



TANATHI WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

INVITATION FOR BIDS

EARTH DAMS AND WATER PANS

Tanathi Water Works Development Agency (TAWWDA) has received financing from the Government of Kenya through the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation for construction or rehabilitation of the following projects.

1. Rehabilitation of Ndangani Water Pan - **Tender No: TAWWDA/01/2025-2026**
2. Rehabilitation of Syomuthumo (Itoa Ngi) Water Pan **Tender No: TAWWDA/002/2025-2026**
3. Construction of Kasundu Earth Dam **Tender No.: TAWWDA/003/2025-2026**
4. Rehabilitation of Ngaasani Earth Dam **Tender No: TAWWDA/004/2025-2026**
5. Rehabilitation and Expansion of Ithamba Nzou Water Pan **Tender No: TAWWDA/005/2025-2026**
6. Construction of Kavuta Water Pan **Tender No: TAWWDA/006/2025-2026**
7. Construction of Mwanyani (Kwa Malovoo) Earth Dam **Tender No: TAWWDA/007/2025-2026**

Bidding will be governed by the Government of Kenya Public Procurement rules and Procedures (The Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act 2015; www.ppoa.go.ke).

The works shall comprise but are not limited to the following:

- I. Construction of earth dams and water pans
- II. Construction of spillways
- III. Removing sediments from water pans by excavating and cart away to spoil
- IV. Rehabilitation of spillways

Tanathi Water Works Development Agency now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders to undertake the works described above. The delivery/construction period is as indicated in individual tender documents.

Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding procedures specified by the Government of Kenya Public Procurement rules and Procedures (The Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act 2015; www.ppoa.go.ke), and is open to all bidders registered in Kenya as defined in the Bidding Documents.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from:

**The Chief Executive Officer
Tanathi Water Works Development Agency
Private Bag KITUI, KENYA
Tel: 0792048012**

Email: info@tanathi.go.ke , Website: www.tanathi.go.ke

and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from **0800 hours to 1700 hours local time from Monday to Friday, except during lunch hour (1300 hours to 1400 hours)**, during weekends and public holidays.

The Application must be clearly labelled with the tender name and number.

Qualifications requirements include:

- a) Experience as prime contractor in the construction of at least **two (2) works** of a nature and complexity equivalent to the Works as detailed in individual tenders over the last Five (5) years.
- b) Proposals for the timely acquisition (own, lease, hire, etc.) of the essential equipment.
- c) Liquid assets and/or credit facilities, net of other contractual commitments and exclusive of any advance payments which may be made under the Contract, of not less than the amount indicated in the respective tender documents.
- d) Only firms registered with the National Construction Authority under category NCA 1 to NCA 6 (**WATER OPTION**) shall be eligible for this tender.

A consistent history of litigation or arbitration awards for the Applicant or any partner of a Joint Venture may result in disqualification.

A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language may be inspected and downloaded by interested bidders free of charge at **www.tanathi.go.ke**

Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **1200 hours East Africa time on Thursday, 16th April 2026**. Late bids will be rejected and returned to the Bidder un-opened. Bids will be opened physically in the presence of the bidders or their representatives who choose to attend in person at the address thereafter.

A pre-tender site visit shall be held on the date indicated in the respective tender documents.

The Pre-tender Site Visit is **MANDATORY** and the Tenderer's Representative must meet the following requirements:

1. **Educational Qualification:** Hold a minimum of a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering or an equivalent qualification from a recognized institution.
2. **Professional Registration:** Be duly registered as a Graduate Engineer by a recognized professional body (**e.g., Engineers Board of Kenya or equivalent**).
3. **Authorization Letter:** Provide an official letter of authorization from the Tenderer confirming their appointment as the Tenderer's Representative.

All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security as described in the tender documents.

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