THE MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY

TENDER NOTICE

CONTRACT No. SCM 53 OF 24/25

APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR SAFE CITY FINANCIAL SERVICES

The Msunduzi Municipality hereby invites tenders from suitably qualified and experienced Tenderers for the above works.

Tender documents will be made available to tenderers from **12h00 on Friday**, **25 April 2025**. Tender documents can be downloaded and printed at the Tenderer's cost from the National Treasury e-Tender Publication Portal on <u>www.etenders.gov.za</u>.

Printed copies of the tender documents shall also be available from the Supply Chain Management Unit Offices, 5th Floor, A S Chetty Centre, 333 Church Street, Pietermaritzburg, as from the abovementioned date and time, at a non-refundable tender deposit fee of **R719.22** (including VAT) for each document drawn. Only cash or EFT payments will be accepted.

For any technical related enquiries regarding the Specifications, Tenderers must contact Ms. Londeka Mavuso (Safe City) on either Tel. No. 033-394 010 1 or e-mail: londeka@safecity.co.za

For any procurement related enquiries, Tenderers must contact Vinesh Govender (Supply Chain Management Sub-Unit) on Telephone No. 033 – 392 2027 or e-mail address vinesh.govender@msunduzi.gov.za.

Sealed tenders containing the original hand written priced tender document and a digital copy of the same on a CD/USB Flash Drive and endorsed on the envelope with the "<u>CONTRACT</u><u>No.</u>" and <u>"CONTRACT DESCRIPTION"</u>, must be placed in the Tender Box located at the Central Stores, 2 Abattoir Road, (Off Kershaw Road), Pietermaritzburg, 3201, (Co-ordinates: -29.6126297,30.3610014) not later than **12h00**, **Wednesday**, **28 May 2025**, when they will be publicly opened. Only tenders placed in the Tender Box shall be accepted. Under no circumstances whatsoever will any extension of time be allowed for submission of tenders

Tender Validity Period: Four (4) months commencing from the closing date of tender.

Tender Evaluation & Adjudication Criteria: The tender shall be evaluated on a Two Stage Evaluation System, Stage One Functionality and Stage Two 80/20 Preference Point System. Adjudication criteria will be as per the tender document. The allocation of points will be in line with specific goals as prescribed in terms of Chapter 4 of the Public Procurement Act No. 28 of 2024.

The Functionality for Stage One shall be evaluated on the following criteria:

| Evaluation Criteria | Points Awarded |
|--|-------------------|
| Experience in preparing and compiling Annual Financial Statements, Income Tax Submissions and Companies and Intellectual Property Commission (CIPC) submissions. | 30 |
| Qualifications of a team leader in the Financial Accounting field. | 30 |
| Total No. of Points Awarded | 60 |
| Threshold to Qualify for Stage Two: Preference Points System | 40 |

The allocation of Preference Points will be according to the following Specific Goals:

| Specific goals | Description | Max Points Awarded |
|-------------------|--|-----------------------|
| BOE | ≥ 51% Black Owned Enterprise or 51% management | |
| | Control by South African Black People. | 10 |
| WOE | ≥ 51% Woman Owned Enterprise and Controlled by one | |
| | or more woman or 51% Management control by one or | 5 |
| | more woman. | |
| Locality | Business Situated Within the Msunduzi Municipality's | |
| | Area of Jurisdiction | 5 |
| | Total Preference Points | 20 |

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.

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

MRS. N M NGCOBO (ACTING CITY MANAGER)