Exhibit "A" NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS / INVITATION TO BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed proposals for the work entitled: Contract No. 2021-45 Bodega Drive Water System Loop Project

will be received by the City of Pittsburg at the front of City Hall, 65 Civic Avenue, First Floor, Pittsburg, California until 2:00 p.m. on July 20, 2022, at which time they will be opened and read aloud.

The work of this Contract consists in general of the construction of a new 8-inch water main to connect an existing 8-inch water main in Bodega Drive to an existing 8-inch water main in a City utility easement approximately 190 feet away. The work includes flow control, pavement saw cutting, excavation, shoring, removal and disposal of existing asbestos cement water pipe and fittings, new PVC water pipe, valves, fittings, air valve assembly, pipe bedding, trench backfilling, asphalt and concrete paving, surface restoration, incidentals as shown on the plans and/or described in the Specifications and all other work necessary for a complete project in accordance with the Plans and Specifications.

Engineer's Estimate for the base bid cost of construction is approximately \$201,180

Attention is directed to the provisions of Chapter 9 of Division 3 of the Business and Professions Code concerning the licensing of Contractors. The prime bidders shall possess a California Class A or Class C-12 at the time that the contract is awarded. In accordance with §7059(b) of the Business and Professions Code, the City shall not award the contract to a specialty contractor whose classification constitutes less than a majority of the project. Any bidder or Contractor not so licensed may be subject to penalties as provided by law.

There will be a pre-bid meeting for this project on July 13, 2022 at 10:00 am. The pre-bid meeting will be at the project site, and we will meet at the intersection of Andrea Way and Bodega Drive. The contactor is responsible to inspect the site of the proposed work to ascertain a satisfactory understating of the existing actual site conditions.

Project plans and specifications can also be obtained from the City's website at http://www.ci.pittsburg.ca.us/index.aspx?page=101 When plans and specifications are downloaded by the bidder from the City's website it is the responsibility of the bidder to request to be placed on the plan holder's list and to ensure receipt of addenda if any.

Technical questions should be directed in writing to Gabriel Piña, City of Pittsburg,

Engineering Department, 65 Civic Avenue, Pittsburg, California, 94565, telephone number (925) 252-4925, facsimile number (925) 252-4814, or by email to 2021-45bidinfo@pittsburgca.gov

Inquiries or questions based on alleged patent ambiguity of the plans, specifications or estimate must be communicated as a bidder inquiry prior to bid opening. Questions received less than five (5) working days prior to the date for opening of proposals may not be answered and the lack of a response to such inquires or questions shall not be considered as a basis for a bid protest

The successful bidder shall furnish a bond for labor and materials and performance.

Pursuant to Section 1773 of the Labor Code, the general prevailing wage rates in the county, or counties, in which the work is to be done have been determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations. These wages are set forth in the General Prevailing Wage Rates for this project, available at City of Pittsburg and available from the California Department of Industrial Relations' Internet web site at http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/PWD.

Pursuant to Public Contracts Code Section 22300, a Contractor may (upon request and at its sole expense) substitute securities for any moneys withheld by the City to ensure performance of the work of this Contract. Any such substitution shall be in strict accordance with Public Contract Code Section 22300.

This project is subject to the provisions of Resolution No. 93-8022 of the City Council of the City of Pittsburg encouraging the utilization and hiring of local contractors, local business and members of the City's minority community.

For a contract proposal to be considered valid, it must be submitted on the forms furnished by the City of Pittsburg in a sealed envelope. The envelope must be clearly marked on outside:

"Attention: Gabriel Piña Bid Proposal, Contract No. 2021-45 Bodega Drive Water System Loop Project Bid Opening, July 20, 2022 at 2:00 p.m."

All proposals must be accompanied by either cash, a money order, a certified or cashier's check, or a bid bond (in the prescribed form) made payable to the City of Pittsburg in an amount equal to at least ten (10) percent of the amount bid. Said guaranty shall be forfeited should the successful bidder fail to enter into a contract with

the City within the time prescribed in the proposal requirements.

The City Council of the City of Pittsburg reserves the right to reject any or all bids and the right to waive any minor irregularity or informality in the Contract Proposal.

Each bidder, and any subcontractor listed in a bid proposal pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 4104, must be currently registered with the Department of Industrial Relations and qualified to perform public work consistent with Labor Code section 1725.5, except in limited circumstances as referenced in Labor Code section 1771.1(a). This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

Richard Abono City Engineer Date