

# **Invitation for Bids (IFB)**

**Republic of Macedonia**

**Municipal Services Improvement Project-MSIP**

**Loan/Credit No. 7699-MK**

**MCIP –W-ICB-006-11**

1. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in the issue of UN Development Business, with No.767, from 31<sup>st</sup> of January, 2010 (printed issue) and electronically announced on 6<sup>th</sup> of January, 2010.

2. The Republic of Macedonia has received a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, for the Project for improvement of municipal services and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the Contract for procurement of construction works for arrangement of central city area of the Municipality of Stip (regulation of the river bed and surrounding river bank area of the River Otinja from the bridge St. Nicola to the Medical center, protection of the foundations of the existing bridges of the Otinja river and construction of the bridge–parking platforms over Otinja river.)MSIP-W- ICB-006-11.

3. The Municipality of Stip now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for arrangement of central city area of the Municipality of Stip (regulation of the river bed and surrounding river bank area of the River Otinja from the bridge St. Nicola to the Medical center, protection of the foundations of the existing bridges of the Otinja river and construction of the bridge–parking platforms over Otinja river.) The delivery/construction period is 18 (eighteen) months.

4. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits, version May 2004, revised in October 2006 and May 2010 and is open to all bidders from Eligible Source Countries as defined in the Bidding Documents.

5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from *08:30 to 16:30*:

Municipality of Stip

Address: Vasil Glavinov, bb

Postal code: 2000 Stip

Tel/fax: + 389 32 22 66 38/ + 389 32 22 66 01

E-mail: s\_serafimova@hotmail.com

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6. Qualifications requirements include:

- Average annual financial amount of construction work in the three years should not be less than EUR 5.000.000,00
- The minimum amount of liquid assets and/or credit facilities net of other contractual commitments of the successful Bidder shall be EUR 600.000,00.

**General experience:**

- At least two (2) successfully completed contracts in the last 3 years for similar works in construction of project for construction of bridges.
- Key personnel and number of employees:

1. Site Manager (Civil Engineer with a minimum of 7 (seven) years of working experience, as well as working experience on a minimum of 5 (five) similar assignments);

2. Assistant to the Site Manager (Civil Engineer with a minimum of 5 (five) years of working experience at minimum of 3 (three) similar assignments);

3. Geodetic Engineer (Geodetic Engineer with a minimum of 5 (five) years of working experience on a minimum of 3 (three) similar assignments).

4. Health and Safety Engineer (Health and Safety Engineer with a minimum of 5 (five) years of working experience at minimum of 3 (three) similar assignments)

5. At least 50 (fifty) full time employees confirmed by relevant government authorities.

Maximum percent for sub-contracting is: 10 %. More details for the required qualifications are provided in tender documentation.

7. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written Application to the address below and upon payment of a non refundable fee of EUR 70. The method of payment will be via PP50 form, on the following bank accounts:

a) For payments in MKD:

Name of the final user: Treasury Account

Bank deponent: National Bank of Republic of Macedonia

Number of Treasury Account: **100000000630 95**

Budget user account: **7740141050630 13**

Income account: **724125 00**

b) For payments in EUR:

National Bank of Republic of Macedonia

**SWIFT BIC: NBRM MK 2X**

**IBAN: MK 07 1007 0100 00 71 465**

Name: Municipality of Stip

The Bidding Documents will be sent by mail or can be obtained directly from Municipality of Stip.

8. Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 12:00 o'clock, at noon on 17 of February 2012. Electronic bidding shall not be permitted. Late bids shall be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below at 12:00 o'clock, at noon on 17 of February 2012.
9. All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security of 50,000.00 EUR
10. The address referred to above is:

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