

INVITATION FOR TENDERS

Ukraine

“ Solar energy supply for Water Pumping Stations and partial renovation of sewage collectors in Ovruch, Zhytomyr region ”

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This Invitation for Tenders follows the General Procurement Notice for this project which was published on the Procurement Notices section of NEFCO's website (<https://www.nefco.int>).

Ovruch Municipality Council, hereinafter referred to as the 'Employer', intends to use part of the financing received from the Nordic Environment Finance Corporation (NEFCO) to cover the costs of the project 'Solar energy supply for Water Pumping Stations and partial renovation of sewage collectors in Ovruch, Zhytomyr region'.

The Employer now invites sealed tenders from Contractors for the following contract to be financed by NEFCO:

- **Development of design documentation, including obtaining expertise conclusion, author's supervision, as well as capital repair of part of the sewage collector. Replacement of equipment of pumping stations of 2nd heaves and installation of PV stations with battery energy storage system (BESS).**

The expected term of the contract is 11 months.

For the Equipment and Related Works to be supplied under this contract, exemption from VAT taxation is provisioned in accordance with the procedure established by the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine dated February 15, 2002 No. 153 "On the Creation of a Unified System for Attracting, Using and Monitoring the International Technical Assistance". The Contractor with whom the contract will be concluded will be obliged by the 20th of each month to prepare and submit to the State Tax Service body (in written and electronic form) in which it is registered as a taxpayer, information confirmation of the purchase of goods, works and services under a preferential regime for international technical assistance funds in accordance with the terms of the Contract.

Tendering for contracts that are to be financed with the proceeds of NEFCO financing is open to firms/ individuals from any country.

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

- a) Shall meet the eligibility requirements set forth in ITT 4
- b) Average annual turnover for the **best three (3) years** over the last 5 years (during 2020-2024) is **minimum 1 820 000 EUR** in equivalent
- c) The Tenderer shall demonstrate that it has access to, or has available, liquid assets, unencumbered real assets, lines of credit, and other financial means sufficient to meet the production cash flow for the contract estimated as not less than twenty percent (30%) from the tender price of the Tenderer, taking into account the Tenderer's commitments for other contracts
- d) Tenderer's experience:
 - (i) In **2** contracts for the rehabilitation of the sewage collector by means of flexible polymer sleeve rehabilitation during the last 5 years, starting from 2021 and until the moment of submission of the tender offer, with a total value of at **least 1,000,000 Euro** in equivalent
 - (ii) In **2** contracts for the installation of solar power plants (SPPs) over the last 5 years, starting from 2021 and until the moment of submission of the tender, with a total value of **at least 140,000 Euro** in equivalent

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- (iii) In **1** contract for the construction/capital repair/reconstruction of pumping stations (PS) during the last 5 years, starting from 2021 and until the moment of submission of the tender offer, with a total value of **at least 75,000 Euro** in equivalent

Experience in contracts for (ii) installation of solar power plants (SPPs) and (iii) construction/ capital repair /reconstruction of pumping stations (PS) can be confirmed by subcontractors.

In case of a tender submitted by JVCA, the leading partner should demonstrate at least **50%** compliance with the requirements (b) - (d (i)) above.

- e) Non-performance of contract by Tenderer (including members of JVCA, if appropriate) did not occur during the last **2 years** (2022-2024)
- f) All pending litigation against Tenderer (including members of JVCA, if appropriate) shall in total not represent more than 30% of the Tenderer's net worth.
- g) The Tenderer must demonstrate that it (or members of JVCA, or relevant sub-contractor), has the personnel for the key positions that meet the qualification requirements given in tender document
- h) The Tenderer must demonstrate that it, or appointed sub-contractor, has the key equipment which are meeting requirements given in the Tender document

Tender documents may be obtained from the office at the email address below free of charge upon a written request from a prospective Tenderer. Upon receiving the written request from prospective Tenderer, the documents will be promptly dispatched electronically in PDF and MS Word format, however, no liability can be accepted for their non-delivery or late delivery. In case of discrepancies between the PDF and Word versions of the document, the PDF version shall prevail.

All tenders must be accompanied by a Tender-Securing Declaration.

The pre-tender meeting for the Tenderers with the Employer's representatives to visit the site and discuss technical and procedural issues will be held on **22 December 2025 at 11.00** Kyiv time at the address: 11101, Ukraine, Zhytomyr region, Ovruch, Tarasa Shevchenko, 31-A.

Tenders must be received at the address below by **14:00** Kyiv time on **22 January 2026**, after which they will be opened in the presence of those Tenderers' representatives who wish to be present.

A register of potential tenderers who have purchased the tender documents may be inspected at the address below.

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