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Sacramento Area Section Newsletter

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Remember to check out
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packed website at:
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Monthly meetings are
typically the 2nd
Wednesday of the month at
Umeko Japanese Seafood
Buffet at 8353 Folsom
Blvd., Sacramento.

4th Quarter 2011 CWEA SAS President's Message



It is hard to believe that 2011 is coming to an end already. Not only is the year coming to an end, but so is my tenure as President of the Sacramento Area Section. Here is where I'm supposed to get all nostalgic and reflect back on all that has happened during my tenure, but I'm not going to do that! We should not be looking back, we should be looking forward!

This time of year is always busy for a variety of reasons: holiday gatherings, vacations, and other typical end of year activities. While it would be easy to back off on our events using that age-old excuse about not having enough time, we are committed to

continuing to provide our members with opportunities to learn, help, or meet their colleagues.

Even in December we have two events, all in the first half of the month so that, if you are like me and procrastinate on gift shopping, none of these events will conflict with your retail spending. Details for all of our events are included in the newsletter as well as posted on our website at <http://www.cwea.org/sac/index.php>. The upcoming events are listed on the home page and our events tab lists all of the events for the entire year. Both of these pages are continually updated, so if you do not see something the first time you check, bookmark the site and periodically check it out throughout the year.

Our Collections System Committee is putting on their *third* benchmarking session of the year on December 7th at South Placer MUD in Rocklin. These sessions always provide current and relevant training for anyone, but especially for those whose work is closely associated with collections system. They also provide a great BBQ lunch. The Collections System Committee is one of our most active committees and I would like to publicly thank them for all their efforts.

Our monthly luncheon meeting for December will be held on December 14th at Umeko Japanese Buffett as usual. This luncheon is sponsored by our Engineering and Research Committee and will be focused on the latest and greatest with mercury and how it will affect wastewater treatment plants and utilities. A flyer is included in the newsletter. Being our last meeting of the year, we will also be voting on our Board member positions for 2012. The preliminary slate of officers is listed below:

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Once those events are over, then we start moving toward the big event, our Annual Awards Dinner and Program. We will have a new location this year, and are expecting another great event honoring our peers for their continued service and for going above and beyond the call of duty. So please mark your calendars for Friday, January 13th (yes, Friday the 13th) and plan on attending our official end of year event and enjoy a great dinner and a good time with many of your peers.

In closing, while this year has been full of many great CWEA activities and I am honored to have played a small role in offering these events to our members, we are not slowing down at all for 2012! Please continue to check out our website for events put on not only by our section, but also by other sections and by CWEA itself and with the CWEA Annual Conference in Sacramento in 2012, there will be many opportunities for everyone to get involved, whether it be attending events or volunteering at one.

I know I said I was not going to reflect, but it would be a terrible oversight if I did not thank my fellow board members and committee chairs for making my journey through the officer positions as easy as possible. I greatly appreciate all that you do and am inspired by your willingness to step up and help.

Regards,

Stephen Caswell, P.E.
SAS President

CWEA Sacramento Section – 2011-12 Events Calendar

Monthly Sacramento Area Section Luncheon Meetings

DECEMBER 14 Engineering & Research Committee

For information about this or future CWEA meetings, you may contact CWEA SAS Section V.P. Patrick Fuss (530) 792-3262 pfuss@westyost.com

Conferences/Training/Special Events

DECEMBER TBA Young Professionals Holiday Party

2012

JANUARY 13 SAS Awards Banquet

Committee and Board Calendar

DECEMBER tbd Awards Committee meeting

2012

JANUARY 18 Board Meeting

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DO YOU HAVE AN ARTICLE OR ANNOUNCEMENT???

If you have any articles, facts, news items, or other ideas for the newsletter, please contact: **Stephen Keller at (916) 791-6705 kellermaritime@ssctv.net**

Employment opportunity announcements are free. Corporate announcements, such as opening a new office or announcing new hires, are available for \$25.00. Please limit corporate announcements to 50 words.

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2011 Benchmarking Series Session #3

“Collection Systems Tech”

The Sacramento Area Section Collection Systems Committee invites you to attend this informative benchmarking session that will showcase various technologies that improve the operation and management of collection systems.

