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**Freeport Regional Water Intake Facilities
Win Honors for Balfour Beatty Infrastructure**

(SACRAMENTO, Calif.) – The American Concrete Institute (ACI) has chosen the Freeport Regional Water Intake Facilities to receive a 2010 Construction Award. Balfour Beatty Infrastructure, Inc. finished construction of the facility in March 2010. Representatives of Balfour Beatty Infrastructure will attend an award ceremony in Pleasanton, CA, on Nov. 9.

Work began on the \$123 million job in Sacramento, CA, in March 2007. It included the construction of a new intake on the Sacramento River and a pumping plant with a capacity of 185 million gallons per day.

“The Freeport project is a monumental work and our Western Region team certainly deserves this recognition,” said Ray Bond, president and CEO of Balfour Beatty Infrastructure. “This job has a far-reaching impact on the area, helping provide drinking water for many thousands of residents. Freeport is part of an array of water and wastewater plants we’ve constructed in recent years on the West Coast, where our company has established a strong presence.”

Inside the plant, eight 2,000-hp motors discharge the water into an 84-inch raw water pipeline. The team set up four large-diameter surge tanks, a new substation and state-of-the-art fish screens.

“We’re pleased ACI has chosen to honor our team,” said Bill Ogle, vice president of Balfour Beatty Infrastructure’s Western Region. “We’ve had other water and wastewater projects receive special recognition from industry organizations. It’s a tradition of excellence we plan to continue.”

ACI picked this project as the winner in the construction category, one of five categories in the competition. The Construction Award was established in 1944 to honor workers who complete structures from drawings and specifications. Recipients demonstrate “outstanding merit on concrete construction practice.” Based in Farmington Hills, MI, the non-profit technical and educational society organized in 1904 as an industry authority on concrete technology.

Balfour Beatty Infrastructure, Inc. delivers industry-leading civil engineering and construction expertise for transportation and water infrastructure projects throughout the United States. With more than 1,000 employees in major operations in California, the Carolinas, Pennsylvania and Texas, Balfour Beatty Infrastructure boasts annual revenues of more than \$400 million. An award-winning contractor, Balfour Beatty Infrastructure recently received the AGC of America’s 2008 Marvin M. Black Excellence in Partnering Award and is recognized by Engineering News-Record as one of the “Top 20 Transportation Contractors” and “Top 50 Domestic Heavy Contractors” for 2009. Balfour Beatty Infrastructure is part of Balfour Beatty plc, a global engineering, construction, services and investment business organization specializing in large infrastructure and building programs.