

# NOTICE INVITING BIDS

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FOR CONSTRUCTION ON

## **MILL CREEK DIVERSION AND DEBRIS MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENT PROJECT**

Within  
Mill Creek east of Garnet Street  
in the  
unincorporated area of San Bernardino County, CA

Project No. SBVWCD – P003

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## **San Bernardino Valley Water Conservation District**

Helping Nature Store Our Water

**Filing Deadline:**  
**June 29, 2023 – 4:00 p.m.**

**San Bernardino Valley Water Conservation District**  
**Attn: Erwin Fogerson (909) 793-2503**

**Mailing Address/Street Address:**  
**1630 W. Redlands Blvd., Ste. A Redlands, CA 92373-0581**

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- A- 1. The San Bernardino Valley Water Conservation District (District) is soliciting sealed bids for construction of the Mill Creek Diversion and Debris Management Improvement Project (defined more specifically in the Special Provisions as the “Project”). The Project site encompasses about a 300-foot reach of Mill Creek in the unincorporated area of San Bernardino, California. Attachments to this notice provide details on the Project components to be constructed, constraints on construction, schedules, and the information to be submitted as part of the bid.

The work consists of re-constructing diversion and channel features along a segment of Mill Creek in the unincorporated area of San Bernardino, California, to minimize the accumulation of debris and possible clogging of the diversion structure. The Project will include the removal and reconstruction of the existing concrete diversion structure and approach channel. The reconstruction will include increasing the size of the gate structures, adding grouted and non-grouted rip-rap slope protection and adding a drivable concrete rip-rap access road. Access to and the site is limited to an existing dirt access road and the work area within the channel is limited to the footprint of the improvements. The access road is approximately 10 feet wide, is only passable using off road vehicles, and cannot be altered.

- A- 2. A non-mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the District’s Headquarters at 1630 W Redlands Blvd. Suite A, Redlands, CA 92373, on June 13, 2023, at 10am PST. Immediately following the meeting Bidders are invited to attend a job walk with District Staff. Attendance is highly recommended. Questions regarding the pre-proposal meeting, the Invitation to Provide Bid Proposals, or the attachments may be addressed to Erwin Fogerson, by phone (909) 793-2503, email [engineering@sbywcd.org](mailto:engineering@sbywcd.org). or mail to the address below.
- A- 3. Proposals will be received until 4:00 p.m., June 29, 2023. Proposals may be delivered in person or transmitted to Erwin Fogerson, PE via mail to the address below.

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- A- 4. Proposals received after the time above will not be accepted. Proposals will be opened after the closing time and evaluated by the District based on the criteria in the Instructions to Bidders.
- A- 5. A bid security in the amount of 10% of the bid price, made payable to the District, is required with each proposal. The security should be in the form of a cashier’s check, certified check or a bid bond. Further details are in the Instructions to Bidders.
- A- 6. Any Contractor submitting a proposal must possess a valid State of California Class A Contractor’s License at the time of proposal submission and throughout the course of the work. The license number, type and expiration date shall be provided with the bid forms. The Contractor is also required to meet minimum experience requirements, as described in the Instructions to Bidders. Note that the Project is subject to all applicable California labor standards. Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) prevailing wage rates shall apply to this Project.
- A- 7. Any Contractor submitting a proposal must submit to the District a Certificate of Reported compliance for its fleet of vehicles, in a form that complies with the regulations of the California Air Resources Board. Please refer to title 13 California Code of Regulations, secs. 2013 et seq.
- A- 8. The District reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive any and all irregularity in any bid, or informalities in the proposals or the proposal process, and to make awards in the best interests of the District. If more than one schedule of bids is provided, the District reserves

the right to select the schedules under which the bids are to be compared and the contract awarded.

A- 9. The following schedule applies to the proposal process and construction for this Project:

- Non- mandatory pre-bid meeting on be held on June 13, 2023 at 10 am at 1630 W Redlands Blvd. Suite A Redlands, CA 92373.
- Proposals due June 29, 2023 at 4:00 pm.
- Questions or requests for Information received after June 26, 2023 may not be answered.
- Expected Notice of Selection is July 12, 2023 via email or telephone.
- The work is tentatively scheduled to begin as early as July 31, 2023

A- 10. In accordance with the provisions of sections 1770, 1773 and 1773.1 of the California Labor Code, the Director of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rates of wages, including employer payments for health and welfare, pension, vacation, travel time and subsistence pay as provided in section 1773.8 of the California Labor Code, apprenticeships and other training programs authorized by section 3093 of the California Labor Code, for the crafts, classifications, or types of workers required for any work in the locality of the Project, which are available from the California Director of Industrial Relations. The successful bidder will be required to pay not less than the rates set forth by the Director of Industrial Relations. More information on prevailing rates may be obtained from:

Division of Labor Statistics and Research

Prevailing Wage Unit

P.O. Box 420603

San Francisco, ca 94142

(415) 703-4774

[Http://www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr/pwd/](http://www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr/pwd/)

A- 11. The District hereby affirmatively ensures that minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this notice and will not be discriminated against on the basis of age, race, color, national origin, ancestry, gender identity, sexual preference, or religion in any consideration leading to the award of contract. Action to ensure against discrimination in employment practices on the basis of age, race, color, national origin, ancestry, gender identity, sexual preference, or religion will also be required of the successful bidder.

A- 12. All questions regarding the Project must be submitted on company letterhead and transmitted by email to Erwin Fogerson no later than 4:00 p.m. June 26, 2023

A- 13. To request a copy of the bid package and contract documents please visit [www.bidnetdirect.com/california/sbvwdc](http://www.bidnetdirect.com/california/sbvwdc) or contact the District at [engineering@sbvwcd.org](mailto:engineering@sbvwcd.org).

San Bernardino Valley Water Conservation District

By:



Erwin Fogerson

Senior Engineer

Dated:

June 1, 2023