



# Invitation for Bids

<b>Date:</b>	18 September 2020
<b>Loan No. and Title:</b>	3562-PAK: Punjab Intermediate Cities Improvement Investment Project (PICIIP)
<b>Contract No. and Title:</b>	ICB-Works/PICIIP-08A: Construction of Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) in North Zone, Sahiwal
<b>Deadline for Submission of Bids:</b>	02 November 2020, 1500 hours (Pakistan Standard Time)

1. The Islamic Republic of Pakistan has received a financing from Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of **Punjab Intermediate Cities Improvement Investment Project (PICIIP)**. It is intended that part of the proceeds of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.
2. The **Program Management Unit (PMU), Punjab Intermediate Cities Improvement Investment Project (PICIIP), Local Government & Community Development Department, Punjab, Pakistan** (“the Employer”) invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the **Construction of Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) in North Zone, Sahiwal** (“the Works”).
3. **International Competitive Bidding** will be conducted in accordance with the ADB’s [Single Stage-Two Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all eligible Bidders as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

<b>Participation as a contractor, Joint Venture partner, or Subcontractor, in at least one (1) contract that has been successfully or substantially completed within the last ten (10) years and that is similar to the proposed works, where the value of the Bidder’s participation in the contract exceeds the amount mentioned below. The similarity of the Bidder’s participation shall be based on details/characteristics as described in Section 6 “Employer’s Requirements which require experience in execution of Wastewater Treatment Plant Projects.</b>	<b>The Bidder should have minimum Average Annual Construction Turnover of U.S. Dollar (USD) as mentioned below, calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (3) years for subject package:</b>	<b>The Bidder must demonstrate that it has the financial resources to meet (i) its current contract commitments and (ii) the requirement for the subject contract of:</b>
USD 3.125 Million	USD 6.25 Million	USD 781,250/-

The complete qualification criteria are described in the Bidding Document.

5. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, Bidders should contact:

**Program Director**

Program Management Unit (PMU)

Punjab Intermediate Cities Improvement Investment Project (PICIIP)

Local Government & Community Development Department, Punjab, Pakistan

Address: 40 B-1, Gulberg 3, MM Alam Road, Lahore, Pakistan

Telephone: +92 42 99268484

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E-mail: [pmu.piciip@punjab.gov.pk](mailto:pmu.piciip@punjab.gov.pk)

Website: <http://piciip.gop.pk>

*Note: Bidders may download the Bidding Documents without the detailed Bill of Quantities, Specifications and Drawings for inspection purposes via the website. To participate in the bidding process, Bidders must purchase the Bidding Documents (see below for details).*

6. To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible Bidders should:

- write to the address above requesting the Bidding Document for the “Works” mentioned above; and
- pay a nonrefundable fee of PKR. 20,000 or US\$ 120 deposited through “CHALLAN FORM NO.32-A” under head of “Other Receipt CO3870” in Treasury/Sub-Treasury (National Bank of Pakistan) or (State Bank of Pakistan)” for Complete Bidding Document.

The document may be collected in person or may be sent by express airmail for an additional fee of PKR 5,000.00 for domestic delivery or USD 35.00 for overseas delivery with original paid “Challan form”. No liability will be accepted for loss in transit or late delivery.

7. A pre-bid meeting for the Works shall take place at 1100 hours on Monday 05 October 2020 at the address mentioned above. Keeping in mind the convenience of the bidder(s), the bidder(s) can also attend the said meeting through Skype using the ID mentioned below:

Skype ID: pmupiciip@gmail.com

All bidders are encouraged to physically attend the Pre-Bid Meeting; however, the online platform is also available to facilitate participation.

8. Deliver your bid:

- To the address above
- **On or before the deadline of bids submission: 1500 hour, 02 November 2020**
- Together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document.

Electronic submission of bids is not allowed.

9. Technical Bids will be opened immediately after the bid submission deadline on Monday, 02 November 2020 in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend, whereas the Financial Bids shall remain sealed and unopened and shall be placed locked. The Financial Bids of only Technically Responsive and Qualified Bidders shall be opened after technical bids evaluation, whereas the financial bids of those bidders whose technical bids are not responsive and qualified shall be returned unopened.