
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE RESOURCES AGENCY
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

HIGHLIGHTED CHANGES FROM ADDENDUM NO. 1

Sealed bids for TEHACHAPI EAST AFTERBAY - INITIAL, ANTELOPE VALLEY, STATE WATER FACILITIES, CALIFORNIA AQUEDUCT, EAST BRANCH, MOJAVE DIVISION, KERN COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, SPECIFICATION NO. 04-17, CONTRACT NO. C51291, will be received by the Department of Water Resources, 3121 East Avenue I, Lancaster, California 93535, not later than **11:00 A.M. on THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 2005**, at which time they will be publicly opened and read at an announced location in the vicinity of such office.

Bid forms for this work are included in a separate booklet titled BID FORM. Bids will be considered only if submitted for all the work required for the above project. The work is defined in Section 01110 – Summary of Work, and includes but is not limited to the following principal features:

1. Drainage Culvert Facilities include: a. Excavating existing drainage channel and replacing with compacted backfill, b. Constructing the reinforced concrete box culvert, with bedding layer and rock slope protection at culvert ends, and c. Backfilling to an elevation corresponding to the bottom of new lined channel. 2. Inlet Channel Facilities include: a. Excavating and backfilling the channel to grade, b. Constructing reinforced concrete weir, with crushed rock subdrain, c. Placing concrete canal lining over compacted soil liner and compacted foundation, and d. Tying new inlet channel to existing concrete-lined aqueduct. 3. Reservoir includes: a. Excavating the reservoir to grade, and b. Placing hydraulic asphalt concrete over compacted soil liner. 4. Outlet Channel includes: a. Excavating and backfilling the channel to grade, and b. Placing hydraulic asphalt concrete over compacted soil liner and compacted foundation. 5. Constructing the Bypass Turnout Construction Area in the Outlet Channel. 6. Constructing aggregate base access road and roadway drainage culverts along the perimeter of the new facilities. 7. Constructing a cofferdam at downstream end of the reservoir, consisting of compacted embankment with geomembrane. 8. Furnishing and installing boxes and electrical raceway for the water level measurement system. 9. Removing and disposing of existing equipment, and 10. Placing topsoil and seeding disturbed areas. and 11. **Reroute existing northeast dirt road for rock and sand quarry traffic operation.**

Forms of bid and contract, drawings and specifications for the project may be obtained only at the Department of Water Resources, 1416 Ninth Street, Room 418, Sacramento, California, between the hours of 7:30 a.m.- 12:00 noon and 12:30-4:00 p.m. or by mail upon written request to the Department of Water Resources, P. O. Box 942836, Sacramento, California 94236-0001, Attention: Jim Veres, Spec. No. 04-17, Telephone (916) 653-4867, Fax (916) 653-6166, or by e-mail at doe_specs@water.ca.gov. Drawings and specifications may be seen at the above location or at the office of the Department at 3121 East Avenue I, Lancaster, California.

The Department encourages bidders to explore certification as a Small Business and/or Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise and to utilize certified Small Business and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises during the contract term.

Contractor's license classification required for this work: A .

All bidders shall be prequalified by the Department. Bid documents will be furnished only to prequalified bidders who meet the requirements of the State Contract Act and Document 00040 – Prequalification.

A MANDATORY SITE INSPECTION TRIP for prospective bidders will be conducted at the work site on Thursday, December 2, 2004 starting at 10:00 a.m. Bids will not be accepted from those bidders who do not sign in and attend the site inspection.

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Director of Water Resources

Dated: November 12, 2004
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