KISIP2 transforms Eldoret's informal settlements

BY FREDRICK MARITIM (KNA)

ne year after Eldoret was elevated to city status, efforts to upgrade infrastructure in informal settlements have gained momentum, with the ongoing rehabilitation of the 4-kilometer Maili Nne Road standing out as one of the flagship projects under the Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KI-SIP2).

Funded by the World Bank in partnership with the National and County Governments, KISIP2 seeks to improve living conditions and stimulate economic growth across Eldoret's informal neighborhoods.

During an inspection tour of the project, Uasin Gishu County Governor Dr. Jonathan Bii said the road represents more



Uasin Gishu County Governor Dr. Jonathan Bii Chelilim, accompanied by other county government officials, inspects the progress of the 4-kilometer Maili Nne Road project under the Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KISIP2).

than just new tarmac and drainage, describing it as a catalyst for social and economic renewal.

"This road is more than just tarmac and drainage; it marks a new chapter of social and economic revitalization for Maili Nne. It means mothers can reach hospitals faster, traders can transport their goods efficiently, children can attend school safely, and investors will be more inclined to establish businesses in this area," he

The ongoing works which include modern drainage, walkways, floodlights, and street

lighting-are transforming the Maili Nne settlement after decades of residents enduring muddy, impassable roads, persistent flooding, and insecurity after dark.

County officials expect the project to raise land values, attract smallscale industries, and spur new housing developments. They also note that better connectivity is reducing travel costs to Eldoret town, boosting overall productivity.

Uasin Gishu County Executive for Lands, Housing, and Urban Development, Edward Sawe, emphasized that the initiative aligns closely with Governor Bii's Nguzo Kumi development agenda, highlighting its role in uplifting communities and driving inclusive growth.

"By investing in settlements like Maili Nne, we are enhancing dignity, safety, and economic opportunity for all residents. This is the urban growth model we aim to replicate across Uasin Gishu," said

On her part, Chief Officer for Housing and Urban Development, Mary Kerich, added that infrastructure upgrades provide a vital foundation for inclusive growth, stressing that such improvements go beyond physical development to empower communities economically and socially.



Specific Procurement Notice

SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE (UPDATED VERSION)

REQUEST FOR BIDS

PLANT

DESIGN, SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION

(TWO-ENVELOPE BIDDING PROCESS, WITHOUT PREQUALIFICATION)

Employer	Kenya Electricity Transmission Company Ltd.
Project	Kenya Green and Resilient Expansion of Energy (GREEN) Program Phase 2 Project
Contract title	Design, Supply, Installation & Commissioning of the 400/220 kV Kimuka Substation and Associated Transmission Lines
Country	Кепуа
Credit No.	4791-KE
RFB No	KE-KETRACO-416094-CW-RFB
Issued on	8 [™] MARCH 2025

- The Government of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Kenya Green and Resilient Expansion of Energy (GREEN) Program Phase 2 Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the Contract for Design, Supply, Installation & Commissioning of the 400/220 kV Kimuka Substation and Associated Transmission Lines.
- The Kenya Electricity Transmission Company Ltd. now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the Design, Supply, Installation & Commissioning of the 400/220 kV Kimuka Substation and Associated Transmission Lines.
- Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers dated September 2023 (5th Edition) ("Procurement Regulations") and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement
- Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from

Senior Manager, Supply Chain Kenya Electricity Transmission Company Ltd.

kimuka400procurement@ketraco.co.ke

- and inspect the bidding document during office hours, 0800 to 1500 hours EAT at the address given below. The bidding document in English is available for download by interested eligible Bidders via this link: https://www.ketraco.co.ke/procurement/tenders/open-tenders Interested eligible Bidders are required to register with the Employer upon download of the bidding document via the email address indicated above and provide their official email address for purposes of communication during the entire bidding period.
- Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 11th September 2025 at 1000hr EAT. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. The outer Bid envelopes marked "ORIGINAL BID", and the inner envelopes marked "TECHNICAL PART" will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend, at the address below on 11th September 2025 at 1000hr EAT. All envelopes marked "FINANCIAL PART" shall remain unopened and will be held in safe custody of the Employer until the second public Bid opening.
- All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of Sixty-Six Million and Three Hundred Thousand Kenya Shillings (KES 66,300,000) or equivalent in a freely convertible currency.
- Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder's beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.
- The address(es) referred to above is (are):

Senior Manager, Supply Chain Kenya Electricity Transmission Company Ltd Second Floor, Kawi Complex, Block B Off Popo Road, Off Red Cross Road, South C P O Box 34942 - 00100 Nairobi

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NOTICE OF TWELFTH (12TH) ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF MURANG'A SOUTH WATER AND SANITATION COMPANY LIMITED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Twelfth (12th) Annual General Meeting of Murang'a South Water and Sanitation Company Limited will be held at Golden Palm Breeze Hotel, Kenol, Murang'a on Thursday, 25th September, 2025 at 10.30 a.m. to transact the following business:

AGENDA

CONSTITUTION OF THE MEETING

The Company Secretary to read the notice convening the meeting after determining if there was the requisite quorum

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT 2.

To receive the Chairman's Report

3. MANAGING DIRECTOR'S REPORT

To receive the Managing Director's Report

ADOPTION OF THE CHAIRMAN'S AND MANAGING DIRECTOR'S REPORTS 4.

To adopt the Chairman's and the Managing Director's reports

- REPORTS OF THE AUDITORS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 2024 To receive and consider the Company's Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June, 2024, together with the Chairman's, Directors' and Auditors' Reports therein.
- APPOINTMENT AND REMUNERATION OF AUDITORS

To note that the Auditor General shall continue in office as Auditors of the Company and to authorize the Directors to fix their remuneration in accordance with the provisions of Section 724 of the Companies Act, 2015

REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS

To authorize the Board to fix the remuneration of Directors subject to complying with the benchmarks and guidelines in the Water Sector.

To transact any other business of the Annual General Meeting for which written notice has been received by the Company Secretary at least 48 hours before the Annual General Meeting in accordance with the Companies Act. 2015.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

FCS Richard K. Gikuhi MBA, MKIM, HSC Company Secretary Murang'a South Water and Sanitation Company Limited, Company Offices, Kandara Township, Murang'a South, P. O. Box 87 - 01034. KANDARA

Dated: 2nd September 2025

For more details, please visit company's website www.muswasco.co.ke.



