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3RD CALL FOR CIVIL WORKS PROPOSALS FROM COMMUNITY GROUPS/WATER USERS ASSOCIATIONS (WUAs) /COMMUNITY BASED ORGANISATIONS (CBOs) FROM THE RELEVANT PROJECT FOCAL DEVELOPMENT AREAS (FDAs) TO DEVELOP/ REHABILITATE WATER SOURCES, WATER CONVEYANCE SYSTEMS (DOMESTIC/IRRIGATION) OR REHABILITATE HOTSPOTS

I. BACKGROUND

The Government of Kenya has received financial assistance from the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) and the Spanish Trust Fund towards financing an eight year (2012-2020) Upper Tana Natural Resources Management Project. The project now intends to use part of the funds to invite proposals from community groups in relevant project FDAs to undertake civil works activities.

The goal of the project is to "contribute to reduction of rural poverty in the Upper Tana river catchment". This goal is pursued via two development objectives which reflect the poverty-environment nexus namely (i) increased sustainable food production and incomes for poor rural households living in the project area; and (ii) sustainable management of natural resources for provision of environmental services.

The project is being implemented in the Upper Tana catchment along 24 river basins and the tributaries of the four (4) river basins under Mt Kenya Pilot Project (MKEPP) as follows:-

Tributaries of the Mt. Kenya East Pilot Project for NRM (MKEPP) River Basins (4)	Ena (Itimbogo, Thura and Gangara) Kapingazi/Rupingazi (Kiye, Thambana, Itabua and Kathita), Kathita (Gaciama/Kinyartha, Kuuru, Riji), Kithinu/Mutonga (Naka, Nidhi, South Maara, North Maara and Thuci)
Twelve (12) High Priority River Basins for UTaNRMP	Maragua, Murubara, Nairobi, Ragati, Rujiweru, Rupingazi, SabaSaba, Thangatha, Thanantui, Thiba, Thika/Sasumua and Thingithu
Twelve (12) Other River Basins for UTaNRMP	Amboni/Muringato, Iraru, Kayahwe, Chania, Mara, Mariara, Mathioya, Nyamindi, Ruguti, Rwamuthambi, Sagana and Ura

The project area is in six counties namely; Embu, Tharaka-Nithi, Meru, Nyeri, Kirinyaga and Murang'a and the area includes the Mt. Kenya and Aberdares National Parks and surrounding Forest Reserves. The project implementation is through four components namely: Sustainable Water Resources and Natural Resources Management, Sustainable Rural Livelihoods, Community Empowerment and Project Coordination and Management. The Project Lead Agency is the Ministry of Water and Irrigation.

2. PROJECT FUNDING MODALITIES

The project has three main community funding Modalities:-

- Grants to Common Interest Groups (CIGs) for income Generating activities.
- Grants Water Resources Users Associations (WRUAs) and CFAs through Water Services Trust Fund (WSTF).
The Water Resources Users Associations (WRUAs) will be supported by the project to implement their SCMPs. The funds are disbursed through Water Services Trust Fund (WSTF) and the WRUAs must have developed plans for their catchment for implementation. WSTF regularly advertises for call for proposals.
- Grants to WUAs/community groups/CBOs to implement civil works.
 - Alternative water sources:
This is where the Water Users Associations (WUAs)/community groups / CBOs are assisted to Rehabilitate/upgrade their water sources, water conveyance systems or hotspots. Funding is through submission of proposals for civil works activities.
 - Water Saving Irrigation technologies
CBOs/WRUAs /Community groups are supported by the project to upgrade their existing irrigation systems to improve on their efficiencies. Funding through submission of proposals for civil works activities
 - Remedial works at hotspots
A hotspot is an area that contributes negatively to water quality and quantity. These points occur in many parts of the project area (e.g. graded hilltops, road run off, raw sewage from public institutions etc.). Under the water sub-component in the UTaNRMP project will support the rehabilitation of those hot spots that require civil works. Funding is through submission of proposals for civil works Rainwater harvesting
This is where communities are supported in rain water harvesting and storage. These include roof water harvesting, dams/pans, sand dams and sub-surface dams

