

**INVITATION TO BID
TRUCKEE MEADOWS WATER AUTHORITY
Verdi Dam Repairs – 2014-2015**

**TMWA CAPITAL PROJECT NO.: 20-0016
PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACT NO. PWP #WA-2015-003**

RANGE FOR ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE: \$170,000.00 - \$190,000.00

PROJECT SCOPE: Truckee Meadows Water Authority (TMWA) is accepting sealed bids for all labor, materials, equipment, and incidentals required for the Verdi Dam Repairs – 2014-2015 project. The Site of Work is located at Verdi, Nevada. This project entails “in-kind” repairs to TMWA’s hydroelectric dam on the Truckee River south/southwest of Verdi, Nevada. The structure has been in existence since the early 1900’s, and it provides a source of water to TMWA’s Verdi Hydroelectric Facility.

The existing structure on the downstream face of the dam will be repaired. The structure consists of a timber frame structure which holds river rock in compartments or bays across the width of the river. The repair work consists of replacement of identified timber elements including decking, vertical uprights, and splash boards.

The Fish Ladder element of the structure will also be repaired. This includes timber replacement and repairs to concrete walls which are part of the fish ladder structure.

The contractor will also remove sediment that has collected on the upstream face of the dam. It is expected that this can be accomplished with a track mounted back hoe carefully operating from the river bank and in the river where necessary. All sediment removed from the river and materials removed from the existing dam shall be hauled off and disposed off-site.

Project Control provided by Contractor.

MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE: A mandatory pre-bid conference will be held on **September 25, 2014, at 10:00 a.m.** at the TMWA Conference Room, 1355 Capital Blvd., Reno, NV 89502. Any prospective bidder arriving **after** 10:00 a.m. shall be considered **late** and shall not be permitted to attend the conference; and a bid proposal **will not** be accepted from such bidder. **TMWA will accept and entertain bids from only those Bidders in attendance. NO EXCEPTIONS MADE.**

BID SUBMITTAL: Sealed bids must be submitted to TMWA by mail to P.O. Box 30013, Reno, Nevada 89520-3013 or in person to 1355 Capital Boulevard, Reno, NV 89502, and must be **RECEIVED BY TMWA NOT LATER THAN 3:00 P.M. on October 16, 2014.** Bids received after the date and time set for receipt will be **REJECTED.**

BID OPENING: **October 16, 2014, at 3:05 p.m.** at the TMWA Conference Room, 1355 Capital Blvd., Reno, NV 89502. TMWA reserves the right to reject any or all bids, including without limitation the right to reject any or all nonconforming, non-responsive, unbalanced, or conditional bids, and to reject the bid of any bidder if TMWA believes that it would not be in the best interest of TMWA to make an award to that bidder. TMWA also reserves the right to waive informalities. Bids will be evaluated as prescribed in Nevada Revised Statute 338.147.

ANTICIPATED START DATE: On or Before October 29, 2014

COMPLETION DEADLINE: Forty Eight (48) Calendar Days following Notice to Proceed.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS:

Not Applicable

Bidders are to complete all Bid Submittal Forms, contained on pages 1-14 in the Bid Proposal Form Section of the Bid Documents. The complete Contract Documents must be submitted to comprise a responsive and responsible bid. Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check or bid bond in the amount of not less than five percent of the amount bid in the proposal. Addenda, if any, shall be posted on the TMWA web-site at http://www.tmwa.com/about_us/doingbusinesswithtmwa/. It is each bidder's sole responsibility to ensure that they have received all addenda prior to submission of their bid.

QUESTIONS: Questions may be submitted in writing to the Contract Administrator up to three (3) business days before Bid Opening.

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