



Table Listing of Critical Details

- I. Proposed Project Title-** *“The Export Passport Investment Fund”*
- II. Name of the Organization and Contact Information-** *“RD Woods, Inc: EIN 85-1180706”, “The Expat Passport PTY: Registration Number 2026/42495/07”* and Ray Woods, theexpatpassport@gmail.com, +27 077-472-1510, 115 Longmarket St Cape Town, SA 8001
- III. Focus Area to Which the SOI is responding-** Commercial Diplomacy Acceleration
- IV. Target Benefiting Country or Countries-** The United States and All of Africa
- V. Total Federal Share Requested-** 10%, \$5 Million USD
- VI. Estimated Value of non-USG Resource Contributions-** \$5 Million USD Match
- VII. Project Length with planned goals of each stage, and a proposed spend plan and estimated end date of completion for each stage-** 36 Months (one month in each of the United States top priority 36 African countries), \$138,888.89 USD per month, I’d spend a month in each country to identify opportunities and then bring corporate partners to match or exceed the funds the US government has pledged to strengthen U.S. commercial opportunities and economic development by strengthening regulatory frameworks, supporting workforce development, improving enabling infrastructure, and addressing market access barriers across priority sectors, including telecommunications, energy, emerging technologies, and artificial intelligence. 36 months in the field with an understanding that all pending deals must be finalized by end of business on the last day of the 36th month, and the highest priority countries being visited first.
- VIII. Partners-** See <https://theexpatpassport.com/participating-brands> for a current list of partners
- IX. Performance and Impact Indicators-** Number of regulatory frameworks strengthened, the amount of workforce developed, the total number of infrastructures we help enable, the total number of market access barriers that we address across priority sectors, including telecommunications, energy, emerging technologies, and artificial intelligence.
- X. Organizational EIN-** US Corporation EIN: 85-1180706; South African PTY Registration Number: 2026/42956/07; Reference Number: 9224805284



Narrative

Brief Project Description:

We're offering to operate as a team of Liaisons for The United States throughout 36 of the African Continents 55 Nations according to the Focus Area, Project Length, Performance and Impact Indicators, detailed within our SOI and in accordance with America's best Interest as dictated by The Trump Administration and its participating vendor partners. We've already gotten started in Cape Town, South Africa and to date have already recruited 70 vendor partners and counting.

We have vendors that have committed to pay commissions for every room booked by travelling entrepreneurs and investors, every car that's rented, and every currency that's converted, amongst others. We've already managed to recruit the South African Angel Investment Network, Lula Lend, and Telkom as partner brands with just \$15,000 USD invested and 6 months of dedicated work. With \$138,888.89 USD per month at our disposal and the whole of the African continent as a playing field, the possibilities are inspiring.

- **Our goals** are to spend a month in each country to identify opportunities and then bring corporate partners to match or exceed the funds the US government has pledged to strengthen U.S. commercial opportunities and economic development by strengthening regulatory frameworks, supporting workforce development, improving enabling infrastructure, and addressing market access barriers across priority sectors, including telecommunications, energy, emerging technologies, and artificial intelligence.
- **Our objectives and target outcomes** are Commercial Diplomacy Acceleration according to the performance and impact indicators provided.
- **The intended beneficiaries** are The United States and All of Africa
- **Partner roles and responsibilities** are according to the areas of expertise and interests of each partner brand and the industries they serve.
- **The geographic scope** has Global Implications.
- **The proposed project duration** is 36 months from the date of first US release of funds, and we're available for an immediate start.
- **Our relevant work history** can be seen at www.TheExpatPassport.com, www.TheKASHcollection.com, and on the following resume.

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OBJECTIVE

Successful Career in Marketing and Sales.

SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Efficient and effective in generating and retaining customer clientele. Can formulate, direct and coordinate marketing activities to promote products and services working with, for, or as an advertising and promotional manager. Can identify, develop, or evaluate marketing strategy based on knowledge of company objectives, market characteristics, and budget. Can coordinate promotional activities or trade shows, working with developers, advertisers, or production managers, to market products or services. A motivated team player that can solve problems in order to get the job done.

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Punctual, detail oriented professional that's proficient in Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, and Adobe Photoshop.

KEY SKILLS

Effective- Booked over 300 completed tours of Westgate Resorts in 2025

Reliable- Have not missed one unapproved day of work in the past five years

Organized- Managed a call center of 70-100 recruiting representatives and oversaw the interviewing and hiring of nearly 40-50 candidates from all across the nation each work day on average as a Floor Supervisor for Sales Makers, Inc

Productive- Sold 177 cars in my first 16 months with Maher Chevrolet for nearly \$700K in Gross Profit

EXPERIENCE

Westgate Resorts	Tampa, FL	Outside Public Contact (OPC)	Current
Sand Castle Field Services	St. Petersburg, FL	Field Agent	2025
The Serralles Group	Tampa, FL	Realtor	2025
Maher Chevrolet	St. Petersburg, FL	Sales Consultant	2022
24-7 Intouch (Direct Wines)	Clearwater, FL	Real-time Analyst	2020
Coverall Commercial Cleaning	Cleveland, OH	Lead Generating Sales Agent	2018
GMR Marketing (OMC (NYSE))	Cleveland, OH	Lead Brand Ambassador	2016

EDUCATION

Miami University	Oxford, OH	Bachelor's Degree	2006
Hawken School	Gates Mills, OH	Highschool Diploma	2001

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

Pre-Apprentice Carpentry Certification	National Association of Home Builders	2025
EPA Lead Abatement Certification	Renovation, Repair and Painting (RRP)	2025
Licensed Real Estate Agent	State of Florida- SL3553151	2022
Luxury Home Marketing Specialist	The Institute for Luxury Home Marketing	2022
Residential Remodeling Specialist	Dennis Walsh and Associates, Inc	2022
Residential Construction Certification	Dennis Walsh and Associates, Inc	2022



Resource Contributions/Co-Financing/Burden Sharing and/or Cost Share from non-federal sources:

The resource contributions of participating partner brands are dependent on their industry, scope of interest, operating costs, expected return and more, and will be reported each month as part of a regular weekly performance/capital expenditure report. Individual contributions will be determined on a case by case basis with the possibility of an initial enrollment/registration fee for consideration.

Summary Budget

The proposed summary budget is \$138,888.89 USD per month paid *by* The U.S. Department of State, Bureau of African Affairs, Office of Assistance *to* The Expat Passport and its staff for the purpose of acting as a government contracted liaison in order to fulfill the goals and objectives detailed throughout this Statement of Interest (SOI).

Best Regards,

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