



BELIZE MARINE CONSERVATION AND CLIMATE ADAPTATION PROJECT (MCCAP)

Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries, Forestry, the Environment & Sustainable Development and Immigration

STATEMENT OF CAPABILITY

Grant No: P131408

The Government of Belize, in collaboration with the World Bank (WB) and the Adaptation Fund (AF) is implementing the project entitled “*Marine Conservation and Climate Adaptation Project*” (MCCAP). The **project development objective** is to implement priority ecosystem-based marine conservation and climate adaptation measures to strengthen the climate resilience of the Belize Barrier Reef System and its productive marine resources.

MCCAP is seeking an Individual Consultant to:

- 1) **Deliver training to teachers in climate change and climate change adaptation** with the critical minimum requirements listed below:
 - A Bachelor’s degree natural resource management, geography, or related field in climate change (e.g. mitigation, adaptation, finance, etc.);
 - At least 5 years of experience in climate change e.g. policy development, negotiations, adaptation/mitigation initiatives;
 - At least 2-year experience in the monitoring and evaluation of climate change projects, particularly in the context of natural resource management;
 - At least 3 years or 5 initiatives working in the Caribbean, preferably Belize, on climate change issues;
 - Familiarity with international negotiations and processes under the UNFCCC;

The expected start date of the Consultancy is March 2018. The total duration of the Consultancy should not exceed 5 months.

- 2) **Execute a national behavioural change campaign towards Marine Conservation and Climate Change** with the critical minimum requirements listed below:

- A Master’s degree in the field of public relations, journalism, communication or marketing, or business management or similar field;
- A minimum of five (5) years of expertise in the development of communication strategy, disseminating communication materials and raising awareness among fishing communities and civil society about climate change in Belize;

- Provide evidence of having undertaken similar assessments for at least 3 years in Belize and/or another country preferably in the Caribbean;
- In-depth knowledge of Belize mainstream media and Public Relations environment, as well as of marketing theories and techniques;
- Demonstrated ability to create content that is persuasive, clear, concise and able to convey and present technical ideas/knowledge in an engaging manner for varied audience;

The expected start date of the Consultancy is March 2018. The total duration of this assignment is one year (or as determined). However, the Consultant will not be required to provide continuous assistance over the 12-18month period. Involvement will be limited to providing specific services at specific times as indicated in the work plan or any other period as may be subsequently agreed by the parties in writing

MCCAP invites individual consultants interested in undertaking the assignment to submit their Statements of Capability. In submitting their Statements of Capability, applicants should be aware that they will be assessed based on the following areas:

- (a) Qualifications
- (b) Experience of the individual relative to the particular assignment
- (c) Availability of Candidate for the proposed consultancy period.

The terms of reference for the assignments can be requested from andrea@pactbelize.org.

Consultants interested in undertaking the assignment are required to submit their Statements of Capability and CV along with references by **3:00 pm on Friday 23rd February 2018** to andrea@pactbelize.org or one original and two (2) hard copies of each submission in the English language to:

Procurement Officer
Protected Areas Conservation Trust (PACT)
#3 Mango Street
Belmopan City
Belize

The sealed envelope containing the Statement of Capability must include the name and address of the applicant and should be clearly marked the name of the consultancy.

MCCAP shall not be bound to assign any reason for not selecting any applicant and will not defray any costs incurred by the applicant in the preparation and submission of statements.