



REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

(CONSULTING SERVICES – Individual Consultant)

Country: Palestine

**Name of the project: “Local Government Reform & Development Program
Phase II - Addendum”
(LGRDP II-IM)**

**Assignments Title: Individual Consultant for Upgrading, Expansion &
supervision for wastewater treatment plans in West Bani Zaid & First JSC in
Qalqiya**

Reference No.: LGRDP II-IM- PZA 1303311-01

The Palestinian local government system is in a development process that involves increased decentralization and strengthened fiscal, organizational and management capacity, increased citizen participation, and improved efficiency and viability of service provision. The Palestinian Authority has embarked in a series of reforms since 2016 in order to respond to projected and current effects of climate change. Adaptation to climate change is considered as high priority. The Palestinian and Belgian Parties have decided, in Dec 2020, that the Local Government Reform and Development Programme (LGRDP II) would be extended with a specific focus on addressing environment and climate change challenges, to contribute to develop more ‘green, resilient and sustainable municipalities and territories.

The main objective of this consultancy assignment is to provide upgrading, expansion, supervision & technical assistance to (2) green initiatives (Wastewater treatment plans) in West Bani Zaid & First Joint Council in Qalqilya, for the implementation of sub-projects approved by LGRDP II Steering Committee as part of the Local Government Reform & Development Program Phase II (LGRDP II),

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be viewed at the website: www.MDLF.org.ps/TOR

The Municipal Development and Lending Fund now invite eligible qualified individuals to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested individual consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” November 2020, setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.

Individual Consultants will be selected through a comparison of the qualifications of those who expressed interest in this position.



Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours 8:00 A.M. to 3:00 PM.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by fax, or by e-mail) by **13/02/2023**.

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