:	
Signature:	
Date:	-
* If you wish to report unethical conduct you can contact or *If you a corruption within the municipality. These may be reported anonymou	·
The Municipal manager: lMatiwane@matatiele.gov.za	

4. MBD 2 TAX CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

IT IS A CONDITION OF BIDDING THAT -

- 1. The taxes of the successful bidder must be in order, or that satisfactory arrangements have been made with the Receiver of Revenue to meet his / her tax obligations.
- 2. The attached form "Application for Tax Clearance Certificate (in respect of bidders)", must be completed in all respects and submitted to the Receiver of Revenue where the bidder is registered for tax purposes. The Receiver of Revenue will then furnish the bidder with a Tax Clearance Certificate that will be valid for a period of twelve (12) months from date of issue.
- 3. In bids where Consortia / Joint Ventures / Sub-contractors are involved each party must submit a separate Tax Clearance Certificate. Copies of the Application for Tax Clearance Certificates are available at a ny Receiver's Office.

APPLICATION FOR TAX CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

(IN RESPECT OF BIDDERS)

1.	Name of taxpayer / bidder:				 	 	 	 	 	
2.	Trade name:				 	 	 	 	 	
3.	Identification number:									
4.	Company / Close Corporation registration number:									
5.	Income tax reference number:									
6.	VAT registration number (if applicable):									
7.	PAYE employer's registration number (if applicable):									
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Signa	ature of contact person requiring	Tax Clearance Certificate			 	 	 	 	 	
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Telephone number:		Code:Nui	mber:		 	 	 	 	 	
Address:					 	 	 	 	 	
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PLEASE NOTE THAT THE COMMISSIONER FOR THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE (SARS) WILL NOT EXERCISE HIS DISCRETIONARY POWERS IN FAVOUR OF ANY PERSON WITH REGARD TO ANY INTEREST, PENALTIES AND / OR ADDITIONAL TAX LEVIABLE DUE TO THE LATE- OR UNDERPAYMENT OF TAXES, DUTIES OR LEVIES OR THE RENDITION RETURNS BY ANY PERSON AS A RESULT OF ANY SYSTEM NOT BEING YEAR 2000 COMPLIANT.

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

- 1. No bid will be accepted from persons in the service of the state¹.
- 2. Any person, having a kinship with persons in the service of the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons connected with or related to persons in service of the state, it is required that the bidder or their authorised representative declare their positionin relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority.

3.	In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.
	3.1 Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:
	3.2 Identity Number:
	3.3 Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, shareholder²):
	3.4 Company Registration Number:
	3.5 Tax Reference Number:
	3.6 VAT Registration Number:
	3.7 The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders members, their individual identity numbers and state employee numbers must be indicated in paragraph 4 below.
	3.8 Are you presently in the service of the state? YES / NO
	3.8.1 If yes, furnish particulars
	CM Regulations: "in the service of the state" means to be – a member of –
	(i) any municipal council;(ii) any provincial legislature; or(iii) the national Assembly or the national Council of provinces;
(c) (d)	
(f)	an employee of Parliament or a provincial legislature.
	reholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the company or ess and exercises control over the company.
3.9	Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve months?YES / NO
	3.9.1 If yes, furnish particulars

3.10	Do you have any relationship (family, friend, other) with persons in the service of the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	YES / NO
	3.10.1 If yes, furnish particulars	
3.11	Are you, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between any other bidder and any persons in the service of the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	YES / NO
	3.11.1 If yes, furnish particulars	
3.12	Are any of the company's directors, trustees, managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state?	YES / NO
	3.12.1 If yes, furnish particulars	
3.13	Are any spouse, child or parent of the company's directors, trustees, managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state?	YES / NO
	3.13.1 If yes, furnish particulars	
3.14	Do you or any of the directors, trustees, managers, principle shareholders, or stakeholders of this company have any interest in any other related companies or business whether or not they are bidding for this contract.	
	3.14.1 If yes, furnish particulars	

Full Name	Identity Number	State Employe Number
Signature		Date
Capacity		
		Name of Bidder

PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2022

This preference form must form part of all tenders invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for specific goals.

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, TENDERERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF THE TENDER AND PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2022

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to invitations to tender:
 - the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
 - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2 To be completed by the organ of state

(delete whichever is not applicable for this tender).

