

SCHEME OVERVIEW

The President's Infrastructure Initiative assists Member Associations in their overall development of football by introducing infrastructure that will allow them to increase, upgrade and expand the football facilities in its country.

It is hoped that through the implementation of this programme, other football stakeholders, Non-Government Organisations, Government Owned-and-Controlled Organisations and the private sector realise the benefits that such capital expenditure will greatly increase football development and encourage these organisations to invest in additional facilities in the future.

PROJECT DETAILS

This scheme will range from the following:

- Full size and mini football pitches
- Floodlights
- Scoreboard
- Pitch Maintenance Equipment
- Football-related infrastructure at a training/technical centre (including seating solutions)
- Any other football-specific facilities deemed to fulfil the programme guidelines

Priority is to be given to the following types of projects:

- Infrastructure at facilities used for AFC competitions
- Infrastructure at MA national and regional technical centres that will be used as hubs for implementing the AFC Coaching Convention and the AFC Elite Youth Programme
- Facilities to help promote the AFC Grassroots Charter – e.g. mini pitches, community facilities.
- Facilities used for national leagues.

FINANCIAL STRUCTURE

- Programme to have a maximum investment of USD 800,000 for the period of 2019-2020
AFC to contribute a maximum of 90% of the total project cost (Member Association to fund a minimum of 10% per project)

SELECTION

- Land Ownership - For a project to proceed, the Member Association shall provide the AFC with a letter from the owner of the land expressing the rights of the Member Association regarding usage and responsibility for the site for at least 10 years (unfavourable agreements will not be accepted by the AFC General Secretariat)
- Projects equal to and/or over USD\$50,000 shall be tendered publicly either by the AFC or the MA in accordance with the attached "Tender Guidelines"
- Projects below USD\$50,000 shall require a local tender with a minimum of three proposals to include the following:
 - company background
 - client list
 - quotation breakdown (itemisation plus breakdown of any construction costs)
 - registration details of company
 - images of proposed products
 - warranty details

ELIGIBILITY & APPLICATION

- Member Associations shall be one of the recipients of the AFC Financial Assistance Programme (AFAP)
- Member Associations shall have a Strategic Plan in place
- Submission of details of proposed sites - Member Association to show strategic consideration for selection of sites
- Submission of maintenance and replacement plan
- Submission of attached application form to include a letter to the General Secretary of the AFC
- Application must also include the following:
 - Details on proposed sites with reasons for the selection of each specific site, ownership information and map showing geographical spread
 - Details of the programmed usage of each site
 - Maintenance and pitch replacement plan

Note: the AFC is not responsible for managing, maintaining and/or replacing the infrastructure investment. The applicant Member Association must illustrate consideration towards these important issues.



AFC PRESIDENT'S INFRASTRUCTURE INITIATIVE

PROJECT POLICY

Member Association:

Scheme: Infrastructure Fund

Type of Other Football Infrastructure

Full size pitch(es)

Mini pitch(es)

Seating Pitch

Floodlights

Scoreboards

Maintenance Equipment

Fencing

Other (please specify below)

Location of Proposed Site:

Ownership Details of Proposed Site:

What will the infrastructure be used for:

AFC Competitions

National/Regional Training Centre

National League

AFC Grassroots Charter Activities

Other (please specify below)

Estimated Cost of Project: USD

AFC Contribution:

USD

MA Contribution:

USD



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PROJECT POLICY

Any additional information related to the proposed project:

Project Manager at the Member Association:

Name:

Email Address:

Contact Number: