

	<p><b>THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA</b></p> <p><b>ROAD DEVELOPMENT AGENCY</b></p>	
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## Invitation for Bids [IFB]

### Small Works

### (One-Envelope Bidding Process)

**IFB Number:** RDA/OICB/CE/001/2024  
**Employer:** Road Development Agency (RDA)  
**Project:** Kazungula Bridge Project  
**Contract title:** Construction of Mazabuka Toll Plaza  
**Country:** Republic of Zambia  
**Loan No. / Grant No.:** 2100150025694  
**Procurement Method:** Open Competitive Bidding (International) (OCBI)

**OCBI No:** *RDA/OICB/CE/001/2024*

**Issued on:** *9<sup>th</sup> February, 2023*

1. The Government of the Republic of Zambia has received financing from the African Development Bank (AfDB) *hereinafter* called the Bank toward the cost of the Kazungula Bridge Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for **Construction of Mazabuka Toll Plaza**.
2. The Road Development Agency (RDA) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for **Construction of Mazabuka Toll Plaza. The Toll Plaza is located along T1 between Chikankata Turn-Off and Mazabuka**. The construction period is 180 days. The works will comprise of but not limited to:
  - Construction of Mazabuka Toll Plaza includes the following main project components:
    - Civil Engineering for Traffic Construction (Plaza Area: Approach / Departure zone Queue / Recovery zone; Toll Island; Three Toll Booths per direction (North/South); One over size lane for each direction; Concrete approach pavement; etc)
    - Buildings and other facilities (Flat Plaza canopy covering about 16m top of the toll booth section Control building having reception, control room, supervisors' room, accounts room (with walk in strong room) rest area, police room, holding cell, shower and toilet; Holding parking

zones for both trucks and vehicles; Staff parking area, Borehole and overhead tank, Septic tank and soak away, etc)

- Tolling System
- Power supply and lighting including Standby generator, Electrical substation
- Signal light system for traffic and tolling
- Surveillance system
- ITS system

3. Bidding will be conducted through Open Competitive Bidding (International), OCBI method as specified in the Bank's Procurement Framework Procurement Policy for Bank Group Funded Operations, dated August 2015 revised October 2015, and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Framework.
4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from Road Development Agency (RDA) and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below between 8:30 hours to 13:00 hours and 14:30 hours to 17:00 hours from Monday to Friday local time.

Address:

Road Development Agency  
Directorate of Procurement  
Street Address: Plot No.33, Corner of Government and Fairley Road,  
Ridgeway,  
Lusaka / Zambia  
Telephone number: +260-211-253088 / 253801  
Facsimile number: +260-211-253404 / 251420  
Electronic mail address: rda\_hq@roads.gov.zm

5. The bidding document in English Language may be purchased by interested eligible Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **USD100 or K2,500.00**. The method of payment will be cash or bank certified cheque deposited into the Road Development Agency's account and the bank details are as follows.

BANK NAME:	Zambia National Commercial Bank Plc
ACCOUNT NAME:	ROAD DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
ACCOUNT NUMBER:	0393996300530
BRANCH:	GOVERNMENT COMPLEX
BRANCH CODE:	084
SWIFT CODE:	ZNCOZMLU

6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 10:30 a.m. hours local time on **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2024**. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders'

designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend, at the address below on 10:30 a.m. hours local time on **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2024**.

Address:

Road Development Agency

Directorate of Procurement

Street Address: Plot No.33, Corner of Government and Fairley Road,  
Ridgeway,  
Lusaka / Zambia

7. The RDA shall conduct a site visit will be held on **Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February, 2024** and the bidders are requested to meet at the project site at 10:00 hours. A pre-bid meeting will be held at Mazabuka Town Council to clarify all issues that bidders may raise. The timing of the pre-bid meeting shall be determined by RDA after the site visit.
8. Sealed bids clearly marked "**RDA/CE/OICB/001/2024: TENDER FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF MAZABUKA TOLL PLAZA IN SOUTHERN PROVINCE OF ZAMBIA**" and accompanied by a Bid Security of **USD50,000.00** (USD: Fifty thousand) or **K1,000,000.00** (One million Zambian Kwacha), must be deposited in the tender box situated at the Road Development Agency Headquarters, Plot 33, corner of Government and Fairley roads, Ridgeway, Lusaka on or before **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2024 at 10:30 hours. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

Eng. Chilufya Mwenya

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For / Director and Chief Executive Officer

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