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Voice of Peace Consultant

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POSITION: Voice of Peace consultant (1)

LOCATION: Leer county Unity state and Bor - Jonglei State

REPORTS TO: Protection Programme Manager

Donor funding:

1. Background

UNIDOR is a Christian base national none governmental organization, working in South Sudan, formed in 2004 and registered in South Sudan Relief and Rehabilitation commission (RRC), under registration number 182, under chapter 3, of section 10 of NNGOs acts, 2016.

In 2020, OHCHR-(UNMISS/UNDP) South Sudan, funded a six-month Access to justice and Rule of law projects to UNIDOR in Leer (Unity) and to SAADO in Bor, (Jonglei) through the Peacebuilding Funds. The grants objectives were to establish and strengthen local networks of conflict survivors, including victims of sexual violence, for peace dialogues with local communities and political elites.

Voice of peace network project is a short program to empower an already formed informal network groups of men, women and youth, survivors of conflict related violence – including victims of sexual violence.

UNIDOR Seeks to hire a consultant to conduct 6 days training train the 12 conflict survivor network members on Use of media in violent conflict prevention and community engagement is a new innovation that if used effectively, should increase peacebuilding awareness to huge population within a society. The project main objective is to build the capacity of 12 conflict survivors' networks (8 in Leer with a total of 160 members, 4 in Bor with a total of 80 members), including victims of sexual violence, to use media and engage with broader audiences, further strengthening community ownership in peacebuilding and use of media communication in conflict prevention and community engagement.

2. OBJECTIVES OF CONSULTANCY:

The objectives of this consultancy are as follows:

The Consultancy objective is to build the capacity of established conflict survivors' networks, including victims of sexual violence, to use media and engage with broader audiences.

Key Responsibilities:

- I. Build Capacity and Provide technical skills to conflict survivor's to use media and engage with broader audiences in peace dialogues and violence and conflict prevention, including the prevention and mitigation of conflict related sexual violence, and sexual gender-based violence. example provide skills on conducting press conference, media peace /conflict prevention dialogue, press release, documentaries, (talking walls)
- II. Build Capacity of conflict survivors to engage with broader audiences- Audio/Visuals
Examples: Phone ring tones, Recorded radio played messages, Tv/ radio talk shows, advertisements, weekly bulletins.
- III. Provide practicum on use of media. Engage the participants to hold one media conference on the last day of the training involving local media house/station in Leer and Bor respectively. Develop/establish 2 user-friendly, gender-sensitive communication and advocacy strategies for visible peace for the network groups in LEER and BOR counties. The intended manual will provide easy to follow strategies including illustrations of

procedures in images, pictorials/diagrams for the community members who may not have adequate reading and writing skills. An independent consultant will be hired to support this activity.

3. METHODOLOGY:

The consultancy is expected to provide training for 12 conflict survivor group networks of Women, Men and youth (8-Leer= 160 members, 4-Bor= 80 members).

The training will deliver a 6 days participatory training (4 days in LEER, 2 days in BOR)

4. Deliverables of consultancy assignment:

The consultant is expected to deliver the following after completion of the assigned task:

1. Detailed media training report (including photos in jpg format)
2. A copy of media conference report, clip(audio/visual)
3. Two (2) user friendly communication and advocacy strategies for visible peace for the network groups in LEER and BOR counties

5. Expected time of the consultancy assignment:

The consultant is expected to deliver the assigned task within 15 days as from the signing of the agreed contract.

6. Experience and qualifications of the consultant/ service provider:

The consultant must have the following qualifications and experience:

- ❖ Bachelor degree in communication /journalism.
- ❖ Specific experience in peacebuilding and conflict management project implementation is an added advantage.
- ❖ Excellent English communication and report writing.

Desired:

- ❖ Knowledge and experience with coaching and mentoring in communication, advocacy and community engagement.

Application Process:

All interested applicants are asked to submit their application through hardcopy or softcopy using below address.

email E-mail to ed@unidorss.org, hr@unidorss.org and vicky@unidorss.org

Applications be addressed to UNIDOR's Human Resource Department.

Deadline for accepting any application will be on Friday 20th August 2021. No applications be accepted after this date.

