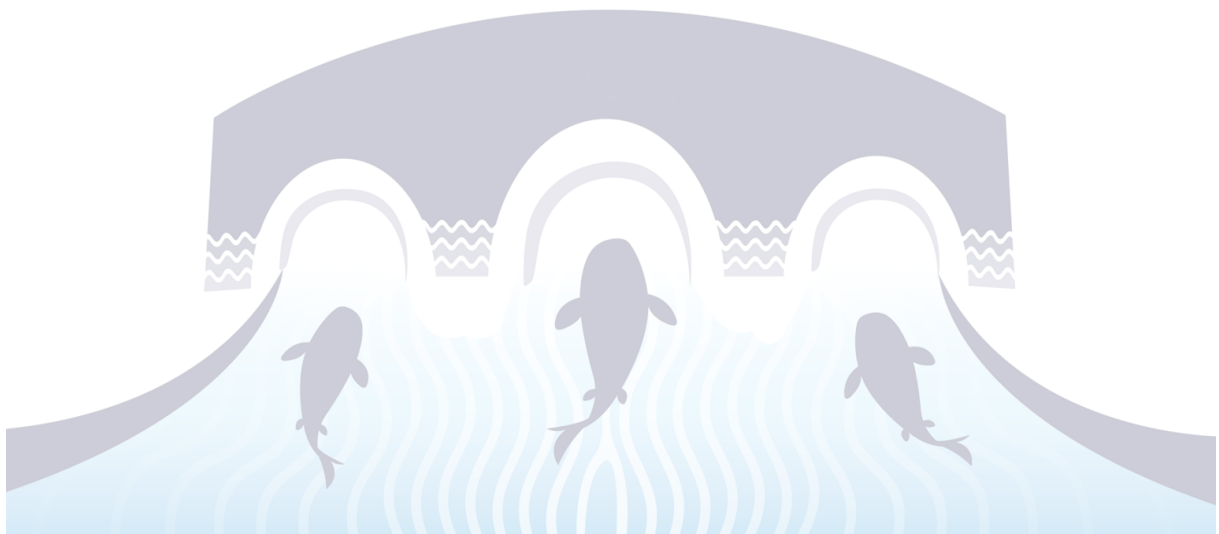




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1 Introduction

Inland Fisheries Ireland Invites tenderers to compete for a project entitled: **'Integrated Consultancy Services for Killeen and Feenune Bridge Barrier Mitigation Project'** in accordance with this document and the enclosed instructions to Tenderers and accompanying Tender package.

1.1 Type of Procurement

Inland Fisheries Ireland wishes to commission Engineering and Environmental Consultancy Services to undertake the feasibility study, option selection, preliminary design, planning surveys & reports and planning application for the above project, within the required quality, budget and programme requirements.

The Engineering and Environmental Consultancy Services shall be procured via an Open Procedure tender process. The Conditions of Engagement are; the Standard Conditions of Engagement for Consultancy Services (Technical) (COE1) including Schedules A & B.

The Tender package for a Consultant to complete CWMF Stages I – II for the barrier mitigation works is as follows:

- Stage 1 Strategic Assessment and Preliminary Business Case – Phase 1: Feasibility Study and Options Report
- Stage 2 Project Design Planning and Procurement Strategy – Phase 2: Preliminary Design
- Stage 2 Project Design Planning and Procurement Strategy – Phase 3: Statutory Process .

1.2 Tender Documents

The tender documents included within this package are detailed in the Instructions to Tenderers Section 1.2.

1.3 Indicative Programme

The draft timetable for Contract Award and Completion is as follows. These dates are indicative and may be subject to change. All tender returns and programme delivery dates shall be determined with reference to the Contract as a whole.

Activity	Target Date
Tender published	As per etender notice
Closing date for submissions	As per etender notice
Anticipated tender award	As per etender notice
Completion of Works	Stage 1 Planning Initial – Phase 1: Feasibility Study – 3 months Stage 1 Planning Initial – Phase 2: Preliminary Design – 4 months Stage 2 Planning Developed – Phase 3: Statutory Process – 3 months

Table 1 Project Delivery Dates

2 Documents Required for Tender Submission

The documentation required for tender submission is provided in the Instruction to Tenderers Particulars and is summarised below;

These documents shall be completed in full and submitted with the tender. Omission of any of the above documents will disqualify the tender from the competition.

All tender documents to be returned using www.etenders.gov.ie portal, no hard copy or email submissions will be accepted.

3 Tender Evaluation of Qualifying Tenders

The tenders shall be evaluated on a Price/Quality assessment (30:70), the quality assessment associated with this tender is worth 70% and shall be scored in accordance with the following table:

% of Marks	Description
0%	Unacceptable – Nil or inadequate response. The response fails to satisfy the criterion in very significant respects.
20%	Poor – Overall, the response is poor and partially relevant. The response addresses the criterion in part but contains insufficient/limited detail or explanation to demonstrate how the criterion will be satisfied.
40%	Fair – Overall, the response is fair and partially relevant. The response demonstrates a fair understanding of the criterion but lacks detail on how the criterion will be satisfied.
60%	Good – Overall, the response is good and relevant. The response demonstrates a good understanding of the criterion and provides details on how the criterion will be satisfied to an adequate standard.
80%	Very Good – Overall, the response is very good and relevant. The response demonstrates a very good understanding of the criterion and provides details on how the criterion will be satisfied to a high standard.
100%	Excellent – Overall, the response is excellent and relevant. The response is comprehensive and demonstrates a thorough understanding of the criterion and provides details on how the criterion will be satisfied to a very high standard.

Table 2 Quality Marks Criteria