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MEXICAN SECTION OF THE IBWC POSTS SOLICITATION FOR THE DESIGN OF THE COMPOSITE CUTOFF WALL REMEDICATION PROJECT AT AMISTAD DAM

The Mexican Section of the International Boundary and Water Commission (IBWC) has posted a solicitation for the Design of the Composite Cutoff Wall Remediation Project at Amistad Dam.

Amistad Dam is the second international storage dam built jointly by the United States and Mexico, pursuant to the 1944 Water Treaty. It is the largest reservoir along the U.S.-Mexico border in Texas and ranks 11th in conservation capacity in the nation. In addition to water conservation, Amistad Dam, located 20 miles northwest of Del Rio, TX/ Ciudad Acuña, Coahuila, MX, is used for flood risk management, hydropower generation, water supply, flood control, water quality, fish and wildlife enhancement, and recreation.

The proposed solicitation will address the issue of sinkholes and seepage through the embankment at Amistad Dam that pose a potential risk to the structural integrity of the dam.

This project is significant for both Sections, and interested bidders are invited to participate. The deadline for registration is June 6, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. MDT.

For detailed information and to register for solicitation #CILA-JUA-LPI-11-2024, please visit the official webpage <http://www.cila.gob.mx/convos/LICITA4.htm>.

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