

## Request for Expression of Interest

### Government of Nepal

Ministry of Energy, Water Resources and Irrigation  
*Water Resources Research and Development Centre*

Name of Employer: *Water Resources Research and Development Centre*

Date: 6 September 2022

Name of Project: *Assessment of Groundwater Zonation in Terai belt of Dang, Kapilvastu, Rupandehi, West Nawalparasi, East Nawalparasi and Chitwan District*

1. Government of Nepal (GoN) has allocated fund **toward the cost of Assessment of Groundwater Zonation in Terai belt of Dang, Kapilvastu, Rupandehi, West Nawalparasi, East Nawalparasi and Chitwan District** and intends to apply a portion of this fund to eligible payments under the Contract for which this Expression of Interest is invited for **National consulting service**.
2. The Water Resources Research and Development Centre now invites Expression of Interest (EOI) from eligible consulting firms ("consultant") to provide the following consulting services **Assessment of Groundwater Zonation in Terai belt of Dang, Kapilvastu, Rupandehi, West Nawalparasi, East Nawalparasi and Chitwan District**. The main objective of this study is to delineate groundwater potential zones (shallow and deep) and prepare groundwater potential map.
3. Interested eligible consultants may obtain further information at the address Water Resources Research and Development Centre, Pulchowk, Lalitpur during office hours on or before 21-09-2022 12:00 or visit e-GP system [www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp](http://www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp) or visit the client's website [www.wrrdc.gov.np](http://www.wrrdc.gov.np).
4. Consultants may associate with other consultants to enhance their qualifications.
5. Expressions of interest shall be delivered online through e-GP system [www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp](http://www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp) on or before 21-09-2022 12:00, 12:00 hours.
6. In case the last date of obtaining and submission of the EOI documents happens to be a holiday, the next working day will be deemed as the due date but the time will be the same as stipulated.
7. EOI will be assessed based on **Qualification 40%, Experience 50%, and Capacity 10%** of consulting firm and key personnel. Based on evaluation of EOI, only shortlisted firms will be invited to submit technical and financial proposal through a request for proposal.
8. Minimum score to pass the EOI is 60. . Additional Documents provided in the last page shall also be taken into consideration while evaluating the above eligibility and qualification criteria.