

**Notice to Bidders**  
**THIS IS NOT AN ORDER**

ADVERTISED BID #0809-002  
RELEASE DATE: May 28, 2008

**Dense Soda Ash**  
**(Sodium Carbonate)**

Truckee Meadows Water Authority is accepting sealed bids from supplies/manufacturers/distributors to provide dense Soda Ash that will be in compliance with ANSI/American Water Works Association (AWWA) B201-03 Standard for Soda Ash, and all applicable ANSI/NSF UL approvals. All bids submitted shall be submitted on TMWA documents provided for and in compliance with this bid solicitation.

**QUESTIONS** will be accepted until 8am. on June 10, 2008 questions must be submitted in writing to Justine Chambers, Purchasing/Contracts Administrator, Truckee Meadows Water Authority FAX No. 775-834-8285, E-mail: jchambers@tmwa.net .

**SEALED BIDS** must be submitted to **TRUCKEE MEADOWS WATER AUTHORITY (TMWA)**, in person to 1355 Capital Blvd., Reno, NV 89502 or by mail to P.O.Box 30013, Reno, NV 89520-3013, by not later than 3:00 p.m. on June 19, 2008. Bids received after the date and time set for receipt will be **REJECTED**.

**BID OPENING** will be held publicly at 3:10 p.m. on June 19, 2008 at 1355 Capital Blvd., Reno, NV 89502.

**BID AWARD** is scheduled to be made by July 1, 2008

**PRICES** must be quoted FOB Reno, Nevada.

**BID DOCUMENTS** may be downloaded from TMWA's web site at [http://www.tmh2o.com/about\\_us/doingbusinesswithtmwa/](http://www.tmh2o.com/about_us/doingbusinesswithtmwa/).

**ADDENDUMS** are distributed from TMWA's web site at [http://www.tmh2o.com/about\\_us/doingbusinesswithtmwa/](http://www.tmh2o.com/about_us/doingbusinesswithtmwa/). It is each bidder's responsibility to ensure that they have received all Addendums prior to submission of their bid. If questions are received, an addendum will be posted by 5:00 p.m. June 13, 2008.

**TERM OF CONTRACT:** TMWA anticipates that the contract ultimately will be for a period of five years with the right to renew the contract for two additional five year periods. Prices may be adjusted annually to cover inflation/deflation.

Justine Chambers, Purchasing/Contracts Administrator