**CONSULTANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**

**Location: Kosrae, FSM**

**Duration: March 2021 – June 2021 (4 Months)**

**Consultancy Fee - $45,000.00**

The Pacific Ridge to Reef – International Waters (R2R-IW) Project is a regional project, nationally implemented as National Demonstration Projects in 14 Pacific Island Countries including FSM. The purpose of the regional project is to **“test the mainstreaming of “ridge -to-reef”, climate resilient approaches to integrated land, water, forest and coastal management in the PICs through strategic planning, capacity building, and piloted local actions to sustain livelihoods and preserve ecosystem services.”**

One of the key project benefits is the development and establishment of a Tofol Area Watershed Management Plan that connects effective management of water, land, forest and coastal ecosystems using a Ridge to Reef Approach. Key elements of the plan include baseline data pertaining to watershed management, diagnostic analysis, implementation plan and Project Monitoring and Evaluation plan for the Tofol Watershed.

In the framework of this project, the consultant shall carry out the following tasks as listed but not limited to:

1. Establish Baseline Data and Prepare Technical Assessment Reports
2. Undertake a Diagnostic Analysis
3. Formulate Integrated Watershed Management Plan
4. Prepare a Consultancy Report & Lessons Learned Report

**Deliverables**

* **Tofol Watershed Baseline Technical Assessment Reports**
* **Diagnostic Analysis Report**
* **The Tofol Watershed Management Plan**
* **Consultancy Report & Lessons Learned**

**Qualifications and Requirements**

To be considered for the position, the candidate should have:

* Degree or post-graduate level in environmental or natural resource science including focus on ecosystem management
* More than 5-years of relevant and practical work experience promoting watershed/ resource protection or management
* Excellent knowledge of English and be an experienced writer, able to produce concise, accessible text
* Ability to conduct consultation with locals
* Detailed proposal and methodology.
* Detailed financial proposal based on specific deliverable (Diagnostic report, management plan, etc.).

**How to Apply**

Interested individual consultants must submit the following documents/information

* Letter of Confirmation of Interest and Availability to complete this consultancy. ***If you are interested and available but can only deliver part of the consultancy, indicate so.***
* Personal CV indicating all past experience from similar projects, as well as the contactdetails (email and telephone number) of the Candidate

to **Faith Siba,** FSM IW-R2R Project Manager via email at [faithsiba@gmail.com](mailto:faithsiba@gmail.com) , or submit hard-copy at Kosrae Conservation and Safety Organization Office located in Tofol, Kosrae.

**Closing Date**

Friday, February 26th, 2021

**Should you have inquiries or require more information, feel free to call KCSO Office at 370-3673 or contact Faith Siba via email at** [**faithsiba@gmail.com**](mailto:faithsiba@gmail.com)