3. 3RD CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Proposals from Community groups should include the following areas:-

- Community water development. The activities include:-
 - Development/rehabilitation of rainwater harvesting and storage including water pans and dams, sub-surface dams and rock catchment (all the levels of FDAs are eligible)
 - Roof water harvesting demonstration for public institutions (e.g. schools, hospitals, dispensaries, health centres, youth polytechnics) (only 4th level FDAs are eligible);
 - Rehabilitation/development of boreholes, shallow wells and springs (all levels of FDAs are eligible);
 - Rehabilitation of intakes and community domestic water supply systems (only level 2,3 and 4 are eligible).
- Water - Saving Irrigation technologies
Activities include:-
 - Upgrading of water conveyance systems and improvement of Water application systems in order to improve efficiencies. (only level 2,3, and 4 FDAs are eligible)
 - Remedial works at hot spots (all the levels of FDAs are eligible)
Activities include rehabilitation of road embankments; borrow pits, quarries, and denuded hilltops, and eroded riverbanks, wetlands and springs.

All the above stated activities should have been identified in the respective Community Action Plans of the respective Focal Development Area in which the WUAs/community groups/CBOs is located.

The CBO/WUA/community group may seek for technical support from relevant Government Department/Agency when preparing technical aspects of the proposal. The projects that were deferred in 2nd call for proposals are required to re-submit only the documents/information that was lacking in their proposal and the rejected proposals are eligible for re-application for this 3rd call if they are from the eligible FDA (refer to clause 3)

4. FUNDING

The WUA/CBO will be required to contribute 30% of the total proposal cost while UTaNRMP will provide assistance to a maximum of 70% of the total proposal cost, except for activities of public good nature (point source spring development, dams/pans, hotspot, boreholes, and wells) and also from a proposal from a vulnerable group (youth, women and groups made of disabled groups) where the maximum assistance from UTaNRMP is 90% and the community contribution will be 10%. An implementation agreement will be signed between UTaNRMP and the successful group/WUA/CBO specifying on the mode of implementation arrangement.

5. ELIGIBLE FDAs

The proposals should come from the following 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th level FDAs as per clause

No.	River basin	Name of the FDA	FDA level
1	Thangatha	Lower Thangatha	1 st
		Mauthini -Kanjoro	1 st
		Kunati	1 st
		Kihanga	2 nd
		Gathiri	2 nd
		Ntoroni- Irunduni	2 nd
		Thangatha Uwezo	2 nd
		Muthinto	2 nd
		Kithiga	1 st
		Kereria -Gatunga	1 st
2	Thanantui	Nkumbo	1 st
		Baraimu Kiorimba	1 st
		Kiega	2 nd
		Michimikuru	2 nd
		Kirima Ntigi	2 nd
		Kiamagogo	2 nd
		Nwamko	2 nd
		Magi	2 nd
		Matakiri - Irunduni	2 nd

3	Rujiweru	Mutethia	1 st
		Nthambiro	1 st
		Kimka	1 st
		Kindani	2 nd
4	Thingithu	Ntugi -Ibote	1 st
		Karochi -Gakurungu	1 st
		Nkueene	1 st
		Kondaki	1 st
		Kija	1 st
		Kiama	1 st
		Kiria	2 nd
		Kathangune	2 nd
		Tumaini	2 nd
		Muruga karochi	2 nd
		Matta Thura	1 st
		Upper Thura	2 nd
Itira Thura	2 nd		
Thura Kwa Andu	2 nd		
5	Ena Thura	A Mbogo	2 nd
		Njeruri	2 nd
		Kioger Thura	2 nd
		Lower Thura	2 nd
		Ena (Gangara)	1 st
		Ena (Itimbogo)	1 st
		Matururi	1 st
		Karago	2 nd
		Upper Rwanjoga	2 nd
		Kamitani	2 nd
		Gankungo	1 st
		3K- Iruri	1 st
Nkumbo Mwangaza	2 nd		
Kiakanku	2 nd		
Kambo	2 nd		
Kithima	2 nd		
Giamboma	2 nd		
Chomu	2 nd		
Muchoki	2 nd		
6	Mutonga (North Maara)	Ilkalka	1 st
		Mwelkinga	2 nd
		Inanduru	2 nd
		Kimugwi	2 nd
		Kaka	1 st
		Kagika	2 nd
		Upper Nithi	2 nd
		Igwaga	2 nd
		Lower Thuchi Kamaindi	1 st
		Kamukima	1 st
		Isharia Thuci	1 st
		Mukuria	1 st
Kamwimbi Thuci	2 nd		
Kiaga	2 nd		
Muthuma	2 nd		
Thuma	2 nd		
Kyeni /Kiangagwa	2 nd		
Thuchi /Gitwa	2 nd		
Nguthi	2 nd		
7	Mutonga (NAKA)	Riancege	2 nd
		Maringani	2 nd
		Kamuiumu	2 nd
		Kimwe	2 nd
		Riancege	2 nd
		Ngwata	1 st
		Mwirumba	2 nd
		Runyweka	2 nd
		Karwangichu	1 st
		Runkuruu	2 nd
		KIRUKA	2 nd
		Nchura	1 st
Kuuru-Kirimiri-Kieru	2 nd		
Nthacio	2 nd		
Kambereu	1 st		
8	Nairobi	Kaluna	1 st
		Muryu	1 st
		Kimanga	1 st
		Kigaki	1 st
		Kiumbu	1 st
		Marurumo	1 st
		Nduini	1 st
		Mikarara	1 st
		Karia	1 st
		Thiba	2 nd
		Marura	2 nd
		Kaki	2 nd
Vnamumu- Kiamanyeki	2 nd		
Ruga Rwa Kimi	2 nd		
Thumaita Central	2 nd		
Ndikaki	2 nd		
Kimbetha	2 nd		
Kariko /Thaita West	2 nd		
Kathare/Kirumba	2 nd		
Mukarara	2 nd		
Gakika	2 nd		
9	Thiba	Marurumo	1 st
		Romru	1 st
		Rumyange (Kiye)	1 st
		Kangengi (Kiye)	2 nd
		Mugambaciura	1 st
		Upper Rupingazi	1 st
		Runyatha	1 st
		Lower Rupingazi	1 st
		Kathaka	2 nd
		Upper Itabua	1 st
		Lower Itabua	1 st
		10	Rupingazi
Kanyakima	2 nd		
Iyego	2 nd		
Kiamara	2 nd		
Gikerwa	2 nd		
Gikumbo	1 st		
Kangocho	1 st		
Kakamara	1 st		
Kiamwani	1 st		
Ragati 1 (Githimusa)	1 st		
Ragati 2 (Githara)	1 st		
Karuru	2 nd		
Muga	2 nd		
Triple G	2 nd		
Nyarungu	2 nd		
Kianguka	2 nd		
11	Murubaara	Upper Itabua	1 st
		Lower Itabua	1 st
		5K	1 st
		Kanyakima	2 nd
		Iyego	2 nd
		Kiamara	2 nd
		Gikerwa	2 nd
		Gikumbo	1 st
		Kangocho	1 st
		Kakamara	1 st
		Kiamwani	1 st
		Ragati 1 (Githimusa)	1 st
Ragati 2 (Githara)	1 st		
Karuru	2 nd		
Muga	2 nd		
Triple G	2 nd		
Nyarungu	2 nd		
Kianguka	2 nd		
12	Ragati	Gikumbo	1 st
		Kangocho	1 st
		Kakamara	1 st
		Kiamwani	1 st
		Ragati 1 (Githimusa)	1 st
		Ragati 2 (Githara)	1 st
		Karuru	2 nd
		Muga	2 nd
		Triple G	2 nd
		Nyarungu	2 nd
		Kianguka	2 nd
		13	Murubara
Lower Itabua	1 st		
5K	1 st		
Kanyakima	2 nd		
Iyego	2 nd		
Kiamara	2 nd		
Gikerwa	2 nd		
Gikumbo	1 st		
Kangocho	1 st		
Kakamara	1 st		
Kiamwani	1 st		
Ragati 1 (Githimusa)	1 st		
Ragati 2 (Githara)	1 st		
Karuru	2 nd		
Muga	2 nd		
Triple G	2 nd		
Nyarungu	2 nd		
Kianguka	2 nd		
14	Maragua	Mugagaki	1 st
		Makikaka	1 st
		Kangema Aberdare	1 st
		Komika	1 st
		Upper Maragua bridge	1 st
		Munuga	1 st
		Ndugagaki	2 nd
		Yamika	2 nd
		Muthithi	2 nd
		Mugumoini	2 nd
		Kiruga	2 nd
		Lower Kinyona	2 nd
Kinyona	2 nd		
Irati	2 nd		
Gitaga	2 nd		
Lower Karurumo	2 nd		
15	Thika	Ndakaini and Kigoro	1 st
		Mung'aria	1 st
		Sakiki	1 st
		Gitiri-Njaini	1 st
		Muchoki	2 nd
		Mukiuki	2 nd
		Mbuguti	2 nd
		Gagaki	2 nd
		Kariara	2 nd
		Ngurueini	2 nd
		Ithiru South	2 nd
		Ngelelya	2 nd
Ithanga	2 nd		
16	Thika	Nanga	2 nd
		Kakuzi	2 nd
		Githumu	2 nd
		Kagira	2 nd
		Ngaria	2 nd
		Kigumo	2 nd
		Githima	2 nd
		Makomboki	2 nd
		Mugaa	1 st
		Sawaka	1 st
		Kamangu	1 st
		Sabasaba	1 st
Kagaki	2 nd		
Gakaga	2 nd		
Githembe	2 nd		
Mugumoini	2 nd		
Mamamuga	2 nd		
Kamahuha	2 nd		
Kibage	2 nd		
Gakangu	2 nd		
Lower Kambiti	2 nd		
Karimara	2 nd		
17	Sagana	Gathuga	3 rd
		Kabaru	3 rd
		Kahutha	3 rd
		Kiamugaka	3 rd
		Kimathi Central	3 rd
		Mamugiga	3 rd
		Mamwe	3 rd
		Sakinje	3 rd
		4K Tharimumbo	3 rd
		Muruga	3 rd
		Mthari	3 rd
		18	Muringato
Abokimwe	3 rd		
Kayumi	3 rd		
Kairai	3 rd		
Mwitihi	3 rd		
Mwanduga	3 rd		
Kamwaki	3 rd		
Kikaki	3 rd		
Kathaai	3 rd		
Kianyungu	3 rd		
Alakachi	3 rd		
Kamacabi	3 rd		
Kamiramba	3 rd		
Lower Ruguti	3 rd		
Mwirutiri	3 rd		
Rumugi	3 rd		
Gikanguri	3 rd		
19	Iraru	Kagi	3 rd
		Muki	3 rd
		Kaguyu	3 rd
		Kagibari	3 rd
		Rianjue	3 rd
		Mbiri	3 rd
		Thirikwa	3 rd
		Kakiki	3 rd
		kimara	3 rd
		Ngaka	3 rd
		Kichogaki	3 rd
		Kigaki	3 rd
20	Maragua	Gikanguru	3 rd
		Gikaga	3 rd
		Mika	3 rd
		Watuika	3 rd
		Mukimara	3 rd
		Kamuka	3 rd
		Upper Kayawe	3 rd
		Githinga	3 rd
		Itherui	4 th
		Kimorori	4 th
		Mukimi	4 th
		21	Sabasaba
Kamutheki	4 th		
Kagakika	4 th		
Gakawa	4 th		
Weka	4 th		
Nyamuga	4 th		
Rugi	4 th		
Kikanya	4 th		
Iyego	4 th		
Kiamara	4 th		
Gikerwa	4 th		
Mugugaini	4 th		
22	Mariara	Nyakianga Gikoe	4 th
		Rwandu	4 th
		Kiaka	4 th
		Kakikaga	4 th
		Kiru	4 th
		Thuta	4 th