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### **CH2M HILL named one of FORTUNE's "100 Best Companies to Work For"**

*Engineering and Construction leader secures spot on coveted list for sixth time*

RICHLAND, January 21, 2013 – CH2M HILL ([www.ch2mhill.com](http://www.ch2mhill.com)), a global full-service consulting, design, construction and operations firm, has been named to the 2013 [FORTUNE 100 Best Companies to Work For](#)® list. This is the sixth time CH2M HILL has earned a place on the coveted list. The full list is published in the magazine's January 21 issue.

"This recognition is a terrific accomplishment by our employees, and it is also motivation for each of us to work even harder to deliver the best client experience and to create and foster the best work environment," says [Lee McIntire](#), CH2M HILL chairman and CEO.

In addition to the firm's unique employee ownership program and culture embodied in its *Little Yellow Book*, CH2M HILL was recognized for accomplishments in fostering a great workplace. Surveyed employees gave CH2M HILL its highest marks in the five Great Place to Work® Model© Dimensions in the categories of Pride and Camaraderie.

In addition to offices in more than 116 countries worldwide, CH2M HILL has two offices located in Richland, Washington with over 2,200 employees combined - CH2M HILL Plateau Remediation Company and CH2M HILL Tri-City Area.

Serving as prime contractor for the U.S. Department of Energy Richland Office, CH2M HILL is leading the safe, environmental cleanup of the \$5.8 billion, 5-year (plus 5-year option) Central Plateau of the Hanford nuclear site in Washington State. CH2M HILL's accomplishments at Hanford include:

- Reducing the site's active area of cleanup by more than 50 percent.

- Designing, building and operating the 200 West Pump and Treat System, Hanford's largest and most sustainably built facility for treating contaminated groundwater
- Removing the first highly radioactive sludge material away from the Columbia River
- Advancing decommissioning of the Plutonium Finishing Plant, one of Hanford's highest risk nuclear facilities
- Treating more than 1 billion gallons of contaminated groundwater in a single year.

To pick the 100 Best Companies to Work For, FORTUNE partners with the Great Place to Work Institute to conduct the most extensive employee survey in corporate America: 259 firms participated in this year's survey. More than 277,000 employees at those companies responded to a survey created by the institute, a global research and consulting firm operating in 45 countries around the world.

Two-thirds of a company's score is based on the results of the institute's Trust Index survey, which is sent to a random sample of employees from each company. The survey asks questions related to their attitudes about management's credibility, job satisfaction and camaraderie. The other third is based on responses to the institute's Culture Audit, which includes detailed questions about pay and benefit programs and a series of open-ended questions about hiring practices, methods of internal communication, training, recognition programs and diversity efforts. For more information on how to apply, visit: <http://bit.ly/n8bVl3>

*Headquartered near Denver, Colorado, USA, employee-owned CH2M HILL is a global leader in consulting, design, design-build, operations, and program management for government, civil, industrial and energy clients. The firm's work is concentrated in the areas of water, transportation, environmental, energy, facilities and resources. With US\$6.4 billion in revenue and 30,000 employees, CH2M HILL is an industry-leading program management, construction management and design firm, as ranked by Engineering News-Record and named a leader in sustainable engineering and environmental services by Verdantix. The firm has been named a FORTUNE 100 Best Companies to Work For six times. Visit us at [ch2mhill.com](http://ch2mhill.com), [twitter.com/ch2mhill](https://twitter.com/ch2mhill) and [facebook.com/ch2mhill](https://facebook.com/ch2mhill). Search for jobs at [ch2mhill.jobs](http://ch2mhill.jobs).*

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