

## Call for Expression of Interest for UN Road Safety Fund Implementing Partners from Civil Society

United Nations Road Safety Fund

### INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS

<b>General</b>		
<p><b>Purpose:</b> The purpose of this Call is to identify a pool of qualified civil society organizations (CSOs) who may eventually be eligible to directly access grants under UN Road Safety Fund <a href="#">Call for Proposals</a>.</p>		
<b>1</b>	<b>Eligibility</b>	<p>Interested CSOs must meet the following conditions to be eligible for the assessment under this Call:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Be registered as a not-for-profit nongovernmental organization; semi-governmental organization; non-profit company, or cooperative society.</li> <li>- Be able to implement required road safety interventions in more than one low- and middle-income country.</li> <li>- Have a proven track record of implemented road safety interventions in one or more of the Fund's five outcome areas.</li> <li>- Employ more than 3 staff members.</li> <li>- Demonstrate existence of a governance framework.</li> <li>- Be willing to mandatorily undertake the micro-assessment under the Harmonized Approach to Cash Transfers (HACT) framework found <a href="#">here</a>.</li> </ul> <p>Organizations that do not meet all of the above requirements will be excluded from the assessment process.</p>
<b>2</b>	<b>Deadline</b>	The Call for Expression of Interest will be open from Monday 17 October 2022 until 18:00 CET on Friday 18 November 2022 (subject to extension, as needed by the UNRSF secretariat).
<b>Preparation and Submission of Applications (Expression of Interest)</b>		
<b>3</b>	<b>Language</b>	All applications should be made in the English Language.
<b>4</b>	<b>Submissions</b>	<p>All submissions and inquiries shall be emailed to <b><a href="mailto:unrsf_secretariat@un.org">unrsf_secretariat@un.org</a></b></p> <p>The subject line must be indicated as, REF: UNRSF-CALL FOR INTEREST-CIVIL SOCIETY</p>
<b>5</b>	<b>Documents</b>	Submissions shall include the Application Form (attachment 1) and supporting documents required therein including the CSO registration document; a list of ongoing and completed projects over the last two years, the latest Annual Report/Statement and information on governance.

<b>Evaluation process</b>		
<b>6</b>	<b>Assessment</b>	<p>Stage 1:</p> <p>The Fund secretariat will screen for qualified CSOs who demonstrate a high likelihood of positive impact on the Fund’s ability to execute its mandate in accordance with the Fund’s <a href="#">Global Framework Plan of Action for Road Safety</a> and <a href="#">Business Plan</a>.</p> <p>During the assessment, additional weight will be applied to CSOs that demonstrate the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Proof of having successfully managed road safety projects valued at USD \$100,000 to ≥ USD \$500,000.</li> <li>- Experience with delivering projects in collaboration with the United Nations</li> <li>- Experience with delivering UN Road Safety Fund projects</li> <li>- Proof of already being micro-HACT assessed</li> <li>- Proof of being a sub-contractor to the United Nations or other international organization</li> </ul> <p>Stage 2:</p> <p>The list of qualified CSOs will be presented to the Fund’s Steering Committee in order that the Committee declares which, if any, CSOs may be deemed eligible to directly access grants from the Fund.</p> <p>Stage 3:</p> <p>CSOs which have been declared eligible will be notified about, and guided through, the separate legal and administrative prerequisites and process of entering into a non-UN organization (NUNO) Framework Agreement with the Fund’s Multi-Partner Trust Fund Office. A pre-requisite to entering into a NUNO Framework Agreement is for the CSO to be micro-HACT assessed as a “low risk” implementing partner.</p>
<b>7</b>	<b>Attachments</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Application Form</li> </ul>

**Disclaimer:** Please note that this notice does not constitute a solicitation and UNRSF reserves the right to change or cancel the Call at any time in the process. Submitting an application to UNRSF secretariat does not guarantee that the submitting organization will be selected as implementing partner of UNRSF.