- a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 90/10 preference point system.
- b) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 80/20 preference point system.
- c) Either the 90/10 or 80/20 preference point system will be applicable in this tender. The lowest/ highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the accurate system once tenders are received.
- 1.3 Points for this tender (even in the case of a tender for income-generating contracts) shall be awarded for:
 - (a) Price; and
 - (b) Specific Goals.

1.4 To be completed by the organ of state:

The maximum points for this tender are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	80
SPECIFIC GOALS	20
Total points for Price and SPECIFIC GOALS	100

- 1.5 Failure on the part of a tenderer to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender to claim points for specific goals with the tender, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed.
- 1.6 The organ of state reserves the right to require of a tenderer, either before a tender is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the organ of state.

2. **DEFINITIONS**

- (a) "tender" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation to provide goods or services through price quotations, competitive tendering process or any other method envisaged in legislation;
- (b) "price" means an amount of money tendered for goods or services, and includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (c) "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;
- (d) "tender for income-generating contracts" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation for the origination of income-generating contracts through any method envisaged in legislation that will result in a legal agreement between the organ of state and a third party that produces revenue for the organ of state, and includes, but is not limited to, leasing and disposal of assets and concession contracts, excluding direct sales and disposal of assets through public auctions; and
- (e) "the Act" means the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

3. FORMULAE FOR PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES

3.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.1.1 THE 80/20 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

80/20 or 90/10

$$Ps = 80\left(1 - \frac{Pt - Pmin}{Pmin}\right)$$
 or $Ps = 90\left(1 - \frac{Pt - Pmin}{Pmin}\right)$

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable tender

3.2. FORMULAE FOR DISPOSAL OR LEASING OF STATE ASSETS AND INCOME GENERATING PROCUREMENT

3.2.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

$$Ps = 80\left(1 + \frac{Pt - Pmax}{Pmax}\right)$$
 or $Ps = 90\left(1 + \frac{Pt - Pmax}{Pmax}\right)$

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR SPECIFIC GOALS

- 4.1. In terms of Regulation 4(2); 5(2); 6(2) and 7(2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded for specific goals stated in the tender. For the purposes of this tender the tenderer will be allocated points based on the goals stated in table 1 below as may be supported by proof/ documentation stated in the conditions of this tender:
- 4.2. In cases where organs of state intend to use Regulation 3(2) of the Regulations, which states that, if it is unclear whether the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system applies, an organ of state must, in the tender documents, stipulate in the case of—
 - (a) an invitation for tender for income-generating contracts, that either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will apply and that the highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system; or
 - (b) any other invitation for tender, that either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will apply and that the lowest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system.

then the organ of state must indicate the points allocated for specific goals for both the 90/10 and 80/20 preference point system.

Table 1: Specific goals for the tender and points claimed are indicated per the table below.

(Note to organs of state: Where either the 90/10 or 80/20 preference point system is applicable, corresponding points must also be indicated as such.

Note to tenderers: The tenderer must indicate how they claim points for each preference point system.)

The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender	Number of points allocated (90/10 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of points claimed (90/10 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)	Number of points claimed (80/20 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)
Goal 1- Ownership (Historically		6		
Disadvantaged Individuals-HDI)				
Goal 2- Youth Ownership 14-35		6		
Years (MLM Enterprises)				
Goal 3- Women Ownership		4		
Goal 4-Disability Ownership		2		
Goal 5-Rural Enterprises		2		

DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

4.3.	Name of company/firm					
4.4.	Company registration number:					
4.5.	TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM					
	□ Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium □ One-person business/sole propriety □ Close corporation □ Public Company □ Personal Liability Company □ (Pty) Limited □ Non-Profit Company □ State Owned Company □ TICK APPLICABLE BOX]					

- 4.6. I, the undersigned, who is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the specific goals as advised in the tender, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I acknowledge that:
 - i) The information furnished is true and correct;
 - ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;
 - iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 4.2, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the organ of state that the claims are correct;
 - iv) If the specific goals have been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the organ of state may, in addition to any other remedy it may have
 - (a) disqualify the person from the tendering process;
 - (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct;
 - (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;
 - (d) recommend that the tenderer or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the audi alteram partem (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
 - (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution, if deemed necessary

	SIGNATURE(S) OF TENDERER(S)
SURNAME AND NAME:	
DATE:	
ADDRESS:	

