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NOTIFICATION CITY OF SHASTA LAKE CONTRACTOR QUALIFICATIONS FOR POTABLE WATER PROJECTS

Effective January 1, 2015:

All Contractors bidding on or performing work within the City of Shasta Lake involving connections to, or modifications of, the City's potable water distribution system shall carry a Water Distribution Operator, Grade 2 certification, and shall be required to maintain active certification throughout the entire duration of the project.

All work on new or existing potable systems shall be performed under the DIRECT SUPERVISION of the certified Operator employed by the Contractor. Note that this requirement applies to work performed on the City's system by a Contractor under contract with the City OR with a private developer or property owner.

Examples of work that would require certification include, but are not limited to:

- Water distribution or transmission main installation, extension, or replacement
- Water main fitting, valve, or fire hydrant installation or replacement
- Miscellaneous work that involves depressurizing existing water mains for any reason

Contractors wishing to obtain certification shall contact the California Department of Public Health (CDPH). Contractors shall be aware that the certification process takes several months, due to exam scheduling requirements. Additional information can be obtained through the following website links:

<http://www.cdph.ca.gov/certlic/occupations/pages/dwopcert.aspx>

<http://www.cdph.ca.gov/certlic/occupations/Documents/Opcert/OperatorCertificationRegulations.pdf>

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