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# **County of Santa Cruz**

#### DAVENPORT COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT

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**AGENDA: JUNE 15, 1999** 

June 3, 1999

BOARD OF DIRECTORS DAVENPORT COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT 701 Ocean Street Santa Cruz, California 95060

SUBJECT: DAVENPORT OLDTOWN SEWER RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

Members of the Board:

As your Board is aware, the sewer system in the town of Davenport is in need of repair. The existing sewer lines are old clay pipes that allow a significant amount of groundwater to enter the system. During periods of extended rainfall the amount of intercepted groundwater (infiltration) can overwhelm the capacity of the pumping station, and sewage overflows can occur. The project will replace 4,350 lineal feet of gravity sewer in Oldtown, replace the Oldtown sewer pump station, and rebuild the Newtown sewer pump station.

Funding for this project has been secured by a 75% grant from the United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Development and a 4% grant from the State Water Resources Control Board's (SWRCB) Small Communities Grant Program. A loan was received from the SWRCB State Revolving Fund Program for the balance.

The plans, specifications and engineer's estimate for this project have been completed and are presented here for your consideration and approval. The engineer's estimate for this project is \$66 1,000, not including contingencies and administration.

It is therefore recommended that the Board of Directors take the following action:

- 1. Approve the plans, **specifications** and engineer's estimate and authorize calling for bids.
- 2. Set the bid opening for 10:45 A.M. on August 3, 1999.

3. Direct the Clerk of the Board to advertise the attached Notice to Contractors, pursuant to Public Code Section 20783.

Yours truly,

JOHN A. FANTHAM District Engineer

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Attachments

**RECOMMENDED** FOR APPROVAL:

County Administrative Officer

copy to: State Water Resources Control Board

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Development

Public Works Department

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### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received by the District Engineer, Room 410, Government Center, until 10:30 a.m. on August 3, 1999, and at 10:45 a.m. or soon after, they will be publicly opened and read in the Supervisors Hearing Room, 701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz, California, for construction of 4,350 lineal feet of gravity sewer and related appurtenances, construction of one sewer pump station and modification of a second sewer pump station in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor, to which special reference is made as follows:

#### DAVENPORT OLDTOWN SEWER RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

Bids are required for the entire work described herein.

Plans, specifications, and proposal forms to be used for bidding on this project can only be obtained at the office of the District Engineer, Room 410, 701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz, California. No deposit is required.

The Contractor shall possess a Class A license at time of contract award.

The Davenport County Sanitation District hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color or national origin in consideration for an award.

Pursuant to Section 1773 of the Labor Code, the general prevailing rate of wages in the District has been determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations, and such prevailing wages are listed in the State of California, Business and Transportation Agency, Department of Transportation's publication entitled "General Prevailing Wage Rates", current edition, on file in the office of the District Engineer.

BIDDERS are to base their BIDS on the project funding provided in whole or in part by the USDA Rural Utilities Service (RUS) which will review and approve the contract award, contract agreement, partial and final payments, and CONTRACT CHANGE ORDERS. Payment and retainage will comply with the section of the RUS Supplemental General Conditions entitled "Payment to Contractor." BIDDERS are notified this CONTRACT does not permit retainage to be invested for the benefit of the CONTRACTOR.

A Performance BOND and a Payment BOND each in the amount of 100 percent of the CONTRACT PRICE, with a corporate SURETY approved by the District AND The Rural Utilities Service will be required for the faithful performance of the CONTRACT. Attorneys-infact who sign BID BONDS or Payment BONDS and Performance BONDS must tile with each BOND a certified and effective dated copy of their power of attorney.

BIDDERS are notified that financing for this project is provided pursuant to the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C. Section 1921 et seq.), and that as allowed in Public Contract Code Section 22300, this contract does not provide for substitution of securities for any monies withheld by the District to ensure performance under the CONTRACT.

The Certification for Contracts, Grants and Loans, RD Instruction, 1940-Q, Exhibit A-l, must be completed at the time a bid proposal is submitted by a person requesting a contract exceeding \$100,000. Any person who requests or receives a contract or sub-contract exceeding \$100,000 at any tier, must complete and submit a certification to the next higher tier.

BIDDERS are notified of the requirement for affirmative action to ensure equal employment opportunity (Executive Order No. 11246) as set forth in the special provisions.

DAVENPORT COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT

OHN A. FANTHAM, District Engineer

Date: 6/2/99