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DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- It serves as a declaration to be used by municipalities and municipal entities in ensuring that when goods and services are being procured, all reasonable steps are taken to combat the abuse of the supply chain management system.
- The bid of any bidder may be rejected if that bidder, or any of its directors have:
 - a. abused the municipality's / municipal entity's supply chain management system or committed any improper conduct in relation to such system;
 - b. been convicted for fraud or corruption during the past five years;
 - c. willfully neglected, reneged on or failed to comply with any government, municipal or other public sector contract during the past five years; or
 - d. been listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004).
- In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

Item	Question	Yes	No
4.1	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database of Restricted Suppliers as companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector?	Yes	No
	(Companies or persons who are listed on this Database were informed in writing of this restriction by the Accounting Officer/Authority of the institution that imposed the restriction after the <i>audi alteram partem</i> rule was applied).		
	The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website(www.treasury.gov.za) and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.		
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)? The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.	Yes	No
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court of law outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?	Yes	20 □
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
ltem	Question	Yes	No

4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, o municipality / municipal entity, that is in arrears for more to	r to any other	Yes	No			
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:						
4.5	Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality any other organ of state terminated during the past five ye failure to perform on or comply with the contract?		Yes	No			
4.7.1	If so, furnish particulars:						
CERTIFICATION							
CER	IE UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME)						
	I ACCEPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.						
Sigr	 nature E	 Date	•••••				
Pos	ition	 Name of Bidder					

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids¹ invited.
- Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).² Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- Municipal Supply Regulation 38 (1) prescribes that a supply chain management policy must provide measures for the combating of abuse of the supply chain management system, and must enable the accounting officer, among others, to:
 - a. take all reasonable steps to prevent such abuse:
 - b. reject the bid of any bidder if that bidder or any of its directors has abused the supply chain management system of the municipality or municipal entity or has committed any improper conduct in relation to such system; and
 - c. cancel a contract awarded to a person if the person committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of the contract.
- This MBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.
- In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (MBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

¹ Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.

² Bid rigging (or collusive bidding) occurs when businesses, that would otherwise be expected to compete, secretly conspire to raise prices or lower the quality of goods and / or services for purchasers who wish to acquire goods and / or services through a bidding process. Bid rigging is, therefore, an agreement between competitors not to compete.

MBD 9

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:	
(Bid Number and Description)	
in response to the invitation for the bid made by:	
(Name of Municipality / Municipal Entity)	
do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every res	spect:
I certify, on behalf of:	that:
(Name of Bidder)	

- 1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate:
- 2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder:
- 4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign, the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:
 - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
 - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
 - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder.
 - 6. The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium³ will not be construed as collusive bidding.
 - 7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:

- (a) prices;
- (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
- (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
- (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
- (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
- (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
- 8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 9. The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.
- ³ Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.
 - 10. I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

Signature	Date

Position	Name of Bidder

11. CERTIFICATE FOR PAYMENT OF MUNICIPAL SERVICES

DECLARATION IN TERMS OF CLAUSE 112(1) OF THE MUNICIPAL FINANCE MANAGEMENT ACT (NO.56 OF 2003) - (To be signed in the presence of a Commissioner of Oaths)

I,according to SCM Regulation municipal service charges of to any other municipality or	wed by the Ter	nderer or an	y of its directors/i	ne tend memb	der of to ers/par	he tenderer if any r tners to the Matatli	hereby acknowledge municipal rates and taxo ele Local Municipalit	es or
I declare that I am duly authorised to act on behalf of							is in	
I further hereby certify that acknowledges that failure to event that the tenderer is suc	properly and t	ruthfully con	mplete this schedu					
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Signature			Position			1	Date	
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COMMISSIONER OF OATH	IS:-							
Position:								
Address:								

12. SCHEDULE A – CONFIRMATION OF REGISTRATION OF TENDERER ON NATIONAL TREASURY DATABASE

TENDERER NAME	REGISTRATION NUMBER	
A tenderer who is not registered on the Central Supplier Database National Treasury Database (CSD) not precluded from submitting a tender; however such tenderer must be registered on the database prior the finalisation of the evaluation of the tender in order for its bid to be considered responsive.		
It is the responsibility of a tenderer to ensure that this require Ventures and Consortia, this requirement will apply to each part	•	
Note:		

TENDERER'S SIGNATURE:

13. SCHEDULE B – TENDERER'S PAST EXPERIENCE

Tenderers must furnish hereunder, details of similar works/service which they have satisfactorily completed in the past. The information shall include a description of the works/service, the contract value and the name of the employer. All the consultants/experts involved, must have at least performed three different projects in municipal Supply Chain Management environment; (Attach CV's of consultants as evidence of personnel to be involved in the project)Attach the Company profile / projects where team members were involved in and contactable references must clearly be reflected on the proposal.

