



# Government of Jamaica

Ministry of Transport, Works & Housing



NATIONAL WORKS AGENCY



## Invitation to Bid

### MAJOR INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

#### TENDER FOR SUB-CONTRACTUAL WORKS : ROAD REHABILITATION LACOVIA (TOMBSTONE) TO GUTTERS, ST. ELIZABETH

The Government of Jamaica (GOJ), acting through the Ministry of Transport, Works and Housing, has committed funds from the Major Infrastructure Development Programme (MIDP), jointly financed by the China Exim Bank and the GOJ, toward the cost of the Sub-Contract Works

The National Works Agency, acting on behalf of China Harbour Engineering Company Limited, the main contractor, now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for rehabilitation works for the Lacovia (Tombstone) to Gutters road in the parish of St. Elizabeth.

**Scope of Works:** The proposed works will be implemented along the Lacovia (Tombstone) to Gutters control section in the parish of St. Elizabeth covering a distance of 22.40 km and comprises, but not limited to, site clearance, preparation of formation, pavement construction, placement of asphalt as regulation course and overlay with Asphaltic Concrete, drainage works and road marking.

**Eligibility:** Bidders must be registered with the National Contracts Commission (NCC) in Grade 1 of the General Road Works or Road Surfacing (Asphaltic Concrete Works) category and must have a valid Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC) at the time of bid.

**Availability:** Bidding Documents will be available as of **Monday, February 1, 2016** from the Directorate of Major Projects, National Works Agency, 140 Maxfield Avenue, Kingston 10, Jamaica W.I., between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday to Friday.

**Fee:** A non-refundable payment of J\$5,000.00 in cash or Manager's Cheque made payable to the "The Chief Executive Officer, National Works Agency" is required for each set of bidding documents.

**Bid Security:** Bid Security valued at \$2,000,000.00 in the form of a Bid Bond/Bid Guarantee or a Manager's Cheque made payable to "The Chief Executive Officer, National Works Agency" must accompany the tender.

**Return of Bids:** Completed bids along with the required documents are to be placed in a sealed envelope marked "**BID DOCUMENTS FOR ROAD REHABILITATION WORKS - LACOVIA (TOMBSTONE) TO GUTTERS, ST.ELIZABETH**" and placed in the Tender Box similarly labelled located in the Lobby of the National Works Agency, 140 Maxfield Avenue, Kingston 10, Jamaica W.I., no later than **11:00 am, Monday, February 22, 2016**.

**Bidders with Bidding Documents not accompanied by a valid Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC), a current National Contracts Commission (NCC) certificate in Grade 1 of the General Road Works or Road Surfacing (Asphaltic Concrete Works) category and the stipulated Bid Security will be rejected.**

**Opening of Bid:** Bidding documents will be opened publicly at **11:15 am on Monday, February 22, 2016** in the Main Conference Room, National Works Agency, 140 Maxfield Avenue, Kingston 10, Jamaica W.I. Bidders or their representatives are allowed to have their representatives present at the opening of the Bids.

All queries concerning the Bidding Documents shall be made in writing and addressed to Mr. Linval Ramdial, Directorate of Major Projects, National Works Agency, 140 Maxfield Avenue, Kingston 10, Jamaica, W.I. Tel:733-4066. **The National Works Agency reserves the right not to accept the lowest or any other bid or to annul the bidding process and reject all bids at any time prior to award without incurring any liability.**