

Deadline. Proposals will be accepted at the Texas Planning Council Office, 4900 North Lamar Boulevard, Office #4141, Fourth Floor, Austin, until 5 p.m. on August 16, 1991. No FAX copies will be accepted.

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TRD-9109245 Charles W. Schiesser
Assistant Commissioner
Texas Rehabilitation Commission

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For further information, please call: (512) 483-4051

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Veterans Land Board
Requests for Proposals

In accordance with Texas Civil Statutes, Article 6252-11c, the Texas Veterans Land Board (VLB) is extending invitations to submit proposals for the purpose of retaining a firm(s) to act as the board's bond counsel on all items of financing necessary to the day-to-day operations of the Texas Veterans Land Board Program, the Texas Veterans Housing Assistance Program, the Texas Veterans Home Improvement Program, the Texas Family Farm and Ranch Assistance Program and, from time-to-time, other programs the board deems necessary and appropriate. For a copy of the request for proposals package, call or write Bruce R. Salzer, Director of Funds Management, 1700 North Congress Avenue, Room 620, Austin, Texas 78701-1496, (512) 463-5198.

All proposals must be in a sealed envelope and clearly marked in the lower left corner: "Sealed Proposal-Bond Counsel Services." Five copies of the proposals must be received no later than 5 p.m. Central Daylight Time on September 12, 1991. Significant minority participation in delivery of services is required. If it is determined that the level of minority involvement is insignificant, the proposal will not be considered further. Each firm will be evaluated on experience in providing services; expertise of participating personnel; organization size, structure, and location; responsiveness to proposals; and fairness and reasonableness of cost.

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Chairman
Veterans Land Board

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Texas Water Commission
Notice of Delisting of State Superfund Site

The executive director of the Texas Water Commission has issued a public notice of intention to delete (delist) two facilities from the state registry (state superfund list) of sites which may constitute an imminent and substantial endangerment to public health and safety or the environment due to a release of threatened release of hazardous substances into the environment. This public notice was published in the *Hardin County News* and the *Hometown Press*, on May 8, 1991 and May 15, 1991, and the *Beaumont Enterprise* on May 18 and 19, 1991.

The sites proposed for delisting were the Rio Grande I and Rio Grande II state superfund sites which were originally placed on the state superfund list on January 16, 1987 (12 TexReg 205). Both sites are located west of the intersection of Ann and Sycamore Streets in Sour Lake, Hardin County. The Rio Grande I site was a refinery which was contaminated with visibly dark, oily sludges that were believed to be tank bottom waste. The Rio Grande II site is an adjacent tract which included a former transformer storage area. A remedial investigation and risk assessment were completed in August 1990 on Rio Grande I. The results indicated very low levels of contamination with semi-volatiles in one small pit which, when evaluated in a risk assessment, were below any further action criteria. The responsible parties removed the visible oily materials on the site and revegetated the site with trees. The transformers of concern on Rio Grande II have been removed and there is no trace of Polychlorinated Biphenyls detected on site after their removal. Some metals were detected in levels of concern on the Rio Grande II site; however, these wastes were generated during the exploration and drilling of natural gas or crude oil are under the jurisdiction of the Texas Railroad Commission. Rio Grande II is therefore being referred to the Railroad Commission for further action.

In accordance with 31 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) §335.346, concerning delisting and modifications, a public meeting regarding the proposed delisting of the Rio Grande I and II state superfund sites was held on May 29, 1991 in Sour Lake. A 30-day comment period and opportunity to request a hearing followed the public meeting. As of the expiration of the 30-day period to request a public hearing, no requests for hearing were received.

Additional information or copies may be obtained by contacting Glenda Gross, Superfund and Emergency Response Section, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box

13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 463-8177.

Accordingly, the executive director of the Texas Water Commission hereby gives notice that the Rio Grande I and II state superfund sites are deleted from the state superfund registry list.

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 Director, Legal Division
 Texas Water Commission

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Public Hearing

The Texas Water Commission will be accepting comments until 5 p.m., September 3, 1991, on the proposed new and amended sections of Title 31 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 281 concerning application processing, Chapter 331 concerning underground injection control, Chapter 305 concerning consolidated permits, and Chapter 335 concerning industrial solid waste and municipal hazardous waste as published in the August 2, 1991, issue of the *Texas Register* (16 TexReg 4208). The sections are proposed in regard to provisions promulgated in Senate Bill 1099, 72nd Legislature, 1991. The commission has added another hearing location in Abilene for public comment.

The commission has scheduled several public hearings in various locations as follows to receive comments: Abilene

Christian University, 1600 Campus Court, Cullen Auditorium, on August 15, 1991, at 2 p.m., Abilene, Texas 79699; New Braunfels Civic Center, 390 South Seguin, on August 15, 1991, at 7 p.m., New Braunfels; El Paso Community College, 9570 Gateway North, Lecture Forum Room, on August 20, 1991, at 9:30 a.m., El Paso; University of Texas at Tyler, 3900 University Boulevard, University Center, Room 134, on August 20, 1991, at 2 p.m., Tyler; Midlothian High School, 925 South Ninth Street, Auditorium, on August 20, 1991, at 7:30 p.m., Midlothian; William B. Travis Building, 1701 North Congress Avenue, Room 1-100, on August 22, 1991, at 2 p.m., Austin; LaPort Kennedy Center, 618 San Jacinto Street, on August 22, 1991, at 2 p.m., LaPorte; Texas City Nessler Center, 2010 Fifth Avenue North, Atlantic Room, on August 22, 1991, at 7 p.m., Texas City. Persons participating in the public hearing are encouraged to summarize their testimony in written presentations.

If you have any questions concerning these hearings, you may contact either Samita Mehta, Sally Jo Hahn, or Carlos Celestino, Legal Division, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, 1700 North Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, or call (512) 463-8069.

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