SIMILAR COMPLETED / CURRENT PROJECTS					
PROJECT NAME	EMPLOYER	EMPLOYER TEL. NUMBER	AWARDED AMOUNT	CONTRACT START DATE	ANTICIPATED/ ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE
DATE SIGNATURE OF BID					

14. MBD 7.2

CONTRACT FORM - RENDERING OF SERVICES

THIS FORM MUST BE FILLED IN DUPLICATE BY BOTH THE SERVICE PROVIDER (PART 1) AND THE PURCHASER (PART 2). BOTH FORMS MUST BE SIGNED IN THE ORIGINAL SO THAT THE SERVICE PROVIDER AND THE PURCHASER WOULD BE IN POSSESSION OF ORIGINALLY SIGNED CONTRACTS FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE RECORDS.

PART 1 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE SERVICE PROVIDER)

- 3. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
 - (i) Bidding documents, viz
 - Invitation to bid;
 - Tax clearance certificate;
 - Pricing schedule(s);
 - Filled in task directive/proposal;
 - Preference claims for Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment Status Level of Contribution in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2011;
 - Declaration of interest;
 - Declaration of Bidder's past SCM practices;
 - Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
 - Special Conditions of Contract;
 - (ii) General Conditions of Contract; and
 - (iii) Other (specify)
- 4. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the services specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.
- 5. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
- 6. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.

NAME (PRINT)	
NAIVIL (FIXINT)	 WITNESSES
CAPACITY	 1
SIGNATURE	
NAME OF FIRM	
DATE	

I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

7.

FAILURE BY THE TENDERER TO COMPLETE THIS FORM IN ITS ENTIRETY INCLUDING SIGNING THE FORM, SHALL DISQUALIFY THE TENDERER'S BID.

CONTRACT FORM - RENDERING OF SERVICES

PART 2 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE MATATIELE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY)

1.				in	my	capacity
	accept your l	oid unde	r reference number ndicated hereunder and/or			
 An official order indicating service delivery instructions is forthcoming. I undertake to make payment for the services rendered in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract, within 30 (thirty) days after receipt of an invoice. 						
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4.	I confirm that	am duly	authorised to sign this co	ntract.		
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15. PRICING SCHEDULE

MBD 3.3 PRICING SCHEDULE

GRASS CUTTING & COLLECTION IN BUXTON PARK & NEW JERUSALEM FOR 2 **MONTHS**

Name of Bidder: Closing Time:			
OFFER TO BE VALID FOR 60 DAYS FROM THE CLOSING DATE OF E	 UNIT	Total Did Dwiga	

Ite m No.	Description	Quanti ty	UNIT PRICE(R) Excluding VAT	Total Bid Price (R) excluding VAT	
110.				AMOUNT	
1.	GRASS CUTTING & COLLECTION IN BUXTON PARK & NEW JERUSALEM	2 Mont			
	FOR 2 MONTHS AS PER SCOPE OF WORK	hs			
	Total				
	Vat @15 %			_	
	Grand Total				

NOTE:

- All delivery costs MUST be included in the bid price, for delivery at the prescribed destination. Document MUST be completed in non-erasable black ink. 1.
- NO correction fluid/tape may be used. 3.

In the event of a mistake having been made, it shall be crossed out in ink and be accompanied by an initial at each and every alteration.

