

GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE (GPN)
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Millennium Challenge Account - Kosovo

The Government of the Republic of Kosovo intends to sign a Millennium Challenge Compact with the Millennium Challenge Corporation of the United States Government in July 2022 to enable the Government of Republic of Kosovo to implement this program and achieve the objectives of the MCC Grant (compact), and it intends to apply parts of the proceeds of the funds to payments for contracts for goods, works and services. The goal of this Compact is to reduce poverty through economic growth in Kosovo. MCC shall provide assistance in a manner that strengthens good governance, economic freedom, and investments in the people of Kosovo. The total amount of MCC Funding made available under this Compact shall not exceed Two Hundred Two Million United States Dollars (US\$202,000,000). Consistent with the Guidelines for Country Contributions, the Government shall make a contribution of no less than Thirty-Four Million Six Hundred Seventy Thousand Six Hundred United States Dollars (US\$34,670,600) over the Compact Term toward meeting the Program Objective and Project Objectives of this Compact (the “Government Contribution”). The Program consists of three Projects designed to respond to the constraint of unreliable supply of electricity in Kosovo, align with the Government’s national development and energy priorities, and lead to poverty reduction and sustainable economic growth in Kosovo: (i) the Energy Storage Project, (ii) the Just and Equitable Transition Acceleration (JETA) Project, and (iii) the American Catalyst Facility for Development (ACFD) Project.

The Government shall ensure that the procurement of all goods, works and services by the Government or any Provider to implement the Program shall be in accordance with MCC’s Program Procurement Guidelines (the “MCC Program Procurement Guidelines”).

MCC’s funding is appropriated by the U.S. Congress and obligated to the compact up-front, with no incremental or partial funding. When a contract is signed with an MCA Entity, money is already available to the MCA Entity and, for most contracts, invoices are paid directly to Contractors/Consultants/Suppliers by the US Treasury.

The procurement program for the period from June 2022 through December 2022 will include the following:

Planned Procurements for administrative and technical services:

Procurement of Goods
* IT hardware, data transmission systems and software
* Office furniture and general office supplies
Procurement of Works
* Rehabilitation of existing office building structures
Procurement of Services (to include Consultant Services)
Procurement Agent (PA)
Fiscal Agent (FA)
MCA-Kosovo Recruitment HR Services Firm
Independent Technical Evaluation Panel members
Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) Legal/Regulatory Design Consultant
Just and Equitable Transition Acceleration (JETA) Energy Skills for the Future
Just and Equitable Transition Acceleration (JETA) Inclusive Energy Sector Workforce
Project Management Consultant (PMC)
Environmental and Social Oversight Consultant (ESOC)

Contracts for goods, works and services financed under the program will be implemented according to the principles, rules and procedures set out in the MCC Program Procurement Guidelines, which can be found at the MCC’s website.

The procurement is open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the MCC Program Procurement Guidelines.

Specific procurement notices for contracts to be tendered under the competitive bidding procedures and for consultant contracts will be announced, as they become available, on the United Nations Development Business (UNDB): <http://www.devbusiness.com/>, Development Gateway Market (dgMarket): <http://www.dgmarket.com/>, www.sam.gov and in local newspapers, and other media outlets as appropriate.

Interested eligible contractors and consultants who wish to be included on the mailing list to receive a copy of advertisements, or those requiring additional information, should contact:

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