

## **REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST**

### **(INDIVIDUAL CONSULTING SERVICES)**

#### **FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA**

#### **Prioritized Road Investment and Management Enhancements Project (P172225)**

#### **Assignment Title: Road Safety Audit Expert**

#### **Reference No: FM-DOTCI-168143-CS-INDV**

The Government of the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM) has received a Project Preparation Advance (PPA) to assist in the preparation of the FSM Prioritized Road Investment and Management Enhancements Project (FSMPRIMEP). The PPA will be used to prepare the necessary technical, economic, environmental and design studies for the project, including road safety audits, to identify areas of concern for the safety of the travelling public and to inform the design and construction of the road improvement works.

The consulting services ("the Services") will be to conduct Road Safety Audits of Selected Roads in the Federated States of Micronesia and to prepare a Field Guide for Road Safety at Road Works that includes Traffic Management Plan Templates for Safe Traffic Control at Road works. The assignment is expected to start in October, 2020 and the Consultant will be required to provide 30 days of inputs over a one year period.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment are attached to this request for expressions of interest and can be found at the following website: [www.tci.gov.fm](http://www.tci.gov.fm).

The Department of Transportation, Communication and Infrastructure now invites eligible individuals ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services (attach curriculum vitae with description of experience in similar assignments, similar conditions, etc. and the details of two references). Firms' staff may express interest through the employing firm for the assignment and, under such situation, only the experience and qualifications of individuals shall be considered in the selection process.

The criteria for selecting the Consultant are:

#### **Mandatory Requirements**

- Have a degree in civil engineering or other relevant field with 15 years of relevant work experience in road safety engineering, including the identification and treatment of black-spots;
- Have road safety monitoring and evaluation experience;
- Have undertaken at least five formal road safety audits, including at least three at design stages;
- Successfully earned a road safety audit training course certification, of at least two days duration;
- Have experience in the development and implementation of traffic and road safety engineering schemes and management systems.

#### **Desirable Requirement**

- Experience in carrying out road safety audits in Pacific Islands countries will be preferred.

The attention of interested Consultants (including firms) is drawn to paragraph 3.14, 3.16 and 3.17 of the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers dated July 2016, revised November 2017 and August 2018 ("the Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by e-mail) by **Friday, August 7th, 2020**.

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