Wed Dec 7, 2011

7:30am - 2:00pm

**Receive
5 Contact Hours**

Example Program Topics:

- GIS / GPS
- Digital scanning
- SCADA
- Flow metering
- Utility location

QUESTIONS ???

Contact one of the Sacramento Area Section Collection Systems Committee Co-Chairs:

Chad Stites
(SPMUD)
(916) 786-8522 ext. 33

Eric Nielsen
(Water Works Engineers)
(916) 780-2888 ext. 112

*If you require special accommodations to fully participate, please indicate a written description of your needs in RSVP.

Session Objectives

- Present multiple presentations/demonstrations (20-30 minutes in length) of various technologies that have been implemented at local agencies. A sample of these technologies are listed below:
 - Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
 - Global Positioning Systems (GPS)
 - Cameras that attach to combination sewer cleaners
 - Sonde pipe locating technology
 - Manhole cover monitoring and alarm systems
 - Flow monitoring (portable and permanent installations)
 - SCADA for collection systems
 - Digital pipeline scanning and automated unmanned inspection
 - Gas detection, and more...
- Take opportunity to visit with vendors during the BBQ lunch to discuss these technologies in greater detail.
- Interactive Discussion: The committee hopes that participants will come to this session to learn from the prepared program and also to share with the group the knowledge and experience they have with other technologies that make their jobs easier.

Date: Wednesday, Dec 7th, 2011

Time: 7:30am-8:00am - Registration
8:00am-2:00pm - Program

Location: South Placer MUD
5807 Springview Drive
Rocklin, CA 95677

CWEA Members: \$20
Non-members: \$27
(BBQ lunch will be provided)

Register Now

Registration is limited to 50 people.
Registration is a commitment to pay.

To register, email the following info to Chad Stites at cstites@spmud.ca.gov:

- Name
- Contact person
- Agency name
- Phone number
- Indicate if you are a CWEA Member along with your member number.

Checks only. Make payable to **Sacramento Area Section, CWEA** & mail to:
SPMUD Attention: Chad Stites
5807 Springview Drive, Rocklin, CA 95677
OR pay at the registration desk on the day of the event.



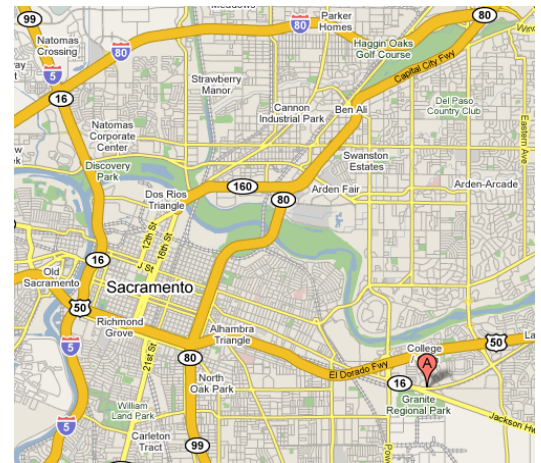
CWEA SACRAMENTO AREA SECTION
Engineering and Research Committee
Presents

*“Mercury Research Status and Needs for Wastewater Treatment
Plants and Stormwater Utilities”*

Guest Speaker:

STEPHEN McCORD, McCord Environmental

DATE: Wednesday, December 14, 2011
TIME: 11:30 pm – 1:30 pm
LOCATION: **Umeko Japanese Seafood Buffet**
8353 Folsom Blvd
Sacramento, CA 95826
(916) 381-6397
COST: \$10.00 members
\$17.00 non-members
(Pay at the door)
RSVP: **No Later Than Monday,**
December 12, 2011 to:
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All attendees are eligible to receive one hour of CWEA contact time.

Please attend this meeting. At this meeting we will vote in the slate of officers for 2012

Presentation Description: Mercury is the second most common pollutant impairing beneficial uses of waterways in the Central Valley. Consequently, state regulators have increased permit conditions for monitoring, source control, and treatment control of mercury. However, focusing on one complicated, problematic, naturally-occurring pollutant is not how wastewater treatment facilities or storm water controls are designed. At this point, additional information about mercury control methods must be developed to determine how and if dischargers can attain needed reductions. Information is also needed about the potential benefits and adverse impacts of such controls to humans, wildlife, and the environment. This presentation will summarize the regulatory drivers, describe five areas of ongoing research, and then conclude with a discussion of tools needed to produce a comprehensive, prioritized strategy for environmental improvement.

