Tenders invited for infrastructure works at Kwok Shui Road, Tsuen Wan

The Civil Engineering and Development Department (CEDD) today (January 12) gazetted a notice to invite tenders for the contract for Infrastructure Works at Kwok Shui Road, Tsuen Wan (Contract No. CV/2023/15). The closing time for the tender is noon on February 23.

The works mainly include:

- construction of a footbridge across Castle Peak Road Kwai Chung and associated lift facilities:
- widening of a section of the existing single two-lane carriageway of Kwok Shui Road; and
- ancillary works including drainage, sewerage, waterworks and landscaping works.

The works are scheduled to commence in May 2024 and will take about 36 months to complete.

The CEDD has commissioned Mott MacDonald Hong Kong Limited to design and supervise the works. Interested contractors may obtain the forms of tender and further particulars from the company at 3/F, Manulife Place, 348 Kwun Tong Road, Kwun Tong, Kowloon.

Details of the tender notice are available at the CEDD's website (www.cedd.gov.hk/eng/tender-notices/contracts/tender-notices/index.html). For enquiries, please call Mott MacDonald Hong Kong Limited at 2828 5981 during office hours.

<u>Tenders invited for site formation and infrastructure works at Kwu Tung North New Development Area</u>

The Civil Engineering and Development Department (CEDD) today (January 12) gazetted a notice to invite tenders for the contract for Kwu Tung North New Development Area, Remaining Phase: Site Formation and Infrastructure Works (South) (Contract No. ND/2024/01). The closing time for the tender is noon on March 22.

The works mainly include:

- site formation of lands (including site clearance and land decontamination works) and ground investigation within Kwu Tung North New Development Area (KTN NDA);
- construction of at-grade roads within KTN NDA connecting to Castle Peak Road and Fanling Highway;
- construction of a vehicular bridge connecting proposed Road L1 and Road L2:
- construction of footbridges at proposed Road P2;
- construction of noise barriers and low noise road surfacing;
- construction of common utility enclosure and associated works;
- construction of a visitor centre; and
- ancillary works including footpaths, cycle tracks, lighting, traffic aids, drainage, sewerage, water mains, district cooling mains, landscaping works, slope works and electrical and mechanical works.

The works are scheduled to commence in July 2024 and will take about 71 months to complete.

The CEDD has commissioned AECOM Asia Company Limited to design and supervise the works. Interested contractors may obtain the forms of tender and further particulars from AECOM Asia Company Limited at 12/F, Tower 2, Grand Central Plaza, 138 Sha Tin Rural Committee Road, Sha Tin.

Details of the tender notice are available on the CEDD's website (www.cedd.gov.hk/eng/tender-notices/contracts/tender-notices/index.html). For enquiries, please call AECOM Asia Company Limited at 3922 9000 during office hours.

Tenders invited for improvement works of Fanling Highway (Kwu Tung Portion) and associated works at Kwu Tung North New Development Area

The Civil Engineering and Development Department (CEDD) today (January 12) gazetted a notice to invite tenders for the contract for Kwu Tung North New Development Area, Remaining Phase: Improvement Works of Fanling Highway (Kwu Tung Portion) and Associated Works (Contract No. ND/2024/03). The closing time for the tender is noon on March 22.

The works mainly include:

- site clearance and formation (including land decontamination works);
- widening of Fanling Highway (Kwu Tung Portion);
- modification of Castle Peak Road (Kwu Tung Portion);

- construction of footbridges across Fanling Highway (Kwu Tung Portion);
- construction of Kwu Tung Interchange;
- modification of Kwu Tung Road and construction of Road L3;
- construction of associated works including water mains, drainage and sewerage works, roadworks, cycle tracks, footpaths, box culverts, junction improvement works, slope works, retaining walls, street furniture, landscaping works, electrical and mechanical works and other ancillary works;
- implementation of environmental mitigation measures (including noise enclosures, noise barriers and low-noise road surfacing) and environmental monitoring works for the works mentioned above; and
- installation of Traffic Control and Surveillance System and conduction of associated testing and commissioning of Fanling Highway (Pak Shek Au, Kwu Tung and Tai Tau Leng Portions).

The works are scheduled to commence in July 2024 and will take about 71 months to complete.

The CEDD has commissioned AECOM Asia Company Limited to design and supervise the works. Interested contractors can obtain the forms of tender and further particulars from the company at 12/F, Tower 2, Grand Central Plaza, 138 Sha Tin Rural Committee Road, Sha Tin.

Details of the tender notice are available at the CEDD's website (www.cedd.gov.hk/eng/tender-notices/contracts/tender-notices/index.html). For enquiries, please call AECOM Asia Company Limited at 3922 9000 during office hours.

"M" Mark status awarded to Standard Chartered Hong Kong Marathon 2024

The following is issued on behalf of the Major Sports Events Committee:

The Major Sports Events Committee (MSEC) has awarded "M" Mark status to Standard Chartered Hong Kong Marathon 2024, which will be held on January 21.

The Chairman of the MSEC, Mr Wilfred Ng, said today (January 12) that like all other "M" Mark events, this event will not only promote sports development and showcase Hong Kong's capability to host world-class sports events, but also add colour and vibrancy to Hong Kong, bring in more visitors from abroad and enhance Hong Kong's position as a centre for major international sports events.

"The Standard Chartered Hong Kong Marathon is an internationally renowned marathon race held on a yearly basis. In addition to local runners,

the event has successfully attracted runners from around the world. This year's event will enter its 26th edition, with a total of 74 000 participants," Mr Ng said.

The "M" Mark System aims to encourage and help local "national sports associations" and private and non-government organisations to organise more major international sports events and nurture them into sustainable undertakings. Sports events meeting the assessment criteria will be granted "M" Mark status by the MSEC. Funding support will also be provided to some events.

For details of "M" Mark events, please visit www.mevents.org.hk.

<u>Surface mail services to certain</u> <u>destinations subject to delay</u>

â€<Hongkong Post announced today (January 12) that, as advised by sea freight contractors, due to vessels being rerouted away from the Red Sea, the journey time will take two weeks more than usual. Surface mail services to Europe, Africa and Central & South America may be subject to delay.