

Invitation for Bids

Country: India
Date of this Invitation: 29-11-2021
Contract No.: GMRC/RS2
Contract Title: Design, Manufacture, Supply, Testing, Commissioning and Training of 72 Nos. Standard Gauge Cars for Surat Metro Rail Phase-I Project

The Gujarat Metro Rail Corporation (GMRC) Limited has applied for financing from KfW toward the cost of the Surat Metro Rail Phase-I Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the Contract for Design, Manufacture, Supply, Testing, Commissioning and Training of 72 Nos. Standard Gauge Cars for Surat Metro Rail Phase-I Project for which this Invitation for Bids is issued.

The Gujarat Metro Rail Corporation (GMRC) Limited now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the Design, Manufacture, Supply, Testing, Commissioning and Training of 72 Nos. Standard Gauge Cars for Surat Metro Rail Phase-I Project.

Bidding will be conducted by means of the International Competitive Bidding procedure with qualification as specified in the KfW Guidelines for the Procurement of Consulting Services, Works, Goods, Plant and Non-Consulting Services in Financial Cooperation with Partner Countries ("KfW Procurement Guidelines").

KfW requires that Bidders and Contractors, as well as Borrowers, under Contracts funded with KfW Loan observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of such Contracts. In pursuance of this policy, KfW:

- (a) will reject a proposal for award if it determines that the Bidder recommended for award has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the Contract in question;
- (b) will recognize a Contractor as ineligible, for a period determined by KfW, to be awarded a Contract funded with KfW Loan if it at any times determines that the Contractor has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for, or in executing, another contract funded by KfW.

Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from

Sr. DGM (Civil & Procurement).

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A complete set of Bidding documents is available to the bidders on the GMRC e-procurement website <https://gmrc.nprocure.com/>. Interested Bidder shall have to submit non-refundable bid

fees of INR 50,000/- (Indian Rupees Fifty Thousand only) through DD/Banker's Cheque along with the bid submission in 1st envelope "Initial Filter Cum Qualification Requirement (IFCQR) Bid". No other mode of payment will be accepted.

DD/ Banker's Cheque drawn on a Scheduled Commercial Bank based in India and should be in favour of "Gujarat Metro Rail Corporation (GMRC) Ltd" payable at Gandhinagar/Ahmedabad.

The payment of the tender fees is acceptable from bidder's account only. However, in case of JV/Consortium, the tender fees/security can be either paid from JV/Consortium account or one of the constituent member of JV/Consortium.

The Document shall be available on GMRC e-procurement website <https://gmrc.nprocure.com/>.

The Bids must be delivered to the address, on or before the date and time, as indicated in the Instructions to Bidders, clause 23.1. Late Bids will be rejected. Electronic Bid Submission shall be permitted and be handled as indicated in the Instructions to Bidders, clause 23.1.

In the first public Bid opening session, the Initial Filter cum Qualification Requirement Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives. In the second public Bid opening session, the Technical Bids of those Bidders who have fulfilled the Initial Filter cum Qualification Requirement Bid requirements as per the Bidding Document will be opened. In the third public Bid opening session, the financial Bids of those Bidders who have fulfilled the Technical Bid requirements as per the Bidding Document will be opened.

All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security.

Kindly note, that the prerequisites for disbursements for this Project are not yet finalized. The tender process is initiated as "advance tendering" prior to the finalisation of the underlying Funding Agreement. Any contractual commitment resulting from this prequalification, later tender and award procedure is subject to the readiness of disbursement of funds for this Project.