MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY

TENDER NOTICE

SPECIALISED CONTRACT No. SCM 43 OF 11/12

FIXED RATES BASED CONTRACT - INSTALLATION OF NEW CONSUMER METERS OR REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING CONSUMER METERS WITHIN THE MSUNDUZI MUNICIPALITY'S AREA OF SUPPLY

Tenders are invited from suitably qualified and experienced Tenderers to submit tenders for the above works.

Tender documents shall be available from the Supply Chain Management Unit Offices, 5thFloor, A S Chetty Building, 333 Church Street, Pietermaritzburg, from **10h00 on Friday, 24 February 2012**. A non- refundable tender fee in the amount **R342.00 per document** shall be levied. Only cash or bank guaranteed cheques will be accepted.

Further information may be obtained from Mr Breden Sivparsad on Tel. No. 033 - 392 212 9.

A compulsory Tender Briefing Meeting will be held at 11h00 on Friday, 2 March 2012, in the JOAT Offices Boardroom, 256 Boshoff Street, Pietermaritzburg. Only one Tender Briefing Meeting will be held. An official 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 do not attend the above meeting will not be considered.

Sealed tenders endorsed on the envelope "Specialised Contract No. SCM 43 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 Friday, 9 March 2012, when they will be publicly opened. Only tenders placed in the Tender Box shall be accepted.

Tender Validity period: Three (3) months commencing from the closing date of the tender.

<u>Tender Adjudication/Evaluation Criteria</u>: The tender shall be evaluated on the 90/10 Preferential Points System and in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2011 issued in terms of section 5 of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act No. 5 of 2000.

The Council 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 Service Provider will be informed of the tender result. The Council expects businesses within the Pietermaritzburg and Midlands Region to support its contract and affirmative action programmes.

MR M A NKOSI: MUNICIPAL MANAGER