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DATE: 20th May 2026

RE-ADVERT: INVITATION FOR QUOTATION

PROCUREMENT OF ENDPOINT BACKUP SOLUTION

Completed quotations must be placed in a sealed envelope endorsed with the relevant above-mentioned name of the project and must be deposited in the Bid Box at the offices of Raymond Mhlaba Local Municipality, Corner Market Street, Town Hall, Fort Beaufort 5720, by no later than **12:00, on Wednesday 27th May 2026.**

Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act points will be awarded as follows:

Price - **80 Points**
Specific goals - **20 Points**
Total - **100 Points**

MANDATORY DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED AND FAILURE TO DO SO WILL LEAD TO BIDS DEEMED TO BE NON-RESPONSIVE.

- Prices quoted must be firm and must be inclusive of VAT for VAT vendors.
- Bids which are late, not filled in black ink, incomplete, pages not filled in, unsigned or submitted by facsimile or electronically, will not be accepted.
- A confirmation from SARS with a verification pin.
- Certified ID Copies of Managing Directors/ Owners.
- Original Municipal Billing Clearance Certificate/Statement of Account for the company and its directors from your local municipality is a compulsory submission. All service providers must provide municipal billing clearance obtainable from Revenue Manager/ Section. Take note that the municipality will not enter contract with the bidder whose Municipal Bill is more than 3 months in arrears.
- Compulsory submission of MBD forms 4, 8 and 9
- Bidders must be registered on CSD and provide confirmation of registration.
- Specific goals will total 20 points.

SPECIFIC GOALS	POINTS
Disabled	3
Youth	5
Woman (female)	5
Military veterans	2
Black	5

- In order to claim points for disability, bidder must submit medical certificate. It is compulsory to submit a full CSD Report
- No bidders in the service of the state are allowed to bid.

OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS

- Raymond Mhlaba Municipality Supply Chain Management Policy will apply.
- Raymond Mhlaba Municipality does not bind itself to accept the lowest bid or any other bid and reserves the right to accept the whole or part of the bid and value for money will be the key determinant of the appointment.
- Certified BBBEE certificate or sworn affidavits for EME's and QSE's (non-elimination item). Certification of documents must be within a period of 90 days and must be originally certified.

Enquiries should be sent to Mr L Yakhe at: lyakhe@raymondmhlaba.gov.za, cell no: 071 9298 345



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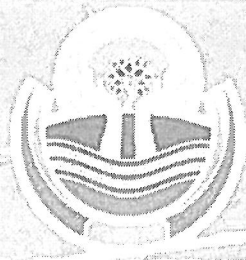
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SPECIFICATIONS:

TO BE COLLECTED AT SCM OFFICE

Yours Faithfully

M. Ngxowa
Chief Financial Officer



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8 Somerset Street Fort Beaufort, 5720 P.O.Box 36, Fort Beaufort, 5720

To : Manager Supply chain
From : Manager ICT
Date : 29 April 2026
Subject : Endpoint Backups Specifications

Dear Sir

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Provision and Deployment of Data Backup Solution: Data Endpoint Protection for a period of one (01) year.
With regards to the background, the Municipality has an existing Cibecs Virtual Machine with historical data that needs to be retained while there is also data that needs to be disposed.
Provide skills transfer via an administrator training with certification.
Provide SLA support to all the required services.

SCOPE OF WORK

- Endpoint data backup, protection and security solution for laptop and desktop computers which must include the following functionality in a single software solution:
 - Cloud management with on-premise storage
 - Integrated device discovery, inventory & deployment
 - Automated endpoint data backup, archival and recovery
 - Local data encryption
 - Remote data wipe
 - Automated revoking of access
 - Remote revoke
 - Device geolocation
 - Integrated full device migration support
- As per Section 5 of the ECT Act, 2002 the vendor must be registered with South African Department of Communications as a Registered Cryptography provider and the registration must be up to date and the certification must be included in the response.

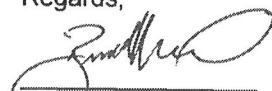
- The system must provide for zero knowledge encryption to ensure that the encryption keys are never exchanged with the storage system at any point in time.
- The system must encrypt the backup data at rest using AES 256-bit encryption and
- Single Data Backup & Protection Solution
- The solution must include:
 - Integrated Device & Data Discovery & Inventory
 - Endpoint Backup & Recovery
 - Local Data Encryption
 - Remote Wipe capabilities
 - Remote Revoke of access to data
 - Device Geolocation
 - Full Remote Migration support
- Training of (5) municipal ICT staff on Data Endpoint Protection Solution with latest version, prepare examinations and issue certification, which includes system setup & configuration, licensing and administration, policy definition, deployment, end user setup, reporting, all operational aspects on the solution and troubleshooting.
- On the proposal, bidders must detail how support and maintenance for a period of 12 months will be carried out.
- A copy of a certification must be submitted with tender documentation as proof of partnership.
- The license must be for 210.

Bill of Quantities


Item No	Item Description	Qty	Rate Price	Vat	Total Price
1	Endpoint Backup Software Licenses and Installations				
1.1	Year-1	210	R	R	R
1.2	Installations and Implementation of Data backup Solution Procedures	1	R	R	R
1.3	Training of Technicians	5	R	R	R
Sub-totals			R	R	R
VAT			R	R	R
Totals			R	R	R

- Budget amount R 120 000

Regards,


 M. Best
 Manager ICT

Approved by:


 T. Ncapayi-Malangabi
 Director Corporate Services