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July 13, 2022

IN REPLY PLEASE

REFER TO FILE: **BRC-1**

### **NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR BIDS FOR ON-CALL CHANNEL RIGHT-OF-WAY CLEARING SERVICES – WEST AREA (BRC0000313) – INFORMATIONAL UPDATE 2**

Please note that the deadline to submit your bid has been extended to **Thursday, August 18, 2022, by 5:30 p.m.**

All addenda and informational updates will be posted at <http://dpw.lacounty.gov/brcd/servicecontracts>. Please check the website frequently for any changes to this solicitation.

The following answers are in response to the request for information and clarification and other questions submitted by bidders for the On-Call Channel Right-of-Way Clearing Services – West Area (BRC0000313). Questions presented in this Informational Update represent the questions asked by the proposers in the form and context submitted.

1. **Question:** During bird nesting season is the County responsible for providing any necessary bird surveys for the west area channel portions?

**Response:** Please refer to Section V.6, Responsibilities of Public Works, of Exhibit A, Scope of Work, which states the following: County will provide the Contractor with a completed nesting bird survey which is valid for 72 hours prior to start of work in any reach during nesting season. Nesting Season is defined from March 15 to August 31. If nesting activity is discovered at a location, County will coordinate with the Contractor for alternate date and time for the Contractor to complete the work.

2. **Question:** Is the contractor responsible to remove any hazardous waste and belongings left behind due to the current transient situation on County property?

**Response:** Please refer to Section J, Removal of Debris and Dump Sites, of Exhibit A, Scope of Work, which states the following: The Contractor is advised that due to the nature of this Contract, discarded hazardous waste may be encountered during the performance of this Contract. In the event

an unknown substance or hazardous material is discovered, the Contractor shall immediately notify the PWR. The Contractor shall NOT attempt to perform any type of hazardous waste remediation not included under the Scope of Work of this Contract including identifying, containing, cleaning, moving, disposing, etc. The Contractor shall exercise extreme caution in the event unknown waste is encountered.

3. **Question:** Are all 84 reaches to be completed between June 1 - September 30 or will the County remove certain reaches during the term of the contract?

**Response:** Clarification to this question will be provided in an upcoming addendum.

4. **Question:** Have the items on this contract been completed within the last year?

**Response:** Yes.

If you have questions concerning the above information, please contact Mr. Dwayne Case at (626) 458-2575 or Mr. Jairo Flores at (626) 458-4072, Monday through Thursday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Very truly yours,

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