

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

COACHELLA VALLEY PUBLIC CEMETERY DISTRICT 2026 PAVEMENT REHABILITATION PROJECT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Coachella Valley Public Cemetery District, a special district, organized under the laws of the State of California, with its principal place of business at 82925 52nd Avenue, Coachella, California 92236 ("District") invites and will receive sealed Bids up to but not later than **2:00 P.M. on Wednesday September 2, 2026**, at the Main Office, located at 82925 52nd Avenue, Coachella, California 92236, for the furnishing to the District of all labor, equipment, materials, tools, services, transportation, permits, utilities, and all other items necessary for the **2026 Pavement Rehabilitation Project**, (the "Project"). At said time, Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids received after said time shall be returned unopened. Bids shall be valid for a period of 90 calendar days after the Bid opening date.

The Project consists of construction activities along the existing street sections within the cemetery site. Onsite work will consist of cold planning (grinding) of existing asphalt concrete pavement; hauling, placement and compaction of the grinding on the western portion of the site for a maintenance path; miscellaneous removals; installation of new curb, curb and gutter, curb cuts for access and drainage, drainage inlets, drainage aprons, underground drainage facilities and new AC pavement; application of a mastic and slurry seal material; and painting of curb per the plans. All work to be constructed and performed in a workmanlike, professional manner, and to the satisfaction of the District.

The full project shall be completed within **50 Calendar Days** from the date specified in the Notice to Proceed. Time for the commencement and completion of the work is important and is to be of the essence of the Contract. **The successful bidder should plan to provide Preliminary Project Schedules, Traffic Control Plans, and other specified "Submittals" for review, and order any long lead time equipment items immediately following the "Notice of Award".**

Electronic copies of the Plans, Specifications, and other Contract Documents will **ONLY** be available by contacting Ashley Delgadillo of Coachella Valley Engineers (CVE), at 760.360.4200 or adelgadillo@cve.net.

Each Bid shall be accompanied by cash, a certified or cashier's check, or Bid Bond secured from a surety company satisfactory to the District, the amount of which shall not be less than ten percent (10%) of the submitted Total Bid Price, made payable to Coachella Valley Public Cemetery District as bid security. The bid security shall be provided as a guarantee that within ten (10) calendar days after the District provides the successful bidder the Notice of Award, the successful Bidder will enter into a contract and provide the necessary bonds and certificates of insurance. The bid security will be declared forfeited if the successful Bidder fails to comply within said time. No interest will be paid on funds deposited with the District.

No Pre-Bid Meeting Conference will be held for this project. However, Bidders should visit the Project site in order to be familiar with the site and existing conditions.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish a Faithful Performance Bond and a Labor and Material Payment Bond each in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Contract Price. Each bond shall be in the forms set forth herein, shall be secured from a surety company

that meets all State of California bonding requirements, as defined in California Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.120, and that is a California admitted surety insurer.

Pursuant to Section 22300 of the Public Contract Code of the State of California, the successful Bidder may substitute certain securities for funds withheld by the District to ensure its performance under the Contract.

Pursuant to Labor Code Section 1773, the District has obtained the prevailing rate of per diem wages and the prevailing wage rate for holiday and overtime work applicable in Riverside County from the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations for each craft, classification, or type of worker needed to execute this contract. A copy of these prevailing wage rates may be obtained via the internet at: www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr/. In addition, a copy of the prevailing rate of per diem wages is available at District's office and shall be made available to interested parties upon request. The successful Bidder shall post a copy of the prevailing wage rates at each job site. It shall be mandatory upon the Bidder to whom the Contract is awarded, and upon any subcontractors, to comply with all Labor Code provisions, which include but are not limited to the payment of not less than the said specified prevailing wage rates to all workers employed by them in the execution of the Contract, employment of apprentices, hours of labor and debarment of contractors and subcontractors.

Pursuant to Labor Code sections 1725.5 and 1771.1, all contractors and subcontractors that wish to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, or enter into a contract to perform public work must be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations. No Bid will be accepted nor any Contract entered into without proof of the contractor's and subcontractors' current registration with the Department of Industrial Relations to perform public work. If awarded a contract, the Bidder and its subcontractors, of any tier, shall maintain active registration with the Department of Industrial Relations for the duration of the Project. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the contractor registration requirements mandated by Labor Code Sections 1725.5 and 1771.1 shall not apply to work performed on a public works project that is exempt pursuant to the small project exemption specified in Labor Code Sections 1725.5 and 1771.1.

The Work under this Contract is funded in whole or in part by Federal financial assistance administered by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). Bidders are directed to the Federal Requirements contained in the Contract Documents. To the extent the Buy America Preference ("BABA requirements") applies to the Work, Contractor shall comply with the Build America, Buy America Act requirements set forth at 2 CFR part 184 and any HUD requirements, including any applicable phased implementation schedule.

This Project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations. In bidding on this Project, it shall be the Bidder's sole responsibility to evaluate and include the cost of complying with all labor compliance requirements under this contract and applicable law in its Bid.

Pursuant to SB854, all contractors and subcontractors must furnish electronic certified payroll records directly to the Labor Commissioner (aka Division of Labor Standards Enforcement). All contractors and subcontractors must also provide a copy and proof of the online submittal to the District within 2 days of online submission. Failure to do so may result in the withholding of payments by the District until such time that all certified payrolls to date have been submitted to the DIR and the District.

Unless otherwise provided in the Instructions for Bidders, each Bidder shall be a licensed contractor pursuant to sections 7000 et seq. of the Business and Professions Code in the following classification(s) throughout the time it submits its Bid and for the duration of the Contract. The District has determined that the Contractor shall possess a valid **Class A (General Engineering)** at the time that the bid is submitted. All subcontractors shall possess valid, suitable licenses for the work they will perform. Failure to possess the specified license(s) shall render the bid as non-responsive.

Pursuant to Public Contract Code section 3400(b), if the District has made any findings designating certain materials, products, things, or services by specific brand or trade name, such findings and the materials, products, things, or services and their specific brand or trade names will be set forth in the Special Conditions.

The District shall award the contract for the Project to the lowest responsive, responsible Bidder as determined by the District from the total sum of the Base Bid. The District reserves the right to reject any or all Bids or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any Bids or in the bidding process.

For further information or questions, contact Brad Donais, Project Engineer at bdonais@hept7.com or at 760.902.9367 or David Turner at dturner@cve.net or at 760.360.4200.

Please send all formal Requests for Information (RFI's) to Brad Donais at bdonais@hept7.com before 5:00 P.M. on August 21, 2026. No formal RFI's will be accepted after this date and time.

Approved By: Joshua Bonner
General Manager

Date: 07/31/2026