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Tender notice

Tender title: Construction of Ndego hillside irrigation project Kibare Block (630ha) in District of Kayanza, Eastern Rwanda.

Procurement Method: ICB

Source of funds: IFAD&SPAIN

1. The Government of Rwanda has received a financing from the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD), Spain and Catholic Organization for Relief and Development Aid – the financing of which is being administered by IFAD and intends to apply a part of the proceeds of the financing to this procurement. The use of any IFAD financing shall be subject to IFAD’s approval, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the financing agreement, as well as IFAD’s rules, policies and procedures. IFAD and its officials, agents and employees shall be held harmless from and against all suits, proceedings, claims, demands, losses and liability of any kind or nature brought by any party in connection with the Construction of Ndego hillside irrigation project KIBARE Block 630 Ha.
2. **The Construction of Ndego hillside irrigation project Kibare block 630 Ha includes the construction /installation of:**
 - i. Power Supply from grid to pump station and pivots.
 - ii. Electro-mechanical Works for the Pumping Stations
 - iii. Distribution Pipeline
 - iv. Centre Pivot Irrigation System
 - v. Dragline Sprinkler System
 - vi. Civil Works including Earthwork, Construction of reservoirs, construction of Pumping stations, Construction of staff accommodation, offices, canteen, post – Infrastructure (warehouse and mini-garage) , drainage systems and murrum roads

The construction works will take 24 months

3. This invitation for bids (IFB) follows the general procurement notice that appeared in [*UN Development Business and IFAD Website as well as UMUCYO E-Procurement System*] newspaper in February 2026], on the IFAD website and on the United Nations Development Business website (UNDB) in February 2026].
4. The employer now invites sealed bids from eligible entities (“bidders”) for the execution and completion of the Construction of Ndego hillside irrigation project KIBARE Block 630 Ha, which are being bid as a unit price contract based on the bill of quantities.
5. This IFB is open to all eligible bidders who wish to participate. Subject to the restrictions stipulated in the bidding document, eligible bidders may associate with other bidders to enhance their capacity to successfully carry out the works. The employer informs the bidders that specialist sub-contractors are allowed for Center Pivot and Dragline Sprinkler systems.
6. A contractor will be selected using the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) method in accordance with the IFAD Procurement Handbook accessible at www.ifad.org/project-procurement. The ICB process will include a review and verification of qualifications and past performance, including a reference check, prior to the contract award.
7. Please note that a pre-bid conference will be held as described in the bid data sheet (“BDS”), Section II of the bidding document.
8. Tender Documents in English may be obtained through Umucyo E-procurement system, via www.umucyo.gov.rw from the date of publication. The interested bidder shall pay a non-refundable fee of



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ten thousand Rwandan Francs (10,000Frw) and the sum is to be deposited on any account number of RRA open in any commercial bank operating in Rwanda and linked to Umucyo system. **A compulsory site visit is scheduled on 31/03/2026** (not mandatory for bidders who have already obtained the site visit certificate during the initial tender process, as it remains valid) and will be conducted by KIIWP2 irrigation team. The venue for departure is fixed at 10:00 am local time at KIIWP2 Kayonza Office (located near SILENT Hotel).

Here is the correct and clear way to access the tender document :

Go to the official website <https://www.umucyo.gov.rw/>, click on **e-Bidding**, click **List of advertising (all)**, in the **Tender No**, enter: **KIIWP2**, Click search - you will see all tenders for **KIIWP2 project**, select the specific tender you are looking for. Open that tender page-you will find the attached tender document available for download there.

9. All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security of **Fifty-Two Million Rwandan Francs (52,000,000 FRW)** or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency, issued by a financial institution recognized by the National Bank of Rwanda. Enquiries regarding this tender shall be sent to RAB/KIIWP2 through E-Procurement system, via www.umucyo.gov.rw in the window **"Request for Clarifications"** not later than 14 days before the deadline for submission of bids, so that responses can be issued to all bidders not later than 7 days prior to the deadline for submission of bids .
10. Bids will be submitted online using the Umucyo e-procurement system as mentioned above not later than the date and time indicated in the e-procurement system concerning this tender. Late bids will be rejected by the Umucyo system automatically.
11. Bids will also be opened automatically by the e-procurement system on the date and time indicated in the e-procurement system. All bids shall be valid for a period of **120 days** after the deadline of bid submission. Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the Rwanda Law on Public Procurement.

Done at Kigali, 11/03/2026

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