

MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY

SPECIALISED CONTRACT No: SCM 20 OF 11/12

**COPEVILLE WATER SCHEME: WARD 29: CONSTRUCTION OF A 20 ML RESERVE,
POTABLE WATER PUMP STATION AND ASSOCIATED PIPEWORK**

TENDER NOTICE

This Contract Shall Be Evaluated on a Two Envelope System

Tenders are invited for the construction of a 20 ML Reservoir, potable water pump station and associated pipework. Only Tenderers who have a CIDB Contractor grading of 7CE PE or higher will be considered for appointment.

Tender documents shall be available from the Supply Chain Unit, 5th Floor, AS Chetty Building, 333 Church Street, Pietermaritzburg, from Monday, 21 November 2011. A non- refundable tender fee in the amount **R570.00** per document shall be levied. Only cash or bank guaranteed cheques will be accepted.

Further technical information may be obtained from either Mr Dhamendra Ragoonandan on Telephone No. 033 - 392 2115 or Mr Dhanashan Naidoo on 033 - 342 2705.

A compulsory Clarification Meeting will be held on **Thursday 01 December 2011**. **Prospective Tenderers shall be required to meet at 11h00 prompt at the corner New Greytown (R33) and Copesville Drive (entrance to Copesville), Pietermaritzburg and thereafter proceed in convoy to the proposed site.** Only one Clarification Meeting will be held. An official will chair the meeting and answer queries raised by prospective Service Providers. Any amendment to the tender documentation arising from such answers will be circulated in terms of the meeting's attendance register. Tenderers who come after the stipulated starting time will not be allowed to be part of the meeting. No tender shall be accepted from tenderers who do not attend the above meeting.

Two separate sealed tenders endorsed on the envelope "Contract No: SCM 20 of 11/12" - Envelope One and Contract No: SCM 20 of 11/12"- Envelope Two must be placed in the Tender Box located in the Foyer, Ground Floor, City Hall, 169 Chief Albert Luthuli Street, Pietermaritzburg, not later than 12h00 on Monday, 19 December 2011, where only Envelope 1 will be opened in public and the names of the Tenderers declared. Only tenders placed in the tender box shall be accepted.

The validity period for which the tender is to hold firm is a period of ninety (90) days from closing date of tender.

Evaluation and adjudication of the tender will be done in line with the Msunduzi Municipality's approved Supply Chain and Preferential Procurement Policies on a 90/10 point system. It must be noted that this contract shall be evaluated based on a two envelope system. **Envelope one (Pre-Qualification) and Envelope two must include the completed tender document with all returnables. Adjudication criteria will be as per the tender document.**

The Msunduzi Municipality does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves the right to accept the whole or any part of a tender. Each tenderer will be informed of the tender result. Only tenders that have met the criteria for chase 1 (Pre-Qualification) shall be adjudicated further.

The Msunduzi Municipality expects businesses within the Pietermaritzburg and Midlands region to support its contract and BEE/SMME initiatives.