
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
THE RESOURCES AGENCY
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
CHANGED BY ADDENDUM NO. 1

Sealed bids for TEHACHAPI EAST AFTERBAY – COMPLETION – PHASE III, ANTELOPE VALLEY, STATE WATER FACILITIES, CALIFORNIA AQUEDUCT, EAST BRANCH, MOJAVE DIVISION, KERN COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, SPECIFICATION NO. 06-14, CONTRACT NO. C51325, will be received by the Department of Water Resources, at the Lancaster Project Headquarters, 3121 East Avenue "I", Lancaster, California 93535, not later than **11:00 A.M. on THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 2006**, at which time they will be publicly opened and read at an announced location in the vicinity of such office.

Notice is hereby issued that bids will be received by the Department of Water Resources (DWR) for a replacement contract for completion of a portion of the work provided for in Specification No. 05-03, Contract No. 51297. The original contractor's control over the work has been terminated Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 10254.

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. Constructing Aqueduct Plug, with water surface elevation in Pool 42 at normal operating levels (approximate Elevation 3,100 ft), including the following: a. Placing gravel embankment in Pool 42, downstream of the junction, with the Inlet Channel with construction commencing after August 31, 2006, b. Placing waterproof membrane on the water side of the plug, c. Placing fabric-formed concrete canal lining on the water side of the plug, d. Work will be performed within Pool 42 of existing aqueduct. Aqueduct will be in operation with a maximum water surface of approximately 3,100 feet.
2. Constructing Outlet Channel Extension including the following: a. Removing paved access roads, guardrails, a segment of the existing aqueduct lining, and cottonwood turnout structure, b. Excavating material between existing outlet channel and existing transition walls at the Alamo Headworks, c. Selective demolition of existing transition walls at the Alamo Headworks, d. Installing ground anchors, e. Placing compacted embankment in abandoned segment of Pool 42 between Aqueduct Plug and Outlet Channel Extension and in Cottonwood Inlet, f. Placing Compacted Soil Liner (CSL) within Outlet Channel Extension, g. Placing asphalt mat, concrete channel liner, and Continuously Reinforced Concrete Paving (CRCP) over CSL.
3. Removing cofferdam at the outlet channel, including the following: a. Removing geomembrane and sandbags, excavating cofferdam materials, and placing cofferdam materials in spoil pile, b. Initial work will be performed with water in Tehachapi East Afterbay Reservoir. As the cofferdam removal progresses, the water surface elevation will be lowered in the afterbay to allow work in the dry condition.
4. Placing topsoil and seeding disturbed areas.
5. Paving access roads and placing guard rails, including the following: a. Paving roads on existing aggregate base, b. Paving new roads constructed around Outlet Channel Extension. and 6. Miscellaneous metal.

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. 06-14, 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.

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Director of Water Resources

Dated: May 19, 2006
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