

## **Expression of Interest**

### **United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Research Service (ARS)**

#### **Development Opportunity Placement Program (DOPP)**

**THIS ANNOUNCEMENT CLOSSES ON JUNE 1, 2007**

The attached announcement is for a temporary detail under the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Development Opportunity Placement Program (DOPP). The position is a Facilities Asset Manager in Albany, California

**Opportunity Identification Number: ARS-06-DOPP-003**

**Opening Date:** May 11, 2007

**Closing Date:** June 1, 2007

**Position Title:** Facilities Asset Manager

**Series & Grade:** N/A (Detail to set of Duties)

**Duty Locations:** Agricultural Research Service  
Pacific West Area  
Office of the Director  
Albany, California

**Duration of Assignment:** 60 days

**Remarks:** This is an Expression of Interest, not a competitive vacancy announcement. Priority consideration will be given to eligible and qualified Class Agents under the Basu Settlement Agreement for the first eighteen (18) months of the program.

#### **Who Is Eligible for Consideration**

Facility / Project Engineers / Construction Engineers

#### **Development Opportunity Assignment**

This is a temporary position which combines some duties from the Area Engineer's position and Real Property Management position to allow development of an Asset Management position which supports Presidential Management Initiative, Executive Order 13327.

#### **Major Duties**

Facility Design, Construction, Operations, Real Property Management, Disposal, Lease Administration.

## **Qualification Requirements**

**BASIC REQUIREMENTS THAT ALL APPLICANTS MUST MEET:** Knowledge of facilities planning, project development, real property management, and the ability to communicate clearly and present complex technical issues.

### **Submission Requirements**

To be considered for this opportunity, you must submit the following information: \* Resume or OF-612. \* Most recent Notification of Personnel Action (SF-50). \* Most recent performance appraisal.

\* Narrative (not to exceed one page) of how the assignment will be commensurate with your interests, background and developmental needs and will enhance your career goals.

\* Description (not to exceed one page) of skills and knowledge you will bring to the assignment.

\*Development Opportunity Placement Program Coversheet.

\*\*Your submission must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on the closing date of this Expression of Interest. Please submit your documents to the following address: U.S. Department of Agriculture Office of Human Capital Management (OHCM)

Attention: Office of Special Projects

1400 Independence Avenue, S.W. Room 302-W

Washington, D.C. 20250-9892

Fax: (202) 720-9148

**For more information:** Please direct questions on the administrative process to the OHCM, Office of Special Projects at (202) 720-0822, and questions regarding the nature of the assignment to Jeffrey Van Houten, Deputy Area Director. The contact telephone number is (510) 559-6000.

### **Information on Status, Benefits and Relocation Expenses**

Travel expenses associated with the assignment will be reimbursed in accordance with applicable Government travel regulations.

**Reasonable Accommodation Statement** USDA provides reasonable accommodations to employees with disabilities. If you need a reasonable accommodation for any part of the submission process, please notify the agency. The decision on granting reasonable accommodation will be on a case-by-case basis. **THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.**

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**Questions regarding the specifics of the detail should go to Jeffrey Van Houten at 510-559-6000.**