

In line with DOTC's aim of providing the people with a Convenient, Affordable, Reliable, Efficient and Safe transport system, the Department is inviting qualified entities to participate in the OPEN and TRANSPARENT process for the procurement of the project below:

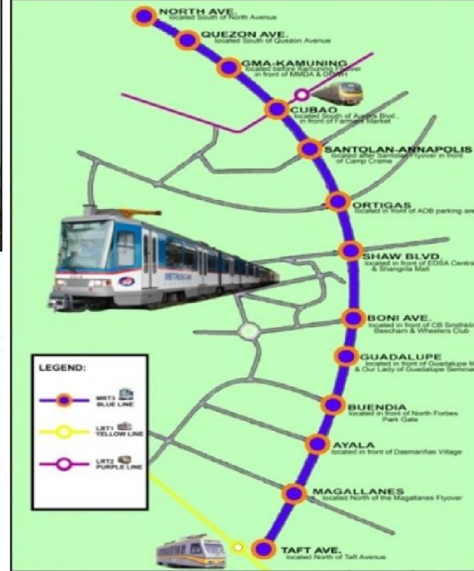


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MRT3
MASS RAPID TRANSIT - LINE 3

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST CONSULTING SERVICES FOR THE MRT3 SYSTEM MRT3 REHABILITATION AND CAPACITY EXPANSION PROJECTS (RE-BID)



► The Department of Transportation and Communications - Metro Rail Transit 3 (DOTC-MRT3), through the General Appropriations Act of 2015, intends to apply the sum of Fifty Million Pesos (Php 50,000,000.00), being the Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC), to payments under the contract for the Consulting Services for the MRT3 System (Re-bid) under the MRT3 Rehabilitation and Capacity Expansion Projects. Bids received in excess of the ABC shall be automatically rejected at the opening of the Financial Proposals.

► Interested consultants must submit their Eligibility Documents on or before 25 March 2015 at 10:00 A.M. at the Support Staff Room, 2nd Floor, MRT3 Depot, Trinoma, EDSA corner North Ave., Barangay Bagong Pag-asa, Quezon City. Applications for eligibility will be evaluated based on non-discretionary "pass/fail" criteria.

► The Eligibility Documents and Eligibility Data Sheet shall be available at the Office of the DOTC-MRT3 BAC Secretariat upon submission of an Expression of Interest and payment of Five Thousand Pesos (Php 5,000.00).

► Bidding will be conducted through open competitive bidding procedures using non-discretionary "pass/fail" criteria as specified in the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act No. (RA) 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act".

► Bidding is open to all interested bidders, whether local or foreign, subject to the conditions for eligibility provided in the Revised IRR of RA 9184.

► The Procuring Entity shall evaluate bids using the Quality-Cost Based Evaluation/Selection (QCBE/QCBS) procedure. For this purpose, the Technical and Financial Proposals shall be given weights of Seventy Percent (70%) and Thirty Percent (30%), respectively, comprising a total of One Hundred Percent (100%). The criteria and rating system for the evaluation of bids shall be provided in the Instructions to Bidders.

► The DOTC-MRT3 now calls for the submission of Expression of Interest and Eligibility Documents for the services of a Consultant for the MRT3 System.

► The DOTC-MRT3 Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) shall draw up the short list of consultants from those who have submitted Expression of Interest and Eligibility Documents and have been determined as eligible in accordance with the provisions of RA 9184 and its Revised IRR. The short list shall consist of not more than five (5) prospective bidders who will be entitled to submit bids.

► Should less than the required number apply for eligibility and short listing pass the eligibility check, and/or pass the minimum score required in the short listing, the BAC shall consider the same. Applicants must collect a minimum weighted score of seventy (70) points to qualify for short listing.

The schedule of bidding activities as follows:

ACTIVITIES	SCHEDULE
Issuance and Availability of Eligibility Documents	03 March 2015
Pre-Eligibility Conference	12 March 2015 at 10:00 A.M.
Deadline of Submission & Opening of Eligibility Documents	25 March 2015 at 10:00 A.M.

The criteria and rating system for short listing are:

1. Applicable experience of the consultant and members in case of joint ventures, considering both the overall experiences of the principal and key staff, including the times when employed by other consultants – thirty percent (30%);
2. Qualification of personnel who may be assigned to the job vis-à-vis extent and complexity of the undertaking – fifty percent (50%); and
3. Current workload relative to capacity – twenty percent (20%).

The DOTC-MRT3 reserves the right to reject any and all bids, annul the bidding process, or not award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders.

For further information, please refer to:

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The pictures and descriptions herein are provided for information only. It is the responsibility of the prospective bidders to determine the general characteristics and conditions of the project(s) and examine the technical specifications/terms of reference and project requirements in the Bidding Documents. In the event of a conflict or discrepancy between the information in this Request for Expression of Interest and the Bidding Documents, the information in the latter shall prevail.

Postings from 03 March 2015 at the PhilGEPs, DOTC-MRT3 and DOTC Websites & Bulletin Boards, and advertised at the Philippine Daily Inquirer on 03 March 2015.

CHAIRMAN
 Bids and Awards Committee
 MRT3 Rehabilitation and Capacity Expansion Projects