

INVITATION FOR TENDERS

Ukraine

“Reconstruction of the Main Municipal Wastewater Pumping Station (WWPS) to Replace the Existing and Fully Deteriorated WWPS and Installation of Solar Power Panels (SPP) in Horishni Plavni City of Poltava Region”

New Construction of Wastewater Pumping Station 1B and Reconstruction of Wastewater Collectors with Installation of Solar Power Panels at the Address: Portova Street, Horishni Plavni City within the Project “Reconstruction of the Main Municipal Wastewater Pumping Station (WWPS) to Replace the Existing and fully deteriorated WWPS and Installation of Solar Power Panels (SPP) in Horishni Plavni City of Poltava Region”

(HP_WW_1)

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 Enterprise “Water Supply and Wastewater Management Utility Company” of Horishni Plavni City Council, Kremenchuk District, Poltava Region (hereinafter referred to as “the Employer”), intends to use the part of the proceeds of grant financing from the Government of Norway and the Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation (NORAD) through the Development Partner the Nordic Environment Finance Corporation (NEFCO) towards the cost of the Project **“Reconstruction of the Main Municipal Wastewater Pumping Station (WWPS) to Replace the Existing and Fully Deteriorated WWPS and Installation of Solar Power Panels (SPP) in Horishni Plavni City of Poltava Region”**.

The Contracts under the Programme shall be financed by the grant from the Government of Norway and NORAD and by the municipal and/or the Employer budget.

The Employer now invites sealed tenders from Contractors for the following contract **HP_WW_1 “New Construction of Wastewater Pumping Station 1B and Reconstruction of Wastewater Collectors with Installation of Solar Power Panels at the Address: Portova Street, Horishni Plavni City within the Project “Reconstruction of the Main Municipal Wastewater Pumping Station (WWPS) to Replace the Existing and fully deteriorated WWPS and Installation of Solar Power Panels (SPP) in Horishni Plavni City of Poltava Region” (Lot 1: New Construction of Wastewater Pumping Station 1B with Installation of Solar Power Panels at the Address: Portova Street, Horishni Plavni City; Lot 2 (optional): Reconstruction of Wastewater Collectors of Wastewater Pumping Station 1B at the address: Portova Street, Horishni Plavni City) which shall be financed by the grant from the Government of Norway and NORAD, as well as by the municipal and/or the Employer budget.**

Tenders and subsequent contracts financed by the grant funds shall be carried out in accordance with NEFCO’s Procurement Policy and Procedures.

The proceeds of the Grant shall not be used for payment to persons or entities or for any import of 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 pursuant to the laws or official regulations of Ukraine.

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 grant from the Government of Norway and NORAD 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 No. 153 dated 15.02.2002

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 3,500,000** equivalent. In case of tender submitted by JVCA, all members/partners of the JVCA should demonstrate 100% compliance of the requirement, while the leading partner should demonstrate at least 50% compliance with the requirement.
- The Tenderer has satisfactorily supplied and completed for the **period 2020-2024 five (5) similar contracts** with a total amount of at least **EUR 3,500,000** as the main contractor, which have been fully and successfully completed and include the construction of underground wastewater buildings and structures.
- 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);
- All legal proceedings pending against the Tenderer (including partners/members of the JVCA, if applicable) **shall not in aggregate exceed 30%** of the Tenderer's net worth.
- 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 **March 2026** and must be completed no later than **March 2028**.

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 **13:00 (Kyiv time) on 30 December 2025** at the address indicated below. They shall 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 **11:00 (Kyiv time), 26.11.2025**.

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

Contact person: Daria Bohachonok, Municipal Enterprise "Water Supply and Wastewater Management Utility Company" of Horishni Plavni City Council of Kremenchuk District of Poltava Region, dashaboga4enok@gmail.com, Phone: +380 66 020 08 27, 27 Portova str., Horishni Plavni city, Kremenchuk district, Poltava region, 39803, Ukraine

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

Municipal Enterprise "Water Supply and Wastewater Management Utility Company" of Horishni Plavni City Council of Kremenchuk District of Poltava Region, 27 Portova str., Horishni Plavni city, Kremenchuk district, Poltava region, 39803, Ukraine., Phone: +380 66 020 08 27 , dashaboga4enok@gmail.com

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