

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST: PROVISION OF **CULTURAL HERITAGE AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL SERVICES** SUPPORTING PROJECT CONSTRUCTION, 10007254

TotalEnergies East Africa Midstream B.V. (Company) Tanzania, an Oil and Gas company, invites experienced and reputable organizations to express their interest in providing cultural heritage and archaeological services supporting the East African Crude Oil Pipeline (EACOP) construction.

The EACOP project involves the construction and operation of a buried, cross-border pipeline to transport crude oil from the Lake Albert area in Uganda to the eastern coast of Tanzania for export to international markets. The pipeline will run from Kabaale in Hoima District, Uganda, to Chongoleani, Tanga Region, in Tanzania. The length of the pipeline is 1,443 km, of which 1,147 km will be in Tanzania traversing eight (8) regions, comprising Kagera, Geita, Shinyanga, Tabora, Singida, Dodoma, Manyara and Tanga, and 27 administrative district councils and 231 Villages.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THE SERVICES:

The COMPANY implemented an archeological watching brief, surface and subsurface surveys, during geological, geophysical and geotechnical baseline surveys along the Project pipeline corridor and is currently undertaking archaeological surface and subsurface investigations for future Main Camps and Pipe Yards (MCPY) Priority Areas. The Project is seeking a qualified, experienced Tanzanian partner organization with the ability and capacity to implement an archaeological watching brief during:

- 1. Early Civil Work site preparation and construction activities at a number of camp sites
- 2. During pipeline and other facilities construction and to undertake salvage excavation for any unplanned and chance archaeological finds uncovered. All Project construction activities comply with the Tanzanian legal framework and International Financing Standards (IFS) supporting Cultural Heritage management.

The scope requires sufficient suitably qualified and experienced senior archaeologists and all required equipment and materials to implement Cultural Heritage and Archaeological services concurrently at multiple locations engaging with Project and Government Representatives (i.e., Department of Antiquities) as required. The Cultural Heritage Management services include implement a Watching Brief during construction excavation activities, the identification, providing guidance on Chance Finds management, training and awareness raising, documentation and completion of salvage excavation for sites of cultural significance, monitoring, verification and reporting responsibilities to document compliance within the Tanzanian legal framework, IFS requirements and Company Cultural Heritage requirements. The scope may require engagement with Communities regarding Tangible and Intangible Cultural Heritage elements. The Cultural Heritage and Archaeological Services scope requires field-based resources and may require remote support and coordination for artefact attribute analysis and storage, report preparation, and meetings. meetings.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

Organizations expressing their interest are invited to document their request with:

- Qualification and certification for cultural heritage and archaeological services.
- Curriculum Vitae for cultural heritage specialists and archaeologists.
- Examples of recent and relevant project experience within the last 10 years.
- Experience in:
 - o Delivering archaeological and cultural heritage management services.
 - o Undertaking sub-surface and salvage excavation.
 - o Construction site work experience and management of chance finds.
 - o Cultural Heritage/ archaeology training package development and training delivery.
- Compliance with Local Content Regulations, 2017 and Local Company
- Application for registration with the EWURA Local Supplier Service Provider (LSSP) database at the time of submission of the response to this expression of interest is strongly recommended.

The management Scope may be divided into regional or technical work packages and COMPANY will allow TENDERERS to submit a proposal for one, several or all packages.

Interested organizations which have the ability, capacity and resources to implement the activities listed above should express their interest by sending together with the documents stated in the above section through an email to **eacop-tz.eoi.1000001@totalenergies.com** (max. email size 20Mb) on or before **15:00** hours East African Time (EAT), on **6th December 2021.** Email subject should be 10007254.

Note: The EACOP project will review and assess the documents provided by the interested companies to derive a list of prequalified companies. Only prequalified companies will receive, subject to signature of a Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA), invitation to submit bids in furtherance of the call for tender process. All Expression of Interests should be submitted in English Language.