I / We (full name of Bidder) the undersigned in my capacity as of
the firm
hereby offer to Matatiele Local Municipality to render the services as described, in accordance with the specification and
conditions of contract to the entire satisfaction of the Matatiele Local Municipality and subject to the conditions of tender, for
the amounts indicated hereunde

MATATIELE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY



TERMS OF REFERENCE

GRASS CUTTING & COLLECTION IN BUXTON PARK & NEW JERUSALEM FOR 2 MONTHS

1. PROJECT BACKGROUND:

1.1. The project falls within the Environment and Waste Unit

2. AIMS OF THE PROJECT:

- 2.1. To cut, rake, remove weeds on the pavements and collect grass in the mentioned residential areas
- 2.2. To open & clean water channels/ drainage lines
- 2.3. To open drains and keep clear from grass and blockages
- 2.4. To transport grass with 8 ton truck and dispose it to Matatiele landfill site
- 2.5. To cut and clear Open Spaces

3. SUPPLY OF EQUIPMENT AND CONSUMABLES

- 2.1 The service provider will be required to provide all of the required grass cutting equipment and consumables for the rendering of the service.
- 2.2 It will be the Service Providers responsibility to ensure that all equipment is available, maintained and accounted for on a periodic basis.
- 2.3 The service provider will be responsible for providing and maintaining all the equipment necessary to render the contracted services effectively and without interruption.

4. PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT

The service provider will:

- 3.1 At all times during the rendering of the contracted services ensure strict and effective supervision of the work and of its employees.
- 3.2 At all times respond to the reasonable instructions or requests of Matatiele LM Waste supervisor, Waste officer and Waste Manager.
- 3.3 Furnish MLM with a monthly report stating services delivered as well as progress made in implementation of the plan/schedule furnished to MLM.
- 3.4 Furnish MLM with plans to deliver on undelivered services and reasons for omitted services as part of the monthly report. Plans to prevent reoccurrences will also be part of the report.

5. **SPECIFICATIONS**

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	TIME FRAME	PERIOD
1.	Cutting grass in all the streets	06h00 to 18h30	2 Months
2	Raking and removal of weeds on the pavements	06h00 to 18h30	2 Months
	Collection of grass from the streets	06h00 to 18h30	2 Months
3	Cleaning of grass in drains and existing Dongas	06h00 to 18h30	2 Months

Collection of grass and disposal to be done by 14:00 (18:30 allocated for allowance in case of breakdown.)

The service provider is required to have a **LETTER OF GOOD STANDING**

The Service Provider will be required to ensure timely collection of, but not limited the grass cut by the service provider, but also include the grass cut from the gardens.

The service provider will be required to take cognizance of the following when removing, transporting and disposing of grass collected from the residential areas:

Ensure the safe and correct disposal of grass to permitted/registered landfill site.

Ensure that the truck used does not cause spillages on the road

Ensure that the truck is suitable for grass collection

Ensure that a net is used where necessary to prevent spillages

Ensure that the truck has cover

Contract streets	
1.Main Street - Fette Street to West Street	6. school
2.High Street - Fette Street to Low Water Bridge	7. Temple
3.Long Street – Fette to Stream/ river	8. Popelane
4.North Street - Fette Street to Stream/ river	9. High street
5.Station Road - Fette Street to West Street	10. Raymond Rodgers
11.Railway Road - Fette Street to Green Street	20.Buxton park area
12.Jagger Street – Station Road to Mountain 13.View Street	21.Taylor
14.Green Street – Railway Road to Taylor Street	22.Johnson
15. Fette Street – Railway Road to Main Street	23.leach
16.Hawkins	24.east
17. Mayors Walk	25.Seymour
18.Area above Rest Haven	26.Area above Pick n Pay
19.West end Area	27.Area below Roman Catholic Church
All other unnamed streets in the in the New Jerusalem, Buxton Park and West End residential areas (number of streets)	

CONTRACT DAYS

Mondays to Saturdays

6. DELIVERABLES

6.1. Signing of a Service Level Agreement or a contract with the Matatiele Local Municipality.

7. EXPECTED OUTCOME.

7.1. The service provider is expected to comply with the above terms of reference

8. PROJECT TIMEFRAME

8.1. The commencement of work should commence within 7 working days from date of appointment.

9. EVALUATION CRITERIA

The Bids will be evaluated on the basis of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act is 80/20 and Functionality in line with the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (PPPFA) of November 2022.

