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## **PERC Water Wins Asset Management Contract for the City of Ione, CA**

**Ione, California, July 1, 2009** – PERC Water Corporation (“PERC Water”) was awarded the Asset Management contract for two separate treatment facilities – wastewater and tertiary – and the sewer collection system for the City of Ione, California. The contract is for two years with three two year renewals. Ione is located approximately 40 miles southeast of Sacramento, California.

The City’s principle objective in contracting their wastewater operations was to ensure cost effective wastewater operations services and compliance with the City’s permits and cease and desist orders. PERC Water will develop an Asset Management Strategy for the City which will improve the efficiency and reliability of the existing operations, decrease overall operational costs, and meet its water quality regulations.

Kim Kerr, Ione’s City Manager, said “the City is looking forward to working with PERC Water. I am confident they will provide the cost efficient wastewater services for the City’s wastewater clients.”

Bob Nespeca, Vice President of Asset Management for PERC Water said, “We are very excited about the opportunity to work with the City of Ione. We look forward to demonstrating our ability to achieve operating efficiencies within the two treatment plants and the collection system. The dedication and commitment of the City Council and City Manager to seek out the best solution for their city was impressive.”

PERC Water recognizes that water recycling facilities are highly-specialized, state-of-the-art production facilities that should be considered assets to their city and the community, requiring more than basic operations and maintenance. PERC Water has successfully designed, constructed and operated water recycling facilities across the United States. Following construction, the Asset Management team has commissioned and operated all of the completed facilities and continued to offer support services to clients that have assumed the operations of the facilities.

### **About PERC Water**

PERC Water is a water recycling company that designs, builds, operates and manages water recycling facilities throughout the United States. They have designed more than 55 facilities – 20 of which they have designed, built and operated. The company guarantees water of the highest quality and assumes the risks associated with water recycling. PERC Water is headquartered in Costa Mesa, CA. See [www.percwater.com](http://www.percwater.com) for more information.

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