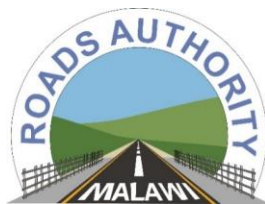


Government of the Republic of Malawi



Accelerating Malawi's Economic Growth

ROADS AUTHORITY

Invitation for Bids (IfB)

(National Competitive Bidding)

ROAD AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE PROGRAMME

(Phase II: 2024-2025 Financial Year)

1. Scope of works and Source of funding

- 1.1. The Roads Authority (RA) with funding from Roads Fund has budgeted public funds for the procurement of various works in the 2024 – 2025 financial year. The RA intends to apply part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the implementation of Road and Bridge Maintenance Programme.
- 1.2. The RA now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the execution of various Civil Works contracts and the Scope of works comprise the following:
 - Routine Term Maintenance;
 - Grading/ Reshaping;
 - Pothole Patching and Edge Repairs on Paved Roads;
 - Road Signs Replacement and Markings;
 - Repair of Major Drainage Structures and
 - Urgent and Emergency Works.

2. Bidding procedures

- 2.1. Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the open tendering procedures contained in the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets (PPDA) Act (2017) and the Public Procurement Regulations of 2020 of the Government of the Republic of Malawi and is open to all bidders.
- 2.2. All eligible bidders are required to show evidence of registration with the National Construction Industry Council of Malawi (NCIC) in the appropriate Civil Engineering Category and have renewed their membership for the current financial year.
- 2.3. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the **RA Regional Offices** and inspect the bidding documents at the addresses given below from **0800 – 1200 hours and from 1300 - 1600 hours, Monday to Friday starting from 31st October, 2024.**
 - (a) Address where documents may be inspected:
 - (b) Address where documents will be issued:
 - (c) Address where Bids must be delivered:
 - (d) Address of Bid Opening:

Northern Region	Central Region	Southern Region
Regional Manager The Roads Authority Northern Region Office P O Box 20050 Mzuzu 2 Tel: +265 1 311 065 /+265 888335895	Regional Manager The Roads Authority Central Region Office ARET Premises along Mchinji Road P O Box 624, Lilongwe Tel: +265 1 759 896 +265 888 209334	Regional Manager The Roads Authority Southern Region Office Lonhro Building P O Box 373, Blantyre Tel: +265 1 847 354 +265 888 843918
Email: fmkandawire@ra.org.mw	Email: cmtawali@ra.org.mw	Email: fhauya@ra.org.mw

- 2.4. **Bidding Documents:** A complete set of Bidding Documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders upon payment of a non-refundable fee of MWK30,000.00 at the RA Regional Offices in the North, Centre and South. Only Bidding Documents for the particular region may be obtained from each Regional Office;
- 2.5. The method of payment will be a Bank deposit at the NBS Bank account as provided:
NBS Bank: **Capital City Service Centre**
Account Name: **Roads Authority**
Account number: **20991453**
- 2.6. Bids shall be valid for a period of 120 days from the date of opening.
- 2.7. Requests for clarification on bidding documents or general questions must be sent in writing to the address in (3) above at least 14 calendar days before the tender closing date.
- 2.8. **Site visits:** The RA shall not arrange any official site visits but all prospective bidders must visit the sites to familiarise themselves with the existing conditions at the project sites.
- 2.9. The Roads Authority is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.
- 2.10. A margin of preference of 20% shall be applied to all firms wholly owned by Indigenous Black Malawians as provided for under ITB30.1 of the Bid Data Sheet.
- 2.11. No bidder shall be awarded more than one contract unless if there is no other responsive bidder in that particular contract.