Bids will be awarded points on the following basis:

1. Tender Price	80 points
2. HDI – Equity ownership	6 points
3. Youth-Enterprises 14-35 years (MLM)	6 points
4. Women – Equity ownership	4 points
5. Disability – Equity ownership	2 point
6. Rural Enterprises (MLM)	2 points
TOTAL	100 points

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDERS

PUBLICATION REFERENCE

In submitting their bid, bidders must respect all instructions, forms, Terms of reference, contract provisions and specifications contained in this bid dossier. Failure to submit a bid containing all the required information and documentation within the deadline specified will lead to the rejection of the bid.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND SELECTION CRITERIA

Bidders are required to submit the following documents (copies must be certified):

- Original Valid Tax Clearance Certificate from SARS;
- Proof of Company Registration with CSD

Invalid or non-submission of the documents listed above will lead to the disqualification and where the bidder is registered on the Municipal Database System reference can be made to such document and it is the bidders responsibility to ensure that the document does exist and verification of such registration will be done by the municipality and where the bidder is found to be not registered or have submitted incorrect registration details will be regarded as non-responsive and be disqualified from the bid.

1. Services to be provided

The services required by the Contracting Authority are described in these Terms of Reference.

2. Participating and sub-contracting

- 2.1 Participation in this bid is open to everyone.
- 2.2 Bids should be submitted by the same service provider or consortium, which has submitted the proposal on the basis of the above. **No change whatsoever in the identity or composition of the bidder is permitted;**
- 2.3 Short-listed service provider or consortia are allowed to form alliances with any other firms or to subcontract to each other for the purpose of this contract;
- 2.4 Sub-contracting will be allowed, only in so far as it was stated in the initial bid.
- 2.5 Duplication of bid document is prohibited.

3. Contents of Bids

3.1 Each bid must comprise of a Technical offer and a financial offer, each of which must be submitted separately.

4. Presentations / Adjudication

- **4.1** The Evaluation Committee may call for presentation by the short-listed bidders, after having established its written provisional conclusions but before concluding the technical evaluation.
- **4.2** The date and time of any such presentation will be confirmed or notified to the short-listed bidders at least seven days in advance. If a bidder is prevented from attending presentation by force majeure, a mutually

convenient alternative appointment may be arranged with the bidder. If the bidder is unable to attend this second appointment, its bids will be eliminated from the evaluation process.

5. Variant solutions

5.1 Any variant solutions will not be taken into consideration.

6. Period during which Bid are binding

- 6.1 Bidders are bound by their bids for 90 days after the deadline for the submission of bids. In exceptional cases, before the period of validity expires, the Contracting Authority may ask bidders to extend the period for a specific number of days, which may not exceed 60.
- 6.2 The successful bidder must maintain its bid for a further 60 days from the date of notification that its bid has been selected for the contract.

7. Additional information before the deadline for submission of bidders

- 7.1 The bid dossier should be clear enough to avoid the Contracting Authority from having request additional information during the procedure. If the Contracting Authority, either on own initiative or in response to the request of a short-listed candidate, provides additional information on the bid dossier, such information will be sent in writing to all other bidders at the same time.
- 7.2 Bidders may submit questions in writing to the following address up to 7 days before the deadlines for submission of bids, specifying the **publication reference** and the **bid title:**

Attention: Mr Z Matolo Matatiele Local Municipality 102 Main Street P.O. Box 35 MATATIELE 4730

- 7.3 Any prospective bidders seeking to arrange individual meetings with either the Contracting Authority during the bid period may be excluded from the bid procedure.
- 7.4 Any clarification of the bid dossier will be communicated simultaneously in writing to all bidders at the latest 3 calendar days before the deadline for submission of bids. No further clarifications will be given after this date.
- 7.5 Visit by individual prospective bidder during the bid period are not permitted other than the site visits for good reasons.

8. Submission of Bids

- 8.1 Bids must be submitted in English such that they are received before the deadline specified by in the letter of invitation to bid.
- 8.2 Any infringement of these rules (e.g. unsealed envelops) is to be considered a breach of the rules, and will lead to rejection of the bid.

The envelope should carry the following information:

- a) The address for submission of bid indicated above;
- b) The words "Not to be opened before the bid opening sessions";
- c) The pages of the Technical and Financial offers must be numbered.

9. Alterations or Withdrawal of Bids

- **9.1** Bidders may alter or withdraw bids by written notification prior to the deadline for submission of bids. No bid may be altered after this deadline.
- **9.2** Any such notification of alteration or withdrawal shall be prepared and submitted in accordance with clause 8. The envelope must be marked "Alteration" or "Withdrawal" as appropriate.

10. Costs for preparing Bids

10.1 No costs incurred by the bidder in preparing and submitting the bid shall be reimbursable. All such costs shall be borne by the bidder. In particular, if proposed key members were interviewed, all costs shall be borne by the bidder.

