

Market consultation

'Green' Support to PPP-projects

Organisation: The Netherlands Enterprise Agency (RVO)

The Netherlands Enterprise Agency (**in Dutch: Rijksdienst voor Ondernemend Nederland, RVO**) supports private and public organizations with funding, international business partners, knowledge and regulations.

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Purpose of the market consultation

The purpose of the market consultation is to identify and assess interest of experts available and able to carry out this assignment.

Extent and duration

The assignment will run from February 2024 until December 2026.

Budget indication

The maximum budget indication is € 350.000,- excluding Dutch VAT, including local taxes. No rights can be derived from this indication.

Purpose of the assignment

The purpose of the assignment is to enhance and share knowledge on climate and biodiversity and support PPP-projects with tailor-made advice on climate and biodiversity-related topics. The assignment aims to have a general and project-specific component. The first component aims to generate and share knowledge among PPP-project partners, RVO advisors and other relevant stakeholders by organizing webinars, workshops and/or trainings on climate and biodiversity-related topics. The second component aims to provide tailor-made advice to PPP-projects on climate and biodiversity related concepts, based on their respective needs.

Since climate and biodiversity are both broad topics and each project has its unique challenges and opportunities, RVO is looking for an organization or consortium with a broad range of knowledge. This assignment leaves room for applicants to further complement activities and encourages the use of creative concepts and tools, within the limits of the budget and in (close) cooperation with RVO.

Deliverables from the assignment

- Work plan.
- Workshop, webinar and/or training for relevant stakeholders, including all materials.
- Short report or note of tailor-made advice to PPP projects.
- Development of tools, checklists and/or approaches to further enhance/stimulate climate and biodiversity friendly practices in PPPs.
- Report to capture best practices, lessons learned, challenges and opportunities.
- Other relevant materials.

Required skills/experience

RVO expects that the contactor is familiar with:

- Sustainable agriculture and rural development.
- Climate- and biodiversity related topics, including but not limited to regenerative agriculture (e.g. agroforestry, crop rotation, intercropping), carbon footprints, reforestation, nature-based solutions and renewable energy.
- PPP instruments, specifically FDOV and/or SDGP.
- The themes addressed in these instruments, more specially living income, women and youth empowerment, diversified diets, landscape management, food systems approach.
- The context and practical side of operating in the countries where FDOV/SDGP project are being implemented.

Application procedure

Interested organizations are invited to respond if they are interested to Maurice Janson (maurice.janson@rvo.nl) with a copy to Laura Ammerlaan (laura.ammerlaan@rvo.nl). Please include your organization's information, address and a short motivation letter (max. half A4) describing why you will be able to carry out this assignment referring to skills and experience.

Based on the market consultation, RVO can decide to start a European Tender procedure and publish it on tenderned.nl. In case of a follow-up process, no distinction will be made between parties that have or have not participated in the market consultation.

The deadline for responding to this notification is set at **31 August 2023, 16.00 a.m. CET.**