

Notice to Bidders

THIS IS NOT AN ORDER

ADVERTISED BID #0910-144
RELEASE DATE: October 7, 2009

SEALED BIDS must be submitted to **TRUCKEE MEADOWS WATER AUTHORITY (TMWA)**, in person to 1355 Capital Blvd., Reno, NV 89502 or by mail to P.O.Box 30013, Reno, NV 89520-3013, by not later than 3:00 p.m. on October 22, 2009. Bids received after the date and time set for receipt will be **REJECTED**.

BID OPENING will be held publicly at 3:05 p.m. on October 22, 2009 at 1355 Capital Blvd., Reno, NV 89502

BID AWARD is scheduled to be made by October 26, 2009.

PRICES must be quoted FOB Reno, Nevada.

BID DOCUMENTS may be downloaded from TMWA's web site at http://www.tmh2o.com/about_us/doingbusinesswithtmwa/.

ADDENDUMS are distributed from TMWA's web site at http://www.tmh2o.com/about_us/doingbusinesswithtmwa/. It is each bidder's responsibility to ensure that they have received all Addendums prior to submission of their bid.

COMPLETION DATE: All work shall be completed by January 29, 2010.

2009-2010 Tank Inspection Services

Truckee Meadows Water Authority is seeking sealed bids for UNDERWATER INSPECTION AND/OR CLEANING OF WATER STORAGE FACILITIES for 2009-2010 fiscal year. The intent of this Invitation to Bid is to select an individual or organization qualified to conduct underwater inspections and or cleaning in order to physically inspect and/or clean the interior of water storage tanks and covered and lined reservoirs in the Reno, Sparks, Washoe County, Nevada area for the Truckee Meadows Water Authority hereafter known as "TMWA". Those so qualified shall include:

- Engineering organizations whose principles are registered professional engineers, with specialization in underwater inspection and cleaning service and having experience in the inspection and cleaning of steel and concrete structures and lined reservoirs.
- Licensed engineers with underwater inspection and or cleaning experience, whose practice has included substantial or major attention to steel and concrete construction
- Inspection or safety agencies that are empowered to render inspection and cleaning service of steel and concrete tanks in the State of Nevada, with experience in steel and concrete construction and maintenance, if such inspection services involve the employment of personnel experienced in underwater inspection.
- An organization that has a proven track record of work in this area and has proven that their organization does have the education, competence and expertise in performing underwater inspection or cleaning of water storage tanks and lined and covered reservoirs.

Justine Chambers, Purchasing/Contracts Administrator