

INVITATION TO TENDER

CRS Sudan, under the RAID Program, funded by BMZ, invites competent and qualified companies to submit their bids for the following.

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| **S/no** | **Category Reference** | **Ref: No. CRS-Sudan-BU-RFGS-21246** |
| 1 | **Establishment of water infrastructure in Central Darfur** | **This can be the RFGS No.** |

*Resilience Approaches for Integrated Development*in Darfur **(RAID)** is a 36-month project that aimstosustainably increase food security and nutrition of 20,212 rural returnees and host households (HHs) in 15 selected villages of Mukjar and Um Dukhun localities of Central Darfur.

The overall objective of RAID is to sustainably increase food security and nutrition for 20,212 rural returnees and host households (HHs) in 15 selected villages of Mukjar and Um Dukhun localities of Central Darfur in line with several Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). *RAID* will contribute to (SDG 1) - eradication of poverty, by organizing and strengthening 15 communities to sustainably manage and ensure equitable access to natural resources through different livelihood groups and enabling them to access basic resources and services. Moreover, *RAID* will support communities to build their resilience by reducing peoples’ vulnerability to conflict and climate-related shocks and disasters. *RAID* will also contribute to the elimination of hunger and improvement of food security and nutrition (SDG2) by improving agricultural productivity through capacity building of 20,212 small holder farmers and pastoralists and their household financial security and assets through participation in community savings and lending groups. *RAID* will contribute to good health and well-being through alleviation of malnutrition(SDG 3) inCU5 and PLW, and improve the knowledge and skills of 15,760 care givers, to increase the adoption of essential health, nutrition and hygiene practices. The project will also directly contribute to promoting gender equality (SDG 5), peacebuilding (SDG 16), strengthening local institutions and establishing sustainable and resilient communities (SDG 11).

RAID Project is seeking the services of from qualified Sudan based companies for the establishment of 4 earth dams (Heifers) in Central Darfur, (2) in Mukjar and (2) in Um Dhukun localities at specific points as indicated on the bill of quantities. These earth dams will improve access to water by target communities for domestics and livestock use. The works on establishment of these earth dams is done in collaboration with Ministry of Production and Economic Resources (MoPER), local community leaders in the target communities and villages heads who will be using these infrastructures. Contractors are thus required to will be required to comply with and observing this community leadership structures.

**Specifications for goods/Services required**

Contractors are required to be guided by the **bill of quantities** attached for all specifications to ensure that the earth dams are completed to detail. Deviation from these specifications is not allowed and may be used to alter the payments to be made to the Vendors

**Bidding process**

This is a **competitive bidding process** and prospective bidders are required to make individual bids for the provision of this service which individually relates to their capacity to deliver the required service.

**Eligibility**

**All companies based and registered in Sudan** are eligible to bid for the provision of the required service in Central Darfur. All bidders are expected to attach a copy of their company registration certificates as evidence of being a bonafide company in Sudan. Bidders are not allowed to subcontract this work to another company.

**Past performance**

Bidders are expected to show evidence through references of their ability to execute this task by listing their experience and past performance of conducting similar or related works in Sudan. CRS may reach out to the referenced companies as part of awarding process and any falsification of information may lead to disqualification of bids.

**Tittle of ownership of equipment**

All bidders are expected to provide title deeds or evidence of ownership of access of all equipment that will be used to execute this task. This can be in the form of copies of registration books for earth moving vehicles.

**Quotes**

All bids for this work are to be made in **USD** and broken down according to bill of quantities attached.

**Delivery date**

All bidders are required to clearly state the delivery date for this assignment starting from when mobilization will start and when the assets will be handed over to CRS. This will be used as a criterion for awarding of contracts.

**Payment process**

CRS will agree on this with the successful bidders and will be included in the final contract that will be signed between CRS and successful bidder.

**Submission of bids**

All bids for this work are to be submitted to the addresses stated belowRFP as hard copies sealed in envelopes and clearly stated “Earth dams for Central Darfur and as electronic copies through the email address [procurement.sudan@crs.org](mailto:procurement.sudan@crs.org).

* CRS office Khartoum, Eltayef, Block 23, House 393.
* CRS Zalengie office.

**Closing Date & Time:**

All bids through email or sealed envelopes must be delivered before.

04:00 pm, 31st October 2020.

**Communication**

Incase further clarification of the RFP document please send your full enquiry to [procurement.sudan@crs.org](mailto:procurement.sudan@crs.org)

**Administration costs**

All bidders are required to state separately administration costs by category and duration.

**Monitoring of project**

**CRS will monitor the** construction of the works to ensure that all specifications are being met, and the monitoring reports will be used for processing payments for the successful bidders.

**Bill of quantities**

A bill of quantities is inserted below.



Supply Chain

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