

## Feed the Future Malawi Agricultural Diversification Activity Solicitation for the Supply of Irrigation Technology Equipment

Palladium International LLC is implementing a five-year USAID funded Feed the Future Malawi Agriculture Diversification Activity. The Activity is designed to contribute to USAID/Malawi's Feed the Future goal of sustainably reducing poverty and stunting in eight districts of Central and Southern Malawi: Mchinji, Dedza, Ntcheu, Balaka, Machinga, Mangochi, Lilongwe rural and Blantyre rural. Palladium is seeking to prequalify interested dealers, companies or organisations for the supply of Irrigation Technology Equipment - Irrigation Water rollers, Simple Manual Irrigation Pump and Solar Powered Irrigation Pump. The irrigation technology equipment will improve smallholder farmers efficiency in water transport and irrigating backyard gardens.

Lot No.	Descriptions	Specifications	Quantity	Delivery Period
1.	Irrigation Water Rollers	To hold Max 90 litres Water volume Have a top opening with 135mm diameter with sealed cap lead Rounded smooth drum ends Made of heavy duty UV stabilized polyethylene Steel handle Colours blue or green Provide technical support / Training of trainers for beneficiaries	100	Within 4 weeks from date of signing purchase order at the Ag Div offices in Lillongwe
2.	Simple Manual Irrigation Pump	Hand pumped irrigation Pump     Ability to pump 5 meters below the pump and minimum 100 meters after the pump     Ability to pump minimum continuous 1500 litres per hour     Accessories – 10 meters pipe for pumping before pump and 100 meters flexi hosepipe for pumping after pump     Provide technical support / Training of trainers for beneficiaries.	100	Wähin 4 weeks from date of signing purchase order at the Ag Div offices in Lilongwe
3.	Solar Powered Imigation Pump	Solar powered (surface) Irrigation Pump complete with connecting accessories Portable Pumping Capacity of 12,000 litres per day Head / suction lift of 10m Provide technical support / Training of trainers for boneficiaries	50	Within 4 weeks from date of signing purchase order at the Ag Div offices in Lillongwe

Bidders should include the following information in their bid:

- Company Profile, certificate of registration, Tax (VAT) registration, Withholding tax registration certificate (these will be verified with issuing authorities)
- Proof of prior experience (past contracts, purchase orders) and references of supplies done within the last 3 years.
- · Warranty / guarantee minimum 12 months
- Estimated costs for each item and associated components etc. Bidders
  may bid for a single lot, multiple or all of them provided they are bidding for
  a full quantity for each lot. Evaluation will be based per lot.
- Payment plan the activity will only process payment upon final delivery and acceptance of services and supplies.
- Bidders are free to quote for a single lot, any combination or all of them
  provided they are quoting for a full quantity of the lot.

Interested suppliers must submit quotations in sealed envelopes, delivered to the address below by close of business on Friday 20 October 2017 specifying the lot number being applied for on the envelope: Solicitation for the Supply of Irrigation Technical Equipment: Lot 1 or 2 or 3 to: Palladium International, Feed the Future Ag Diversification Activity, Plot 3/121, Laws Avenue, Off Colby Street, Lilongwe, Malawi.

## Email: Procurement@ftfagdiv.com

Palladium International reserves the right to accept or reject any submissions, or make no purchase. All prospective vendors will be required to submit a due diligence request, as required by the United States Government. Only selected vendors will be contacted.