About the Speaker: Stephen McCord is President of McCord Environmental. Dr. McCord is a registered Professional Engineer in the State of California. He holds a B.S. degree in Civil Engineering from Clemson University, and an M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in Civil & Environmental Engineering from the University of California Davis. He has over 15 years of experience in the environmental engineering field with projects throughout California, several other US states, and internationally. Over the past decade, Dr. McCord has worked with wastewater and storm water utilities leading discharge and receiving water monitoring and modeling projects in rivers, deltas and bays. A particular area of focus has been on mercury – conceptual and mass balance models, TMDLs, trading programs, and strategic planning. Dr. McCord also facilitates stakeholder groups in the Central Valley area for coordinating regional monitoring and for addressing mercury regulations.

Special Services: Please check here if you require special accommodations to fully participate. Attach written description of needs.



Job Postings

Posted 11/29/11

MUNICIPAL UTILITIES MANAGER FOR WASTEWATER Redding, CA

The City of Redding, a dynamic community with a population over 90,000 is located at the north end of the Sacramento Valley. Redding has a superb climate with moderate springs and falls, sunny summers with low humidity and mild winters. Redding is truly a beautiful city in a fabulous location for those interested in an active outdoor lifestyle.

The Municipal Utility Manager for Wastewater reports to the Assistant Director of Municipal Utilities and is responsible for the day-to-day management and operation of the Wastewater Utility. The Redding Wastewater Utility funds and operates two regional wastewater treatment plants, Clear Creek with a capacity of 8.8MGD and Stillwater with a capacity of 4MGD. It also manages 408 miles of sewer line and 15 lift stations. The Utility is divided into four divisions, each with a supervisor. The Utility has 34 employees and an annual budget of \$17,763,000.

Requirements

The ideal candidate will possess the expertise to manage this utility and maintain a solid financial condition and must be able to analyze complex problems to make sound policy, financial and procedural recommendations. Any combination of training and experience that provides the required knowledge, skills, and abilities is qualifying; typical education would include a Bachelor's degree from an accredited college, university, or equivalent in Public Administration, Business Administration, Civil Engineering, Chemistry, Public Health, Asset Management, Construction Management, or other related field. Typical experience would include seven years relevant experience in a progressively responsible position in a related field; five years in a management level position, including four years direct supervisory experience.

Compensation and Benefits

The City of Redding offers a competitive salary and compensation package. The base salary range for this position is \$62,964 - \$100,920 annually DOQ. The benefits package includes:

- Retirement: CalPERS - The City does not participate in Social Security.
- Health, Dental and Vision Plans: Excellent medical, dental and vision benefits for employee and dependents with 90% of the premium paid by City.
- Vacation: Accrual at the rate of two weeks per year up to the fourth year of service.
- Accrual rate increases thereafter based on tenure.
- Holidays: 13 1/2 holidays annually. Nine and a half fixed holidays and four floating holidays.

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- Administrative Leave: Up to 80 hours annually.
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- Life insurance: Equal to two times annual salary for employee and \$3,000 for each dependent.
- Long-term disability insurance.
- Deferred Compensation: 457 plan available for employee contribution.
- AFLAC: Supplemental insurance plans available at employee expense on a pre-tax basis.
- Vantage Care Program allows employees to use pre-tax income to pay medical premiums after retirement.
- Credit Unions available.

To Apply

To apply, submit your letter of interest, resume, current salary and five work related references (email preferred) to Paul Kimura by December 22, 2011. The base salary range for this position is \$62,964 - \$100,920 annually DOQ. A formal job announcement is available on our website at <http://www.averyassoc.net/jobs>.

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Posted 10/19/11

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS AND UTILITIES Petaluma, CA

Petaluma is the southern entrance to Sonoma County just 32 miles north of San Francisco's Golden Gate Bridge. Petaluma's beautiful scenic wetlands boast the Alman Marsh, Shollenberger Park, and a newly developed trail system surrounding the Ellis Creek Water Recycling Facility. Petaluma offers a wide array of attractions and points of interest to explore including the historic downtown and waterfront areas, charming Victorian homes, a premium outlet mall, a mixed-use theater district, historical museum, numerous community parks and golf courses, a marina and an airport.

The City of Petaluma is a Charter City operating under the Council/City Manager form of government. The City was incorporated in 1858, and operates with a seven member City Council, including the Mayor. The Director of Public Works and Utilities (the Director) will be an integral member of the City's executive management team and reports to the City Manager. The new Director will be responsible for directing, planning, organizing, and integrating the City's public works and water utilities activities and functions, including the state of the art Ellis Creek Water Recycling Facility, and will need to have excellent management skills with a strong foundation in finance and budget administration.

Minimum Requirements

This position requires a Bachelor's degree with a minimum of seven years of progressively responsible experience in the management of public works and/or public utilities with at least three of those years managing a water and wastewater function. A Master's degree is highly desirable, as is past or current participation in the American Public Works Association (APWA), including registration for and completion of courses contained in the Public Works Institute Learning Model.

Compensation and Benefits

Starting salary will be dependent on the qualifications of the candidate. The annual salary range is approximately \$133,281 to \$147,008. The City of Petaluma also offers an attractive benefit package that includes:

- Retirement – CalPERS 2% at age 55. Employees contribute 7% of base pay on a pre-tax basis. The City does not participate in Social Security.
- Health, Dental and Vision Plans - The City contributes 95% of the Kaiser rate for employees and eligible dependants for choice of Kaiser, Blue Shield, PERS Choice or PERS Care. The City also provides dental and vision plans for employees and eligible dependents.
- Life Insurance - 1.5% of base salary up to a maximum of \$200,000 coverage.
- Deferred Compensation – Voluntary with choice of three providers: CalPERS, ICMA, or Hartford.
- Administrative Leave – 80 hours per year.
- Vacation – Accrual of 80 hours increasing to 200 hours per year.
- Sick Leave – Accrual of 8 hours per month.
- Holidays – 12 paid holidays, plus 1 floating holiday per year.

For more details on the benefit package, please visit the City of Petaluma's Human Resources webpage at: <http://cityofpetaluma.net/hr/mou.html> (see Unit 8).

The Process

To be considered for this exceptional career opportunity, please forward a letter of interest, your resume with current salary, and a list of five work-related references (who will not be contacted until mutual interest is established) to:

Paul Kimura
Avery Associates
3 1/2 N. Santa Cruz Ave. #A
Los Gatos, CA 95030
Fax: 408 399-4423
E-mail: jobs@averyassoc.net

The final filing date for this position is October 31, 2011.

Following the final filing date, the most qualified candidates will be invited to a preliminary screening interview with the recruitment firm. Candidates who are determined to be most suited for the position will be invited to interview with the City. This process is anticipated during the timeframe of late November, 2011. The final appointment is expected to take place around mid-December timeframe.

If you have any questions or wish to explore this opportunity further, please contact Paul Kimura by email: paulk@averyassoc.net or by phone at 408 399-4424

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Posted 4/4/11

WASTEWATER OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR

The Position

The available position resides in the Operations Department. The Wastewater Operations and Maintenance Supervisor will directly supervise employees in the operations division and carry out supervisory responsibilities in accordance with the organization's policies and applicable laws. Responsibilities include participating in interviewing, hiring, and training employees; planning, assigning, and directing work; appraising performance; rewarding and disciplining employees; addressing complaints and resolving problems. Will plan and organize schedules and oversee the operation and maintenance of wastewater treatment and pumping facilities; performs the more difficult operations, maintenance and control functions; provides lead supervision and training for wastewater treatment plant operators. Responsible for operation of all assigned treatment facilities and monitoring of operations to ensure proper processing of wastewater while meeting required quality standards and identifying adjustments necessary for proper operating conditions. The Wastewater Operations and Maintenance Supervisor will have involvement in the budgetary process and active participation in the short and long term management of the department; participation in planning, design and other managerial functions that require extensive interdepartmental coordination.

