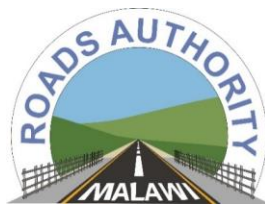


# Government of the Republic of Malawi



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## R o a d s A u t h o r i t y

### Invitation for Bids (IfB)

(National Competitive Bidding)

### ROAD AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE PROGRAMME (Phase I: 2022-2023 Financial Year)-Lot 2

#### 1. Source of funding

- 1.1. The Roads Authority (RA) with funding from Roads Fund budgeted public funds for the procurement of various works in the 2022 – 2023 financial year. The RA intends to apply part of the funds to cover eligible payments under Phase I of the Road and Bridge Maintenance Programme.
- 1.2. The RA now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the execution of various Civil Works contracts and the Scope of work comprise periodic road maintenance works as listed hereunder:

S/N	Procurement Number	Reference	District(s)	Region	Contract Name	Duration (Days)
1	RA/MAI/2022-23/T/REH/SR/CK/NE/24		Chikwawa and Nsanje	South	Rehabilitation of Selected Peeled Sections on Nchalo - Bangula (M001) Road in Chikwawa and Nsanje Districts	180
2	RA/MAI/2022-23/T/REH/SR/NN/BLK/23		Neno and Balaka	South	Rehabilitation of Selected Sections of the M001 Road Between Zalewa and Chingeni	365
3	RA/MAI/2022-23/T/REH/SR/BLK/13		Balaka	South	Rehabilitation of Balaka Loop Roads	180
4	RA/MAI/2022-23/T/PM/CR/SA/26		Salima	Centre	Shoulder reconditioning and resealing on selected sections of Kanengo - Kaphatenga (M14) Roads in Salima district.	120
5	RA/MAI/2022-23/T/REH/CR/DZT/DZ/27		Dedza	Centre	Rehabilitation of Dedza loop roads	180
6	RA/MAI/2022-23/T/PM/CR/NU/28		Ntcheu	Centre	Widening of Ntcheu roads along M001	120
7	RA/MAI/2022-23/T/PM/NR/KA/RU/10		Karonga and Rumphu	North	Sectional Periodic Maintenance and Shoulder Reconditioning on Karonga Roundabout – Chiweta (M001) Road in Karonga and Rumphu Districts	180

## 2. Bidding procedures

- 2.1. Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the open tendering procedures contained in the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets (PPDA) Act (2017) and the Public Procurement Regulations of 2020 of the Government of the Republic of Malawi.
- 2.2. All eligible bidders are required to show evidence of registration with the National Construction Industry Council of Malawi (NCIC) in the Unlimited Civil Engineering Category and must have renewed their membership for the current financial year.
- 2.3. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the **RA Regional Offices** and inspect the bidding documents at the addresses given below from **0800 – 1200 hours and from 1300 - 1600 hours, Monday to Friday starting from 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2022.**
  - (a) Address where documents may be inspected at:
  - (b) Address where documents will be issued from:
  - (c) Address where Bids must be delivered to:
  - (d) Address of Bid Opening:

Northern Region	Central Region	Southern Region
Regional Manager The Roads Authority Northern Region Office P O Box 20050 Mzuzu 2 Tel: +265 1 311 065 +265 888 209334  <a href="mailto:Cmtawali@ra.org.mw">Cmtawali@ra.org.mw</a>	Regional Manager The Roads Authority Central Region Office ARET Premises along Mchinji Road P O Box 624 Lilongwe Tel: +265 1 759 896 +265 888208492  <a href="mailto:jlongwe@ra.org.mw">jlongwe@ra.org.mw</a>	Regional Manager The Roads Authority Southern Region Office Lonhro Building P O Box 373 Blantyre Tel: +265 1 847 354 +265 888 844 343  <a href="mailto:wkaunde@ra.org.mw">wkaunde@ra.org.mw</a>

- 2.4. **Bidding Documents:** A complete set of Bidding Documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **MWK20,000.00** at the RA Regional Offices in the North, Centre and South. Only Bidding Documents for the particular region may be obtained from each Regional Office
- 2.5. **The** method of payment will be bank deposit at the NBS Bank account as provided:  
**NBS Bank:** Capital City Service Centre  
**Account Name:** Roads Authority  
**Account number:** 20991453
- 2.6. Bids shall be valid for a period of **120 days** from the date of opening.
- 2.7. **Requests for clarification** on bidding documents or general questions must be sent in writing to the address in (2) above at least 14 calendar days before the tender closing date.
- 2.8. **Site visit:** The RA shall not arrange any official site visits but all prospective bidders must visit the sites to familiarise themselves with the existing conditions at the project sites.
- 2.9. The Roads Authority is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

## 3. Submission of bids

- 3.1. Bids must be delivered to the respective **RA Regional Offices** in sealed envelopes **clearly marked Procurement Reference Number and Contract Details** at or before **10:00 Hours Local Time on 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.**
- 3.2. All bids must be accompanied by a **Bid Securing Declaration Form** in the format as provided in Section 4 of the bidding documents. Late bids shall be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the respective RA Regional Offices at **10:00 Hours Local Time on 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.** No bidder shall be awarded more than one contract unless if there is no other responsive bidder in that particular contract