



Request for Proposal (RFP): “Training of Local Organisations and Local Governments in Community Participation and Empowerment”

Under the Denmark-Myanmar Country Programme 2016-2020, the Forest Department (FD) is currently implementing a five year(2018-2023) project of “**Climate Change Adaptation and Resilience-building through rehabilitation and sustainable management of mangrove forests in coastal areas of Myanmar (The CCA Engagement)**” with the support of Climate Envelop fund mainly in Rakhine State and Tanintharyi Region to rehabilitate the degraded mangroves and to build the resilience of the coastal communities to adapt the climate change.

The Project is requesting a Service Provider (SP) to submit a proposal with the aim to build capacity in community consultation at local organizations and local governments. The three local organizations that will be involved with community consultations, will be recruited under a separate ToR for each of Yambye, Myebon and Kyunsu townships to facilitate community consultations and community activities through working with CF communities, with the FD to facilitate co-management related to rehabilitation and management of mangrove forests and with resilience-building communities for development of Climate Resilience Plans.

Duration of Assignment: Expected to start in early August 2019 and to be completed (including all reporting) by end of September 2020. The possibility for extension will be discussed with the CCA Engagement team at the end of the assignment.

Main Tasks:

1. Training needs assessments of each local organizations and key local government staff in each of the townships of Myebon, Yambye, and Kyunsu.
2. Training for three local organizations and government staff from CCA relevant departments and organizations to enable them to improve capacity and to facilitate co-management process between local government and communities.

Outputs from the SP:

1. Training Programme for CSO/CBO training (including approach, methodology and implementation plan)
2. Training Report (including outcomes of Training Needs Assessment, training implementation, training evaluation, and plan for each local organization, training participants list, and training materials).

Requirements: The SP should be a recognized training and capacity building organisation within Myanmar, with the following specific competencies:

- Extensive experience in capacity building and training of local organisations (CSOs, CBOs and/or local NGOs), and of local government agencies and staff
- Extensive experience working with local communities of Myanmar, including community consultation & facilitation, empowerment, livelihoods, gender, environment, climate change, disaster preparedness etc.
- Experience in facilitating co-management processes between local governments and local communities in Myanmar

Deadline for Submission: 1st July, 2019 (16:00hours). Potential SPs can obtain Application package, including detailed TOR, by sending an email to the Project Director, FDCCA Project, Watershed Management Division, Forest Department (watershedfdmonrec@gmail.com) and CC: to Mr. Anders Poulsen, International Technical Advisor (afpoulsen@gmail.com). Submissions received after the deadline will not be considered. Only selected SP will be contacted for further contracting process.

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