

Dated: 09 October 2025

Sub.: Evaluation of Expression of Interest Proposals and Shortlisting of NGOs to participate in the Request for Proposal process for engagement as a Technical Partner to Support ICFRE in Implementation of Awareness Generation and Capacity Building Activities on Forest Landscape Restoration and Related Concepts for Local Communities within Selected Model Sites/ Landscapes in Maharashtra under the RECAP4NDC Project

1. Expression of Interest Proposals of the following 15 NGOs were received within the stipulated date and time (25 August 2025, 05:30 PM):

S.No.	Name of the NGOs
1	Watershed Organisation Trust (WOTR), Paryaran Behind Market Yard Ahilyanagar 414001, Maharashtra
2	Green Yatra Trust, 308, Eco Star, Vishveshwar Nagar Rd, Churi Wadi Goregaon (East) Mumbai 400063, Maharashtra
3	Trinetra Padum Krushi & Gramin Bahuddeshiya Shikshan Sanstha, 576, Gandhi ward, Near Bela GP, Ta, Dist Bhandara 4419906, Maharashtra
4	Applied Environment Research Foundation, C36 Krisnarjun Madhavgaug Co-op Hsg Society, Shivatirthanagar Paud Road, Kothgrud Pune 411038 Maharashtra
5	Poornam Ecovision Foundation, Flat No. 19, 4 th Floor Building A, S.No. 13/03 Sai Residency, Dhayari, Pune 411041- Maharashtra
6	TERRE Policy Centre, A1-207 Siddharth Towers, Kothurd, Pune - 411038, Maharashtra
7	Harshal Gramin Vikas Bahu, Sanstha, Watchal Bhawan near Dr. Soitkar hospital, Viveknagar, Mul road , Chandrapur 442402, Maharashtra
8	Know How Foundation, Golden Arch, Building D, Ground Floor, NDA Pashan Road, Bavdhan, Pune - 411071, Maharashtra
9	Annapurna Sewabhavi Sanstha, At Chinkhali, Tal Karad, Dist. Satara 415106, Maharashtra
10	Waatavaran Foundation ,59/A near Shetty infra service, Kamgar Nagar Dist. Kurla East 400024, Maharashtra
11	Forest regeneration and environmental sustainability trust, House no. G-25, Aditya Nisarg Society, Pirangut Ghat, Mulsi Road Pune - 412115, Maharashtra
12	Nisarg Vidnyan Mandal, 138, Kalpataru, Mahalaxminagar, No.02, Manewada Road, Nagpur, 440024, Maharashtra
13	Parishram Gramin Vikas Sanstha, Near old Tahsil Mangalwedha Dist- Solapur 413305, Maharashtra
14	Universal Versatile Society, Plot no. 58 Jadhav layout, Lakhala, Washim-444505, Maharashtra
15	Baif Institue for Sustainable Livelihoods & Development, BAIF Mittra Bhavan, opp. Niwas Homes, Behind Bodhale Nagar, Nashik-Pune Road, Pune 422011, Maharashtra

2. Based on the examination and scrutiny of the documents submitted by the NGOs, following NGOs do not meet the eligibility criteria as per the requirements of the EOI; therefore, it was deemed non-eligible.

S.No.	Name of the NGO	Reasons for being non-eligible
1	Applied Environment Research Foundation,	- Full time Employees (Team leader & Team specialist) NGO not mentioned. - A certificate from the CEO of the NGO regarding not being blacklisted not submitted. - Average Annual Turnover Certificate not certified by CA - Copies of work orders not submitted.
2	Trinetra Padum Krushi & Gramin Bahuddeshiya Shikshan Sanstha	EOI proposal not submitted in that prescribed formats
3	Waatavaran Climate, Environment and Sustainability Foundation, East Kurla	- Declaration of full-time employees not submitted but three CVs provided. - Average Annual Turnover not certified by CA.
4	TERRE Policy Centre, Pune	Average Annual Turnover not certified by CA.
5	Green Yatra Trust, Mumbai	Average Annual Turnover not certified by CA.

3. On evaluation of the EOI proposals, following ten (10) NGOs met the prescribed qualification/ eligibility criteria as per the REOI document:

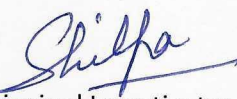
S. No.	Name of the NGO
1	Harshal Gramin Vikas Bahu. Sanstha, Chandrapur
2	Baif Institute for Sustainable Livelihoods and Development, Pune
3	Watershed Organisation Trust, Ahilyanagar
4	Poornam Ecovision Foundation, Pune
5	Annapurna Sewabhavi Sanstha, Satara
6	Know How Foundation, Pune
7	Forest Regeneration and Environmental Sustainability Trust, Pune
8	Nisarg Vidnyan Mandal, Nagpur
9	Parishram Gramin Vikas Sanstha, Solapur
10	Universal Versatile Society, Washim

4. In accordance with the provisions stipulated under Clause 10.2.5 of the REOI document, eight (08) NGOs were shortlisted based on Average Annual Turnover and Experience for the issuance of the Request for Proposal (RFP):

1. Harshal Gramin Vikas Bahu. Sanstha, Chandrapur
2. Baif Institute for Sustainable Livelihoods and Development, Pune

3. Watershed Organisation Trust, Ahilyanagar
4. Poornam Ecovision Foundation, Pune
5. Annapurna Sewabhavi Sanstha, Satara
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Shortlisted NGOs must not advertise or publish the same in any form without the prior written consent of ICFRE.


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