The Ideal Candidate

The Wastewater Operations and Maintenance Supervisor will be an experienced professional. He or she will possess a Grade V Wastewater Operator certification from the State of California and four years of increasingly responsible experience in the operation and maintenance of wastewater treatment plants comparable in size and complexity to those at El Dorado Irrigation District, including two years of supervision and oversight experience of an entire wastewater facility is required.

Education as required by the California State Water Resources Control Board to obtain and retain a Wastewater Treatment Operator Grade V certificate.

Qualifications

In addition to the above, the Wastewater Operations and Maintenance Supervisor will have significant expertise in several of the areas noted below:

- Must be able to read, interpret and write Standard Operating Procedures and keep them current.
- Knowledge of NPDES and Storm Water Permits.
- Ability to lead and give direction in a productive manner; knowledge of managing a maintenance staff is desirable.
- Coordination and storage of hazardous chemicals and gases.
- Oversight of operations and maintenance of an entire wastewater facility, as well as satellite facilities.
- Knowledge of Safety procedures associated with the maintenance and operations of a wastewater facility.

Compensation

The salary range for a Wastewater Operations and Maintenance Supervisor is \$92,004.12 - \$111,831.60 annually. Competency-based salary increases and a generous benefit plan are also available. The District's benefit package includes:

Retirement

PERS 2.0% @ 55 with District paying employer share.

Leave Program

- PTO accruals based on years of service
- Twelve holidays
- Paid Administrative Time Off
- One paid personal business day

Insurance

- Medical (PERS Health Care Program) for employee and dependents
- District paid coverage for employee and dependents for dental, vision and employee assistance plan.

Additional Benefits

- Deferred compensation plan is available
- Life Insurance

Application and Selection Process

The final filing date is April 7, 2011

For a District application please visit our website at www.eid.org or at our District office located at 2890 Mosquito Rd in Placerville. Faxed Applications will be accepted on or before 5:00 pm on the filing deadline to 530-642-4320.

Attn: Human Resources
2890 Mosquito Road
Placerville, CA 95667
(530) 622-4513 or (530) 642-4013
Fax: (530) 622-1134
www.eid.org

Following the filing date, applications will be screened in relation to the criteria outlined in this brochure. Candidates determined to have the most relevant qualifications will be invited to participate in the selection process.

Posted 2/15/11

INSTRUMENTATION TECHNICIAN

The Position

The Instrumentation Technician is responsible for performing difficult and complex technical work in the testing, installation, maintenance and repair of all pneumatic, electronic and electrical control systems relative to the water and wastewater treatment operations and the laboratory. The incumbent receives general supervision from the Facilities Maintenance Superintendent.

The Ideal Candidate

The ideal candidate will possess knowledge of the installation, repair and maintenance of supervisory, sensory control systems used in water treatment operations. This person will have excellent interpersonal skills, knowledge of safe work practices and procedures, and the ability to keep records and read electrical drawings.

Specific Requirements for this Position

Any combination of experience and training that would likely provide the required knowledge and abilities is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the knowledge and abilities would be:

Education and Experience

- Equivalent to an Associates of Arts degree from a two-year college with course work in sensory systems diagnosis, maintenance, repair and testing.
- Four years of technical electronics experience in the maintenance, installation and repair of electronic sensory control systems.

Licenses and Certificates :

- Possession of, or ability to obtain and maintain, a valid California Class C driver license.

Typical Duties:

- Install, maintain, repair and adjust computer system hardware, digital data multiplexing equipment used for indicating, telemetering, measuring and controlling flow, temperature, motion, force and chemical composition
- Install, repair and maintain the supervisory and sensory control systems.
- Repair, maintain and calibrate the level, pressure and flow telemetry.
- Maintain a variety of electronic control instruments used to operate electrical mechanical equipment, record data, indicate equipment status and activate supervisory control.
- Maintain and repair automatic control valves and associated control functions.
- Modify and install a variety of supervisory controls including switches, relays and control loops.
- Operate a variety of electronics testing equipment.
- Maintain service records, identify sources and participate in development of specifications for requisitions for parts and electrical equipment.

