

INVITATION FOR TENDERS

Ukraine

“Reconstruction of Wastewater Pumping Stations (WWPS) and Installation of Solar Power Panels (SPP) in Lutsk City in Ukraine”

Installation of Two Solar Power Plants in the City of Lutsk, Volyn Region

(LUT_WW_2)

This Invitation for Tenders follows the General Procurement Notice dated 21 August 2025 for the Programme “Rehabilitation of wastewater services in four cities of Ukraine: Horishni Plavni, Lubny, Lutsk, Khmelnytskyi” which was published on the Procurement Notices section of NEFCO’s website (<https://www.nefco.int>).

Municipal Utility Company “LUTSKVODOKANAL”, hereinafter referred to as “the Employer”, intends to use the part of the proceeds of grant financing from the Impact Fund Denmark (formerly Danida Sustainable Infrastructure Finance) (hereinafter referred to as the Impact Fund Denmark) through the fund manager the Nordic Environment Finance Corporation (NEFCO) towards the cost of the project **“Reconstruction of wastewater pumping stations (WWPS) and installation of solar power panels (SPP) in Lutsk city in Ukraine”**.

The Contracts under the Programme shall be financed by a grant from the Impact Fund Denmark and by the municipal budget and/or the Employer.

The Employer now invites sealed tenders from Contractors for the following contract **LUT_WW_2 “Installation of two solar power plants in the city of Lutsk, Volyn Region” (Lot 1: Reconstruction of the power supply system of the Dubnivska Water Intake Facility at 26 Dubnivska Street, Lutsk, Volyn Region, through the installation of a solar power plant; Lot 2: Installation of an energy storage system at 26 Dubnivska Street, Lutsk, Volyn Region; Lot 3: Reconstruction of the power supply system of the Hnidavska Pumping Station at 11 Magistralna Street, Lutsk, Volyn Region; Lot 4 (optional): Installation of an energy storage system at 11 Magistralna Street, Lutsk, Volyn Region)** to be financed by the Impact Fund Denmark grant and by the municipal budget and/or the Employer.

Tenders and subsequent contracts financed by grant and budget funds will be subject to NEFCO’s Procurement Policy and Procedures.

Grant and budget funds may not be used for any payments to individuals or entities, or for the import of any goods, if such payment or import is prohibited by a decision of the United Nations Security Council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations, or under the laws or official regulations of Ukraine.

Tenders are invited for the full scope of work including all 4 (four) lots. Tenders submitted only for a part of the works (separate lot(s)) shall be rejected.

Based on the results of the Tender, the Employer shall sign contracts with the Tenderer, that submits the most economically attractive tender and meets all qualification requirements.

Tender proposals shall be submitted in euro (including VAT). As a result of the tender, 2 (two) contracts shall be concluded.

The contract financed from the municipal budget shall be concluded in Ukrainian hryvnia (UAH), linked to the euro equivalent at the official exchange rate of the National Bank of Ukraine on the date of signing the contract (inclusive of VAT).

The contract financed by the Impact Fund Denmark grant shall be concluded in euro and shall be subject to the tax exemption procedure in accordance with Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine dated 15.02.2002 No. 153.

To be qualified for the award of the contract, tenderers shall satisfy the following minimum criteria:

- Tenderers shall meet the eligibility requirements outlined in the Instructions to Tenderers.
- The Average Annual Turnover over the last **four (4) years (2021-2024)** exceeded **EUR 1,300,000** equivalent. In case of tender submitted by JVCA, the leading partner shall demonstrate at least 50% compliance with the requirement.

- The Tenderer has satisfactorily supplied and completed for the **period 2020-2024 three (3) similar contracts** with a total amount of at least **EUR 1,300,000** as the main Contractor, which have been fully and successfully completed and include the performance of the following works:
 - the construction of solar power plants with a capacity of at least 400 kWh (two (2) contracts);
 - the supply and installation of a solar energy storage system with an energy reserve of at least 100 kWh (one (1) contract).

In case of tender submitted by JVCA, the leading partner should demonstrate at least 50% of the above-mentioned requirement.

- Non-performance of contract by the Tenderer (including partners/members of JVCA if appropriate) did not occur during the last **3 years (2022-2024)** based on information provided in Section III, Tender Forms (the Employer reserves the right to check the correctness of the reported information by using other sources);
- The Tenderer (whether a single legal entity, a JVCA partner or a designated subcontractor) shall demonstrate availability of all personnel for the implementation of all necessary works under the Contract;
- The Tenderer shall demonstrate that it has the personnel for the key positions that meet the Qualification requirements outlined in the Tender document.

The Employer reserves the right to cancel all tenders in the event of non-approval of grant funding.

When preparing their tenders, Tenderers shall take into account that the works under this Contract are expected to commence in **January 2026** and must be completed no later than **September 2026**.

Tender documents shall be obtained from the office at the address below, free of charge, upon a written request from a prospective Tenderer.

Upon receiving the written request from prospective Tenderer, the documents shall be promptly dispatched electronically in PDF and MS Word format, however, no liability shall be accepted by the sender for their non-delivery or late delivery. In case of discrepancies between the PDF and Word versions of the documents, the PDF version shall prevail.

All tenders shall be accompanied by a Tender-Securing Declaration. The form of Tender-Securing Declaration is provided in the Tender document. The main purpose of Tender-Securing Declaration is to ensure that the tenderers are serious about their participation.

Tenders shall be received no later than **11:00 (Kyiv time) on 25 November 2025** at the address indicated below. They will thereafter be opened in the presence of those representatives of the Tenderers who choose to attend the opening.

A pre-tender meeting for Tenderers with Employer representatives to discuss technical and procedural issues shall take place online at **12:00 (Kyiv time), 23.10.2025**.

To pre-register for participation in pre-tender meeting, please contact:

Contact person: Sviatoslav Dmytrotsa, Municipal Utility Company “Lutskvodokanal”, tel/mob: (+380) 67 332 37 47, email: slavadm1975@gmail.com, Ukraine, 43010, Lutsk, Dubnivska Street, 26.

Potential tenderers may obtain further information from, and also review and acquire the tender documents at the following office:

Municipal Utility Company “Lutskvodokanal”, Ukraine, 43010, Lutsk, Dubnivska Street, 26. Contact person: Sviatoslav Dmytrotsa, tel/mob: (+380) 67 332 37 47, email: slavadm1975@gmail.com

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