

MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY

TENDER NOTICE

SPECIALISED CONTRACT NO. SCM 14 OF 11/12

UPGRADING OF WATERFALL GRAVEL ROAD IN ESIGODINI, EDENDALE

The Msunduzi Municipality hereby invites suitably qualified and experienced Tenderers who have a **CIDB grading level of 3CEPE/4CE or higher** to submit tenders for the above works.

Tender documents shall be available from the Supply Chain Management Sub - Unit Offices, 5th Floor, A S Chetty Building, 333 Church Street, Pietermaritzburg, from **12h00 on Monday, 31 October 2011**. A non - refundable tender fee in the amount **R342.00** Incl. VAT per document shall be levied. Only cash or bank guaranteed cheques will be accepted.

Further information may be obtained from Mr Thokozani Mchunu of the Roads and Transportation Sub-Unit on Telephone No. 033 – 392 2098 / 083 401 2544.

*A **compulsory Site/Clarification Meeting** will be held on **Monday, 7 November 2011**. Prospective tenderers shall meet at the Engen Service Station (opposite Hulamin), Selby Msimang Road (Edendale Road), Edendale, at **10h00** and thereafter proceed in convoy to site. No transport will be provided. Only one Clarification Meeting will be held. No tender shall be accepted from tenderers who do not attend the above meeting.*

An official from the Consultant will chair the meeting and answer queries raised by prospective Tenderers. Any amendment to the tender documentation arising from such answers will be circulated in terms of the meeting's attendance register. Tenderers who arrive at the above meeting after the stipulated starting time will not be allowed to tender.

Sealed tenders, endorsed on the envelope "**Specialised Contract No. SCM 14 of 11/12**" 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 Thursday, 17 November 2011**, when they will be publicly opened. Only tenders placed in the Tender Box shall be accepted.

Tender Validity period: Ninety (90) days commencing from the closing date of tender.

Tender Adjudication / Evaluation Criteria: A two stage evaluation criteria shall apply. Only Tenderers achieving a minimum threshold of 50% for functionality in the first stage shall be considered in the second stage, where the 90/10 Preferential Points System shall thereafter apply.

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.