



Consultancy ref no: 11/Conservation/Central /24-25

RFP FOR CONSULTANCY SERVICES

WWF-PAKISTAN

Subject:

MONITORING & EVALUATION OF PROJECT REPORTS, DATA COLLECTION TOOLS, STAKEHOLDERS' ENGAGEMENT, AND METHODOLOGY AND DEVELOPING A COMPREHENSIVE MONITORING AND EVALUATION (M&E) FRAMEWORK FOR THE GENDER IWT PROJECT

Application Submission:

Interested consultants should submit the Proposal on the **Application Form Available Online** or can access through following Link:

Following Link:

<https://forms.gle/vqxZu1DUzQ7xGwEfA>

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1) INTRODUCTION & BACKGROUND

Contract type:	Consultancy and Services
Duration of assignment:	September 25, 2024- October 25, 2024
Type:	Firm/company/Individuals

Background of Project & Assignment:

The project seeks to conduct Pakistan's first assessment to determine gender dynamics in illegal wildlife trade (IWT). It will explore women's roles in IWT and combatting IWT, and the drivers influencing their participation, including vulnerable livelihoods or law-enforcement constraints such as limited representation of women in the wildlife ranger workforce. The current assignment aims to conduct M&E. The main objectives of this consultancy are (i) to review project reports and supporting documents. (ii) Review the data collection tools and methodology. (iii) Additionally, it involves monitoring and reviewing the stakeholders' engagement at different project levels and documenting actions.

2) GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1) The WWF-PAKISTAN reserves the right to reject or accept any proposal. The WWF-PAKISTAN reserves the right to proceed with the implementation of any Service, in whole or in part, as described in the Proposal.
- 2) The WWF-PAKISTAN reserves the right to engage in discussions with any BIDDER to clarify responses or discuss certain issues with regards to the proposal or services requested. The WWF-PAKISTAN has no obligation to notify the other BIDDERS of the discussions, clarifications, or other information provided by a BIDDER. Any additional information required for the preparation of the BID shall be distributed to all participants at the same time.
- 3) The WWF-PAKISTAN reserves the right to award the proposal based on experience, qualification, completion date, service cost, and other criteria, and not necessarily the lowest cost.
- 4) Based on the RFP BID the WWF-PAKISTAN is entitled to change/replace or omit any clause/part of the preliminary defined scope of services of the proposal. The WWF-PAKISTAN shall conduct negotiations with WWF to achieve full compliance to the requirements.
- 5) The WWF-PAKISTAN reserves the right in the event the successful CONSULTANT fails to comply with the terms and conditions as listed, to cancel this contract and award it to another CONSULTANT without penalty or action against the WWF-PAKISTAN. The RFP does not constitute an agreement or order.
- 6) The RFP is not a binding agreement between the parties, submission of a proposal or response by a proponent is voluntary.
- 7) By submitting a bid, the BIDDER is deemed to have acknowledged all of the undertakings, specifications, terms, and conditions, **WWF Fraud and Corruption Prevention and Investigation Policy, and WWF's Environment Social & Safeguard for consultant agreement** and to be bound by them if the BID is accepted. All expenses incurred by the Bidder in connection with the preparation of its proposal are to be borne by the RFP participant, and the WWF-PAKISTAN shall not incur any obligation whatsoever toward the Bidder regardless of whether such bid is accepted or rejected.

3) PURPOSE

a. The objective of the Consultancy:

This is an internal in-house assignment to conduct the Monitoring and evaluation (M&E) of the project documents. The main objectives of this consultancy are (i) to review project reports and supporting documents. (ii) Support and review the data collection tools and methodology. (iii) Additionally, it involves monitoring and reviewing the stakeholders' engagement at different project levels and documenting actions. The overall goal is to develop a comprehensive monitoring and evaluation (M&E) framework that will assess the effectiveness, efficiency, and sustainability of the Gender IWT Project.

