

## PRINCE ALBERT MUNICIPALITY

## **REQUEST FOR FORMAL WRITTEN PROPOSALS (RFP)**

## PROVISION OF FREE WIFI INTERNET SERVICES TO COMMUNITIES IN THE PRINCE ALBERT MUNICIPAL AREA

The Prince Albert Local Municipality is calling for proposals from organisations to table proposals offering free internet services to communities by installing and managing Wi-Fi hotspots. This proposal call emanates from the Western Cape broadband strategic framework and integrated master plan. The project relates to government's role in stimulating the readiness and usage of broadband enabled technologies and services by communities and businesses.

The respondent shall be solely and fully responsible for all costs associated with the development, preparation, transmittal, and submission of this proposal and any subsequent proposal, including the selection process and associated negotiations. The Prince Albert Municipality may, at its sole discretion, ask selected respondents to present their final proposal in person to the Prince Albert Municipality representatives at the head offices, and the costs of such presentations, as well as the costs of any proof-of-concept implementation required, shall be solely the responsibility of the respondent.

Prince Albert Municipality assumes no contractual or other obligations as a result of the issuance of this request for proposals, the preparation or submission of a later proposal by a respondent, the evaluation of proposals, the respondent's conduct of presentations or proof of concept implementations, or the selection of any respondent for further negotiations. There may be no claims whatsoever for reimbursement from the PALG or any of its consultants for any such costs.

The documentation for the completion of the proposal can be requested from the Supply Chain Management Division. An electronic or hard-copy file must be submitted (Microsoft Word or PDF) to the Supply Chain Management Division of Prince Albert Municipality, 23 Church Street / Private Bag X53, Prince Albert, 6930 or <u>scm@pamun.gov.za</u>. All proposals must be sent to the municipality **by no later than 28 June 2021.** 

Any queries and clarification may be directed to the Municipal Manager (Ms. Anneleen Vorster) at 023 541 1320 or per email (<u>anneleen@pamun.gov.za</u>)

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