

Luxembourg-Luxembourg: Western Balkans Investment Framework (WBIF) – Infrastructure Project Facility Technical Assistance 12 (IPF 12): Digital; Clean Energy; Environment and Climate Change; Social and Sustainable Transport

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: European Investment Bank
Postal address: 98-100, boulevard Konrad Adenauer
Town: Luxembourg
NUTS code: LU00 Luxembourg
Postal code: L-2950
Country: Luxembourg
E-mail: glo-cpcm-procurement@eib.org

Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://www.eib.org/about/procurement/calls-technical-assistance/all/aa-010284001>

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=14920>
Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

European institution/agency or international organisation

I.5. Main activity

Economic and financial affairs

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

Western Balkans Investment Framework (WBIF) – Infrastructure Project Facility Technical Assistance 12 (IPF 12): Digital; Clean Energy; Environment and Climate Change; Social and Sustainable Transport
Reference number: AA-011076-003

II.1.2. Main CPV code

71356200 Technical assistance services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The overall objective of the TA operation is to contribute to socio economic development through the improvement of the infrastructure in the Western Balkans IPA Beneficiaries. The specific objectives of this TA operation are to support the preparation and implementation of priority infrastructure investment projects that may be financed by a combination of grants (EU and other funds) and loans (from IFIs) in the digital; clean energy; environment and climate change; social and sustainable transport sectors and, in this context, to enhance the cooperation and coordination between financial institutions, beneficiaries, bilateral donors and regional organisations. The results of the TA will be deliverables of high quality for investment in the digital; clean energy; environment and climate change; social and sustainable transport sectors infrastructure and for services to the beneficiaries.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 28 000 000,00 EUR

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: 1A Kosovo

NUTS code: AL Shqipëria

NUTS code: BA Bosnia And Herzegovina

NUTS code: ME Црна Гора / Crna Gora

NUTS code: MK Северна Македонија / Severna Makedonija

NUTS code: RS Srbija/Србија / Serbia

Main site or place of performance: Belgrade, REPUBLIC OF SERBIA.

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

See procurement documents available at the internet address provided in Section I.3).

II.2.5. Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6. Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: 28 000 000,00 EUR

II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months: 6

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The contracting authority may, at its own discretion and subject to the availability of funding, extend the scope and duration of the project to cover additional services, or unforeseen delays in implementation. In case of additional services, such extension shall be up to a maximum of 24 additional months and with the additional budget not exceeding EUR 8 000 000.

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.13. Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds:
yes

Identification of the project: IPA III multi-country multi-annual action plan in support of WBIF 2021–2027.

II.2.14. Additional information

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions for participation

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

IV.1.8. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

IV.2. Administrative information

IV.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 27/09/2023 Local time: 12:00

IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 02/10/2023 Local time: 10:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: Rue du Fort Niedergrüneward

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: L-2925

Country: Luxembourg

Telephone: +352 43031

Fax: +352 43032100

Internet address: <http://curia.europa.eu/>

VI.4.3. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

Tenderers may in the first instance submit any concerns regarding the procurement to the Bank using the contact details under Section I.1) of this contract notice.

If tenderers or other interested parties, believe that the EIB committed an instance of maladministration, (e.g. it has failed to act in accordance with its established policies, standards and procedures or to respect the principles of good administration), they may lodge a complaint to the EIB Group Complaints Mechanism (see <https://www.eib.org/en/about/accountability/complaints/index.htm>) within 1 year from the date when the alleged action, decision or omission by the Bank could be reasonably known by the complainant. If unhappy with the outcome, tenderers can seek a review of the EIB Group's reply to the complaint by the European Ombudsman (see <https://www.ombudsman.europa.eu>).

Within 2 months of notification of the outcome of the procedure (award decision), tenderers may launch an action for its annulment and/or damages. Any request tenderers may make and any reply from the Bank or any complaint of maladministration, will have neither the purpose nor the effect of suspending the time-limit for launching an action for annulment nor open a new period for launching an action for annulment. The body responsible for hearing annulment procedures is indicated under Section VI.4.1) of this contract notice

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

07/07/2023