Project Title:

(RSRTF) Reconciliation, Stabilization, and Resilience Trust Fund,

Restoring Peaceful Coexistence for Better Livelihoods in

Project Location(s):

Koch County

Partnership Period:

3 Months 7 working days each Month

About the Mercy Corps: Mercy Corps implements high quality, analytical work in South Sudan (Koch of unity state) the world's toughest places principally in post conflict or transitional areas to integrate targeted assistance for the immediate needs of critically vulnerable populations with a larger strategic focus on market facilitation that promotes long term systemic change. Mercy Corps addresses several interrelated needs within a range of activities including livelihoods, peace building, agriculture, water and sanitation, health and nutrition, financial access, and economic development. Mercy Corps applies a broad and integrated approach to address challenges to product and service availability, access, and utilization among communities of intervention.

Project Description: Mercy Corps through funding from UNDP in consortium with World Relief, Care, UNMISS and UNIDOR is implementing resilience component to strengthened through increased economic opportunities and sustainable livelihoods for 2years under RSRTF Project. An ABP Phase II with objective to reduce conflict and violence and create conditions for building resilience and to establish mechanisms to prevent conflicts and enhance peaceful co-existence within the community and towards sustainable livelihoods that will increase in access to finance and improvements in food security & livelihoods situation.

Purpose of the Partnership: To contract a company that can provides us with three (3) political facilitators that are knowledgeable of South Sudan politics under existing political institution in the Country. They will train and capacitate potential Female community leaders on leadership and governance, boost their confidence in political participation and in the decision-making process within their communities. After the training the women will advocate and promote gender equity in the local authority and civic services in the community as well as in the country.

Objectives of the Partnership:

 To educate women on Leaderships participation at 40% as stipulated in Revitalize peace agreement in 2018.



- To orient the female leaders in the existing political parties in the Country and encourage them to participate fully in political rallies.
- To train potential women leaders on local governance structure in the County and State.
- To train women in customary law and encourage them to participate in local courts in the county.
- To train women in conflict mitigation and peace advocacy in their community

Facilitators roles:

- Trains selected potential female leaders on leadership skills and inspire them to participate in local government in their community.
- Elaborate example of Women in Leaderships in both state, national and local governance structure in the Country and in around the World
- Educate selected Women on difference political parties in the country, make their distinction to the participants.
- Work closely with the relevant local authority and provide technical knowledge in 35% of women participation local governance structure in the country.
- Prepare and submit quality and timely programmatic reports for all activities conducted as required.
- Any other tasks assign by the line supervisor.

Deliverables

- Submit a well-articulated report with practical recommendation to Mercy Corps and
- Write final activities report during the consultancy period
- Provides trainings manual on topics covered during the trainings.

The facilitators will report to: Program Manager and Deputy Project Manager- Mercy Corps and will work closely with program teams, Local government officials and Mercy Corps staffs.

Qualifications

- Registered company with proven experience in delivering similar trainings to community leaders.
- At least three qualified personnel with political science background and sound understanding of leadership and political engagement in South Sudan.
- Minimum 2 to 5 years of experience in South Sudan politics and delivering similar training local government official and community leaders.
- Should have trainers that are able to work independently once in the field and show initiative.
- Strong writing skills and experience in conducting needs assessment and report writing,
 ability to develop good relationships with target communities.

- Computer and basic administrative and organizational skills.
- Good spoken and written English
- Willingness to extensively travel to hard-to-reach areas.

How to apply

Provide a technical and budget proposal for delivery or training along with CVs for three facilitators that carryout training to the women leaders.

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Closing Date for Application on 15th July 2022.

Timeframe

The partnership will be for a period of three months run from July to September 2022 with possible extension.