Specific Tasks:

The main tasks of this consultancy are to assess the progress toward achieving the project's objectives review the data collection tools, reports, methods, and stakeholder engagement at different levels of the project, and develop a comprehensive monitoring and evaluation (M&E) framework

4) Deliverables

The consultant is expected to deliver the following:

1. A comprehensive M&E framework
2. Review of Data Collection Tools and Methodology and Resulted Report
3. Stakeholder Engagement Monitoring

5) REQUIREMENTS

a. Qualification

The consultant should have:

- At least a master's degree in a relevant field
- A well-reputed firm/individual capable of undertaking the desired assignment as described in the scope of work and at least 5–10 years of experience in M&E, preferably in the development sector.
- Proven experience conducting, designing, and implementing M&E frameworks for similar projects.
- Familiarity with the region and the socio-economic context of the project area is an advantage.

b. Eligibility

- Strong analytical and report-writing skills
- Excellent communication and capacity-building skills
- Prior experience in M&E.

c. Experience

- Extensive experience (at least 10 years) experience in conducting M&E for the development sector projects.
- Proven and demonstrated experience in analytical and report-writing skills.
- Experience working in a team.

Required documents

Interested individual consultants/consultancy must submit the following documents/information to demonstrate their qualifications:

- Proposal: Explaining why they are the most suitable for the work, and previous work experiences;
- Profile of the applicant
- Financial proposal (including fee, travel cost (if any), and other relevant expenses)
- Curriculum Vitae of the team engaged in the Project

6) CORRESPONDENCE & SUBMISSION OF PROPOSAL

1. **Application Submission:**

Interested consultants should submit the Proposal on [Application Form Available Online](#) or can access through following Link:

<https://forms.gle/vqxZu1DUzQ7xGwEfA>

2. If Any **Queries** may send through Email by attention to the Following:

To: Faiza khan (fakhan@wwf.org.pk)

Cc: Muzzammil Ahmed (mahmed@wwf.org.pk)

The RFP submission deadline is mentioned on WWF-Website.

3. Any information and responses to enquiries will be made in writing and distributed by email to all proponents. Enquiries after the foregoing deadline will not receive a response.

7) FORMAT OF THE PROPOSAL

The BID submitted by the participant must be structured as per the below-provided instructions:

- 1) **Application Form available at WWF-Website** - General information about the Bidder, covering, qualification and experience, CV, and all related information.
- 2) **Experience:**
 - a) **Description of the complete projects:** the list and general information about the complete projects, description of the role in the project, other accomplishments of the Consultant.
- 3) **Proposal outlining scope consultancy service-** Description of scope and working process, stages, deliverables, exclusions, conditions;
- 4) **Provide template of already complete similar type of reports-** the WWF-PAKISTAN may request additionally;
- 5) **Service Provision Timeline** – Provide Detailed Work Plan as per Deliverable and TORs.
- 6) **Financial Proposal-** the prices shall be provided in Pak Rs, the total price shall include all costs related to service provision including applicable taxes.

Note:

Templates of all information is provided on Application form available at WWF-Website. Any Additional Information related to the RFP can be attached along with application Form.

8) FINANCIAL PROPOSAL

The proposed prices shall be provided in PKR, the total price shall include all costs related to service provision including all Direct and Indirect taxes, Travel, Boarding & Lodging shall be based on actual receipt up to max Ceiling (If Any).

The consultant will submit the cost of the assignment in a lump sum, including all applicable taxes according to the Government of Pakistan and the Government of KP

The Payment Term: shall be defined by the contract to be concluded between WWF -Pakistan and the consultant.

9) EVALUATION PROCESS

Applicant's proposal shall be evaluated based on Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method. Under QCBS both technical and financial proposals shall be evaluated as per following criteria against a maximum score of 100 points.

- A) Technical Proposal (70%)
- Detailed workplan
 - Expression of interest (EOI)

- Company's Profile
 - Detailed methodology
- B) Financial Proposal (30%)
- Detailed financial proposal which should be inclusive of all applicable taxes and out-of-pocket expenses. The financial proposal should follow a breakdown structure i.e., specifying cost(s) to each head and subhead
 - Company's registration certificate
 - NTN detail(s)
 - Any legal or technical certification required for the task
 - Audited Accounts Report (if available) of last FY

Note: Late/ incomplete submissions will not be accepted. Only three (03) top-ranked firms will be included in the comparative process

10) DOCUMENTATION AND CONFIDENTIALITY

All documents completed based on requirements of the present RFP shall be the property of the WWF-Pakistan, and shall not without the consent of the WWF-Pakistan be used, reproduced, or made available to third parties beyond what is necessary in respect of the fulfillment of the Project. All documents issued and information given to the BIDDER shall be treated as confidential.

11) BUDGET

Total Budget for this activity inclusive of all taxes and Out-of-pocket expenses is **PKR 387,665**.