11. Ownership of Bids

11.1 The Contracting Authority retains ownership in all bid received (this excludes intellectual property for all but the successful bidder) under this tendering procedure. Consequently, bidders have no right to have their bids returned to them.

12. Confidentiality

- 12.1 The entire evaluation procedure, from the drawing up of the shortlist to the signature of the contract, is confidential. The Evaluation / Adjudication Committee's decisions are collective and its deliberations are held in closed session. The members of the Evaluation / Adjudication Committee are bound to secrecy.
- 12.2 The evaluation reports and written records, in particular, are for official use only and may be communicated to neither the bidders nor to any party other than the Contracting Authority.

13. Ethics clauses / Corruptive practices

13.1 Any attempt by a bidder to obtain confidential information, enter into unlawful agreements with competitors or influence the Evaluation / Adjudication Committee or the Contracting Authority during the process of examining, clarifying, evaluating, comparing and adjudication bid will lead to the rejection of its bid and may result in administrative penalties.

- 13.2 The bidder must not be affected by any potential conflict of interest
- 13.3 The Matatiele Local Municipality reserves the right to suspend or cancel funding to this project if corrupt practices of any kind are discovered at any stage of the award process or during the implementation of a contract, if the Contracting Authority fails to take all appropriate measures to remedy the situation. For the purposes of this provision, "corrupt practices" are the offer of a bribe, gift, gratuity or commission to any person as an inducement or reward for performing or refraining from any act relating to the award of a contract or implementation of a contract already concluded with the Contracting Authority.
- Bids will be rejected or contracts terminated if it emerges that the award or execution of a contract has given rise to unusual commercial expenses. Such unusual commercial expenses are commissions not mentioned in the main contract or not stemming from a properly concluded contract referring to the main contract, commissions not paid in return for any actual and legitimate service, commissions paid to a payee who is not clearly identified or commissions paid to a company which has every appearance of being a front company.
- 13.5 Failure to comply with one or more of the ethics clauses may result in the exclusion of the bidder or contractor from other Community contracts and in penalties.

14. Documentary evidence required from the successful bidder

- 14.1 The successful bidder will be informed in writing that its bid has been accepted (notification of award).

 Before the Contracting Authority signs the contract with a Successful bidder, a successful bidder may be requested to provide additional information as deemed necessary by the Contracting Authority.
- 14.2 This evidence or these documents must carry a date, which cannot be more than 180 days in relation to the deadline for the submission of the bidder. In addition, a sworn statement shall be furnished stating that the situations described in these documents have not changed since then.
- 14.3 If the successful bidder fails to provide these documents or is found to have provided false information, the award will be considered null and void. In such a case, the Contracting Authority may award the bid to another bidder or cancel the bid procedure.

15. Signature of contract(s)

- 15.1 Within 7 days of receipt of the contract already signed by the Contracting Authority, the selected bidder shall sign and date the contract and return it to the Contracting Authority.
- 15.2 Failure of the selected bidder to comply with this requirement may constitute grounds for the annulment of the decision to award the contract. In such a case, the Contracting Authority may award the bid to another bidder or cancel the bid procedure.
- 15.3 The other candidates will be informed that their bids were not accepted, by means of a standard letter.

16. Cancellation of the Bids procedure

16.1 In the event of cancellation of the bid procedure, bidders will be notified of the cancellation by the Contracting Authority. If the bid procedure is cancelled before the envelopes of any bid has been opened, the unopened and sealed envelopes will be returned to the bidders.

17. Cancellation may occur when:

- 17.1 The bid procedure has been unsuccessful, i.e. no qualitatively or financially worthwhile bid has been received or there is no response at all.
- 17.2 The economic or technical data of the project have been fundamentally altered;
- 17.3 Exceptional circumstances or *force majeure* render normal performance of the contract impossible;
- 17.4 All technically compliant bids exceed the financial resources available;
- 17.5 There have been irregularities in the procedure, in particular where these have prevented fair competition.
- 17.6 In no event shall the Contracting Authority be liable for any damages whatsoever including, without limitation, damages for loss of profits, in any way connected with the cancellation of a bid even if the Contracting Authority has been advised of the possibility of damages.
- 17.7 The publication of a procurement notice does not commit the Contracting Authority to implement the programme or project announced.

18. Cession

18.1. No **cession agreement** will be entered to between the municipality and any Service Provider.