

## **Tender Notice: Construction of Shallow water wells.**

Date: 16<sup>th</sup> Nove 2025.

Ref: ITT-WELLS-16-11-25.

**Project:** Integrated climate-adaptation package of environment and water conservation application for resilient farming and pastoral communities in Somaliland.

**Sector:** Environment, Climate Change and resilience”.

### **1. Organization Background**

Taakulo Somaliland Community Commonly known by the acronym “**TAAKULO**”. Taakulo is a multifaceted non-governmental, non-profit making, non-political and non-partisan development and humanitarian aid organization established in 2007 and headquartered in Hargeisa, Somaliland. Taakulo is a Somali word meaning “helping/aiding”. Working in partnership with UN, international, and National organizations, Taakulo is dedicated to helping the disadvantaged people and communities throughout Somaliland by engaging in development and related activities and providing relief support and assistance, facilitating, and promoting participatory local community activities and programs that emphasize human dignity and self-reliance.

Taakulo Organization was established to assist the Somali community, to whom time has tested their resilience to the tipping point, drought and famine scavenging their livelihood, war and conflict avenging their economy on the other hand. The projects are basically based on the needs of the communities in which they are implemented where the beneficiaries always take part in the planning process. Taakulo engages on a long-term commitment, partnership approach with the beneficiaries in implementing the Projects. The objective is to set up a regional program concentrating on a particular sector, such as Health, education, water and sanitation, Income Generation, Orphan sponsorship program, disability and people with special needs, emergency respond or improving food security in the country among others.

### **2. Project Background**

TAAKULO in collaboration with DM-AID have launched new sustainable project addressing the protracted crisis of climate change, water shortages, and livelihood crisis. As part of the proposed activities, the project will focus on the establishment of 15 improved shallow wells, each equipped with durable hand-pump systems and concrete protective covers to ensure water quality, safety, and long-term functionality. These shallow wells will be developed through systematic earth excavation and drilling techniques designed to reach reliable underground aquifers capable of sustaining year-

round water availability. The project is intended to provide communities with a more stable and climate-resilient water source.

Through these interventions, the project will enhance access to fresh water for multiple uses—including domestic consumption, small-scale irrigation, livestock watering, and household needs—ultimately strengthening community resilience, protecting livelihoods, and reducing vulnerability to climate-induced shocks.

### 3. Tender Objective

Taakulo Somali Community is cordially inviting all eligible contractors which are technically sound to apply the tender Bid for the implementation of 15 shallow water wells in Sanaag, M.jeex, Sahil, and Awdal regions of Somaliland.

### 4. Summary Sheet of Activities.

No	Activity	Target area	Activity allocation
1	Construction of 15 shallow water wells	1 Sanaag/ Ceel-Afwayn district.	7 shallow wel
		2 M.Jeex & Sahil regions	2 shallow wells
		3. Awdal Region.	6 Shallow wells

### 5. Advert note:

Taakulo Somali Community is inviting to a bid for construction of shallow water wells. Bid announcement date is **16<sup>th</sup> Nove 2025**, The deadline of the submission is the **Sunday, 23<sup>th</sup> Nov 2025** to Taakulo office, Buurta Kalajeexan area, behind Ilyes Secondary School, Hargeisa Somaliland. Make sure the bid to be sealed and stumped. and hereinafter submitted as hardcopy To TAAKULO main Office **during working hours 8:00am to 4:00pm from Sun Day to Thursday.**

**NB:** Documents must be stamped Early submission is highly acknowledged.

### 6. Supplier Eligibility

The bidders must have the necessary technical and financial capabilities in association with the bid requirements. The bidders must have the following documents.

- I. Quoted billing quantity BoQ, which is stamped and signed.
- II. Company profile
- III. Bank statement; of the last 6 months.
- IV. Proof of past experience in thematic area.
- V. A valid company license from any of ministry of housing, tender committee i.e. (Outdated license will not be accepted).
- VI. Updated tax clearance certificates
- VII. signed contracts, (Experience in thematic area is highly acknowledged)
- VIII. Work plan of Weekly basis.

## 7. Evaluation Criteria.

### 7.1 Mandatory Requirement (Preliminary Assessment).

At this stage, evaluation will be based on a Yes/No criteria, and bidders must meet all the required conditions to advance to the next phase of the evaluation.

#	Mandatory Criteria	Requirement.
1	Company Registration certificate with relevant ministry (ministry of public housing)	Copy of certificate.
2	Valid tax clearance certificate	Copy of certificate.
3	Company bank statement- original copy. With last 6 months.	Original Copy statement.

### 7.2 Technical Requirements.

#	Description	Score.
1	<b>Company past experience.</b>	<b>40%</b>
1.1	Similar/relevant tasks of water infrastructure work with INGO, NGO and Gov. entities.	
	<b>3 or more similar/ relevant experience contracts with UN, INGO, NGO.</b>	<b>25</b>
	2 similar/ relevant experience contracts with UN, INGO, NGO.	15
	1 similar/ relevant experience contracts with UN, INGO, NGO.	10
1.2	Non-similar/ non relevant task or construction works with INGO, NGO and Gov. entities.	
	<b>3 or more non similar/ non relevant experience contracts with UN, INGO, NGO.</b>	<b>15</b>
	2 non-similar/ non relevant experience contracts with UN, INGO, NGO.	10
	1 non-similar/ non relevant experience contracts with UN, INGO, NGO.	5
	No submission of past contracts.	0
2	<b>Detailed work plan</b>	<b>5%</b>

	Submission of detailed and realistic work plan with weekly basis.	5
3	<b>Company equipment and Staff technical expertise.</b>	<b>15%</b>
	<p>1. Company should submit list of equipment and work tools relevant to the proposed work.</p> <p>2. Bidder to submit the CV and Certificate of at least one technical staff for relevant academic background (bachelor's degree) and experience of more than three years.</p> <p>NB: this score will depend on physical verification and certification by Taakulo procurement staff.</p>	15

The pass mark of the technical evaluation will be **40 Marks**, and bidders who exceeded the pass mark will be advanced to the next stage of financial evaluations.

**Financial evaluations (40%).**

Taakulo will evaluate the financial quotes by the bidders sealing price set by Taakulo Engineers. Formula= sealing/Quoted price\*40%. The bidders are required to duly signed and stamped the filled BOQ. Unstamped BOQ will be disqualified.