Compensation

The City's excellent benefit package includes:

- Benefits covering medical, dental, vision care; & life insurance plans;
- Deferred Compensation programs (ICMA-RC and STARS);
- The City of Tracy participates in Social Security;
- Retirement: 2% at 55 Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) retirement benefit,
- City pays full employee share to PERS;
- Thirteen paid holidays annually;
- Vacation: 96 hours annually to start;
- Sick Leave: 96 hours annually with no accumulation limit;
- Alternate schedules including 9/80 Compressed Work Week schedule for employees with City Hall being closed every other Friday;
- City paid Employee Assistance Program ; Employee Credit Union; Tuition reimbursement.

To Apply

RESUMES/FACSIMILES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN LIEU OF ORIGINAL CITY APPLICATION. POSTMARKS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN LIEU OF TIMELY FILING OF APPLICATION.

To be considered for this excellent career opportunity, please submit a completed City of Tracy application to:

City of Tracy - Human Resources Department
By mail or In person:
333 Civic Center Plaza
Tracy , CA 95376

The Selection Process

Applications will be accepted on a continuous basis until a sufficient number have been received. At such time, a limited number of applicants whose qualifications best

meet the needs of the City will be invited to participate in the selection process, which may consist of a training and experience review of application materials, a written exam, an appraisal interview with a panel and/or other qualifying tests. The City reserves the right to modify the selection process at any time. Successful candidates will have their names placed on an employment list for further consideration in the selection process.

Appointment will be contingent upon the ability to provide proof of eligibility to work in the United States and the results of a pre-employment physical examination, which includes drug and alcohol screening.

****Please note the recruitment may close at any time with minimal or no notice.**

Applications not received by the Human Resources Department by the close of the recruitment will not be considered; therefore, prompt application is encouraged.

THE CITY OF TRACY IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

The City considers applicants without regard to race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, sex, marital status, age, medical condition or disability, or any other status protected by law. The City seeks candidates who can make contributions in an environment of cultural and ethnic diversity. The City of Tracy makes reasonable accommodations for the disabled. If candidates require special arrangements to participate in the selection process, they should state their needs in writing when submitting an application package.

For more information about the City, or to download an official application visit our website at: www.ci.tracy.ca.us/jobs To request an application be mailed to you, call our 24-Hour Job Hotline at: (209) 831-6151

The City of Tracy

Responsive, involved, effective, quality-driven; these are the watchwords of an administration that truly cares about the quality of life of its citizens and employees. These words express the City's values as we work towards achieving the goal of providing worthwhile and valuable services to residents, businesses, and employees. Tracy is a thriving premiere City currently enjoying well-planned growth and development. With an estimated population of approximately 84,000 the City of Tracy serves as a gateway to the cultural diversity of the San Francisco Bay Area to the west and the agricultural richness of the San Joaquin Valley to its east. Just 60 miles east of San Francisco, Tracy provides easy access to all points north, south, east and west via I-580, I-5, and I-205. Because of its geographic location, a pro-business environment, and a pro-active local government, Tracy is expected to continue to grow.

Posted 10/19/10

SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER

HydroScience Engineers, Inc. (HSe) is seeking a Senior Project Manager to work in either our Berkeley, San Jose, or Sacramento offices. Opportunities also exist for working abroad in Vietnam and Australia on a temporary basis if desired and needed. The Senior Project Manager will be responsible for supervising employees, managing project teams, and will lead and/or support business development efforts including marketing, client relationship, and proposal preparation.

HydroScience Engineers, Inc. (HSe) is a civil/environmental engineering firm that specializes in the planning, design, permitting, and construction management of water, wastewater, and recycled water projects since 1998. Our professional staff includes licensed civil, electrical, and structural engineers as well as construction managers and inspectors. We are supported by a full-time staff of professionals in the drafting, administrative, and information technology fields. For more information regarding our firm, please visit www.hydroscience.com.

As an employee with HSe, you can expect:

- A collaborative and stable work environment
- Merit-based opportunities for advancement
- An extremely competitive salary with semi-annual performance-based bonuses, and
- Comprehensive benefits including a company-contributed IRA, medical/dental/vision insurance, paid vacation, and sick leave.

The ideal candidate will possess the following:

- P.E. registration (California or reciprocity with California preferred)
- B.S. and/or M.S. in civil engineering, environmental engineering, or a related field
- 15+ years of experience
- Established connections with local agencies, industry leaders, and other potential clients and/or partners.
- Demonstrated success in marketing and business development activities, and
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills.