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## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
THE CALIFORNIA NATURAL RESOURCES AGENCY  
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Sealed bids for SITE IMPROVEMENTS, CHRISMAN AND DEVIL'S DEN PUMPING PLANTS, STATE WATER FACILITIES, CALIFORNIA AQUEDUCT, SAN JOAQUIN FIELD DIVISION, KERN COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, SPECIFICATION NO. 12-12, CONTRACT NO. C51458, will be received by the Department of Water Resources at Lancaster Project Headquarters, 121 West Carriage Lane, Suite 101, Lancaster, California 93534, not later than **11:00 A.M. on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2012**, at which time they will be publicly opened and read at an announced location in the vicinity of such office.

The work is defined in Section 01110 – Summary of Work, and includes but is not limited to the following principal features:

1. Chrisman Pumping Plant: a. Repair and coat water discharge pipe sleeve couplings and expansion joints. b. Temporary scaffolds with containment structures for sandblasting and cleaning of the joints. c. Remove sandblast dust and debris from the work site.
2. Devil's Den Pumping Plant: a. Remove and replace approximately 160 feet of 12 inch diameter steel pipe. b. Shoring.

Drawings and specifications for the project may be obtained at the Department of Water Resources (DWR), 1416 Ninth St, Rm 418, Sacramento, CA, between the hours of 7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. or by mail upon written request to the Department of Water Resources, P. O. Box 942836, Sacramento, CA 94236-0001, Attention: Jim Veres, Spec. No. 12-12, Telephone (916) 653-4867, Fax (916) 653-6166, or by e-mail at [doe\\_specs@water.ca.gov](mailto:doe_specs@water.ca.gov). Drawings and specifications may be seen at the above location or at the office of the Department at Lancaster Project Headquarters, 121 West Carriage Ln., Ste. 101, Lancaster, CA, 93534. Questions relating to bidding may be directed to the Contract Coordinator of DWR in Sacramento, at the contacts listed above. Questions or requests for clarification of the drawings or specifications shall be made in writing no later than 10 days before the scheduled opening of bids. Response, if appropriate, will be furnished/sent to all prospective bidders on the DWR Planholder's List. A tour regarding the work site will be scheduled and conducted by the Department. **IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT INTERESTED CONTRACTORS ATTEND THE INSPECTION TRIP.**

Bid forms for this work are included in a separate booklet titled BID FORM, available only from the Department. Bids will be considered only if submitted for all the work required for the above project. 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.

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.

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Director of Water Resources

Dated: August 24, 2012  
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