3. Pre-bid meetings

The RA shall hold Pre-Bid Meetings in all regions. Attendance shall be limited to one representative per firm and those attending shall be the Managing Directors of Personnel that will prepare tender documents as follows:

Region	Date and Venue	Time
Northern Region	11 th November 2024: Grand Palace Hotel	09:00-11:00
Central Region	12 th November 2024: Golden Peacock Hotel	09:00-11:00
Southern Region	13 th November 2024: Amaryllis Hotel	09:00-11:00

4. Submission of bids

- 4.1. Bids must be delivered to the respective **RA Regional Offices** in sealed envelopes **clearly marked Procurement Reference Number and Contract Details** at or before **10:00 Hours Local Time on 28th November, 2024**.
- 4.2. All bids must be accompanied by a **Bid Securing Declaration Form** in the format as provided in Section 4 of the bidding documents. Late bids shall be rejected.
- 4.3. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the respective RA Regional Offices at **10:00 Hours Local Time on 28th November, 2024**.

NORTHERN REGION					
S/N	Procurement Reference No.	District	Contract Details	Contract Period (Days)	NCIC Category (MWK)
1. PROGRAMME ON TRUNK ROADS					
A. ROUTINE TERM MAINTENANCE					
1	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/NR/CP/20	Chitipa	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Chitipa District	120	200 Million and above
2	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/NR/KA/21	Karonga	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Karonga District	120	200 Million and above
3	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/NR/RU/22	Rumphi	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Rumphi District	120	200 Million and above
4	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/NR/MZN/23	Mzimba	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Mzimba North	120	500 Million and above
5	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/NR/MZS/24	Mzimba	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Mzimba South	120	200 Million and above
6	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/NR/NB/25	Nkhata Bay	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Nkhata Bay District	120	200 Million and above
B. GRADING / RESHAPING					
7	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/NR/CP/26	Chitipa	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Chitipa District	120	200 Million and above
8	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/NR/CP/KA/27	Chitipa & Karonga	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Chitipa and Karonga Districts	120	200 Million and above
9	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/NR/RU/28	Rumphi	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Rumphi District	120	200 Million and above
10	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/NR/MZ/29	Mzimba	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Mzimba District - Lot 1	120	200 Million and above
11	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/NR/MZ/30	Mzimba	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Mzimba District - Lot 2	120	200 Million and above
12	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/NR/NB/31	Nkhata Bay	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Nkhata Bay District	120	200 Million and above

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C. ROAD SIGNS REPLACEMENT / MARKING					
13	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/NR/NR/32	Chitipa, Karonga, Rumphi, Mzimba and Nkhata Bay	Road Signs Replacement / Marking on Selected Paved Trunk Roads in Chitipa, Karonga, Rumphi, Mzimba and Nkhata Bay Districts	90	100 Million and above
D. URGENT AND EMERGENCY WORKS					
14	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/NR/NR/33	Chitipa, Karonga, Rumphi, Mzimba, Nkhata Bay and Likoma	Urgent and Emergency Works in the Northern Region - Lot 1	300	1 Billion and above
15	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/NR/NR/34	Chitipa, Karonga, Rumphi, Mzimba, Nkhata Bay and Likoma	Urgent and Emergency Works in the Northern Region - Lot 2	300	1 Billion and above
16	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/NR/NR/35	Chitipa, Karonga, Rumphi, Mzimba, Nkhata Bay and Likoma	Urgent and Emergency Works in the Northern Region - Lot 3	300	1 Billion and above

