



Regional Pool Allocation Set at 15,000 Acre-Feet

The Northern Water Board of Directors allocated 15,000 acre-feet of Regional Pool Program water during its March 8, 2018, Board meeting. Regional Pool water is available for lease by Northern Colorado farmers, municipal providers and other water users, with bids due March 22, 2018. Bid prices per acre-foot must be greater than or equal to \$25.70, a floor price the Board selected based on the 2018 agricultural assessment rate.

Sealed bids are due by 2 p.m. March 22, 2018, at Northern Water's headquarters, 220 Water Ave., Berthoud, CO 80513. Submitted bids can be mailed or hand delivered; email and fax bid forms are not accepted. RPP leases will be awarded based on highest bids per acre-foot. Sealed bids will be opened at approximately 2:10 p.m. on the day they are due, March 22, 2018, at Northern Water's Berthoud headquarters.

To access RPP documents, visit northernwater.org/regionalpool. Documents needed to submit a bid include:

- Pre-Approval Form
- Bid Form
- Carrier Consent Form – This is needed if the RPP water will be delivered through a carrier, such as a ditch or reservoir company, bidders or their carriers must complete the Carrier Consent Form or provide a signed agreement stating that the carrier will deliver the RPP water to the bidder.

Preliminary bid results will be posted on the Northern Water website March 23, 2018.

Questions regarding the Regional Pool Program and submitting a bid can be emailed to regionalpool@northernwater.org or by calling Northern Water dispatch at 970-292-2500 or Sarah Smith at 970-622-2295.