CENTRAL REGION				
S/N	Procurement Reference Number	Contract Name	Duration (Days)	NCIC Category (MWK)
1. PROGRAMME ON TRUNK ROADS				
A. POTHOLE PATCHING ON PAVED ROADS				
1	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/PP/CR/KU/NS/DA/25	Retainer Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works in the Central Region - Lot 1 in Kasungu, Ntchisi and Dowa Districts	300	100 million and Above
2	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/PP/CR/LL/DZ/NU/26	Retainer Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in the Central Region - Lot 2 in Lilongwe, Dedza and Ntcheu	300	200 million and Above
3	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/PP/CR/KK/SA/27	Retainer Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in the Central Region - Lot 3 in Nkhotakota and Salima Districts	300	200 million and Above
4	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/PP/CR/SA/DZ/NU/28	Retainer Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in the Central Region - Lot 4 in Salima, Dedza and Ntcheu	300	200 million and Above
5	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/PP/CR/KU/MC/LL/DA/SA/29	Retainer Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in the Central Region - Lot 5 in Kasungu, Mchinji, Lilongwe, Dowa and Salima Districts	300	200 million and Above
B. ROUTINE TERM MAINTENANCE				
6	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/CR/KU/30	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Kasungu Trunk Roads	180	500 Million & Above
7	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/CR/KK/31	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Nkhotakota Trunk Roads	180	200 Million & Above
8	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/CR/NS/32	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Ntchisi Trunk Roads	180	100 Million & Above
9	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/CR/DA/33	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Dowa Trunk Roads	180	200 Million & Above
10	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/CR/MC/34	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Mchinji Trunk Roads	180	200 Million & Above
11	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/CR/LL/35	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Lilongwe Trunk Roads	180	500 Million & Above
12	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/CR/SA/36	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Salima Trunk Roads	180	100 Million & Above
13	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/CR/DZ/37	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Dedza Trunk Roads	180	200 Million & Above

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14	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/CR/NU/38	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Ntcheu Trunk Roads	180	200 Million & Above
C. GRADING / RESHAPING				
15	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/CR/KU/39	Grading of Selected Trunk Roads in Kasungu District.	120	200 Million & Above
16	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/CR/KK/NS/40	Grading of Selected Trunk Roads in Nkhotakota and Ntchisi Districts	120	200 Million & Above
17	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/CR/DA/41	Grading of Selected Trunk Roads in Dowa District	120	200 Million & Above
18	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/CR/MC/42	Grading of Selected Trunk Roads in Mchinji District	120	200 Million & Above
19	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/CR/LL/43	Grading of Selected Trunk Roads in Lilongwe District	120	200 Million & Above
20	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/CR/SA/44	Grading of Selected Trunk Roads in Salima District	120	100 Million & Above
21	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/CR/DZ/45	Grading of Selected Trunk Roads in Dedza District	120	200 Million & Above
22	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/CR/NU/46	Grading of Selected Trunk Roads in Ntcheu District	120	100 Million & Above
D. REPAIR OF MAJOR DRAINAGE STRUCTURES				
23	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/BR/CR/SA/47	Construction of Mpatsanjoka Bridge on Salima - Senga Bay (S122) Road in Salima district.	180	Unlimited
E. URGENT AND EMERGENCY WORKS				
24	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/CR/CR/48	Urgent and Emergency Works within the Central Region - Lot 1	300	1 Billion and above
25	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/CR/CR/49	Urgent and Emergency Works within the Central Region - Lot 2	300	1 Billion and above
26	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/CR/CR/50	Urgent and Emergency Works within the Central Region - Lot 3	300	1 Billion and above
27	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/CR/CR/51	Urgent and Emergency Works within the Central Region - Lot 4	300	1 Billion and above
28	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/CR/CR/52	Urgent and Emergency Works within the Central Region - Lot 5	300	1 Billion and above

SOUTHERN REGION

S/N	Procurement Reference No.	District(s)	Contract Details	Contract Duration (Days)	NCIC Category (MWK)
PROGRAMMES ON TRUNK ROADS					
A. POTHOLE PATCHING ON PAVED ROADS					
1	MAI/2024-25/T/PP/SR/BLK/MHG/27	Balaka and Machinga	Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Paved Roads in the Southern Region - Lot 1 in Balaka and Machinga and Districts	150	500 Million and above
2	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/PP/SR/MH/28	Mangochi	Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Paved Roads in the Southern Region - Lot 2 in Mangochi District	150	500 Million and above
3	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/PP/SR/ZA/CZ/29	Zomba and Chiradzulu	Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Paved Roads in the Southern Region - Lot 3 in Zomba and Chiradzulu Districts	150	500 Million and above
4	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/PP/SR/MN/NN/BT/30	Mwanza, Neno and Blantyre	Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Paved Roads in the Southern Region - Lot 5 in Mwanza, Neno and Blantyre Districts	150	500 Million and above
5	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/PP/SR/MJ/PE/TO/CK/NE/31	Mulanje, Phalombe, Thyolo, Chikwawa and Nsanje	Pothole Patching and Other Routine Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Paved Roads in the Southern Region - Lot 5 in Mulanje, Phalombe, Thyolo, Chikwawa and Nsanje Districts	150	500 Million and above
B. ROUTINE TERM MAINTENANCE					
6	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/BLK/32	Balaka	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Balaka District	180	200 Million and above
7	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/MH/33	Mangochi	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Eastern Mangochi District	180	200 Million and above
8	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/MH/34	Mangochi	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Western Mangochi District	180	200 Million and above
9	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/MHG/35	Machinga	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Machinga District	180	200 Million and above

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10	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/ZA/36	Zomba	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Zomba District	180	200 Million and above
11	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/MN/37	Mwanza	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Mwanza District	150	100 Million and above
12	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/NN/38	Neno	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Neno District	150	100 Million and above
13	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/BT/39	Blantyre	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Blantyre District	180	200 Million and above
14	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/CZ/40	Chiradzulu	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Chiradzulu District	180	100 Million and above
15	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/MJ/41	Mulanje	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Mulanje District	180	200 Million and above
16	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/PE/42	Phalombe	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Phalombe District	180	100 Million and above
17	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/CK/43	Chikwawa	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Chikwawa District	180	200 Million and above
18	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/TO/44	Thyolo	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Thyolo District	180	200 Million and above
19	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RTM/SR/NE/45	Nsanje	Routine Term Maintenance Works on Selected Trunk Roads in Nsanje District	180	100 Million and above
C. GRADING / RESHAPING					
20	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/SR/BLK/46	Balaka	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Roads in Balaka District	90	200 Million and above
21	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/SR/MH/47	Mangochi	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Roads in Mangochi District - Lot 1	90	200 million and above
22	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/SR/MH/48	Mangochi	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Roads in Mangochi District - Lot 2	90	200 Million and above
23	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/SR/MHG/49	Machinga	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Roads in Machinga District	90	100 Million and above
24	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/SR/ZA/CZ/50	Zomba and Chiradzulu	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Roads in Zomba and Chiradzulu Districts	90	200 Million and above

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25	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/SR/MJ/PE/51	Mulanje and Phalombe	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Roads in Mulanje and Phalombe Districts	90	200 Million and above
26	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/SR/MN/NN/52	Mwanza and Neno	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Roads in Mwanza and Neno Districts	90	100 Million and above
27	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/SR/BT/TO/53	Blantyre and Thyolo	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Roads in Blantyre and Thyolo Districts	90	200 Million and above
28	RA/MAI/2024-25/T/RM/SR/CK/NE/54	Chikwawa and Nsanje	Grading and Associated Drainage Works on Selected Roads in Chikwawa and Nsanje Districts	90	200 Million and above
D. URGENT AND EMERGENCY WORKS					
30	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/SR/BLK/MHG/56	Balaka and Machinga	Urgent and Emergency Works in Balaka and Machinga Districts	300	1 Billion and above
31	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/MH/57	Mangochi	Urgent and Emergency Works in Mangochi District	300	1 Billion and above
32	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/SR/ZA/MJ/PE/58	Zomba, Mulanje and Phalombe	Urgent and Emergency Works in Zomba, Mulanje and Phalombe Districts	300	1 Billion and above
33	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/SR/MN/NN/BT/CZ/59	Mwanza, Neno, Blantyre and Chiradzulu	Urgent and Emergency Works in Mwanza, Neno, Blantyre and Chiradzulu Districts	300	1 Billion and above
34	RA/MAI/2024-25/TE/RM/SR/TO/CK/NE/60	Thyolo, Chikwawa and Nsanje	Urgent and Emergency Works in Thyolo, Chikwawa and Nsanje Districts	300	1 Billion and above