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Who Should Pay For Urban Infrastructure?

There's no doubt: investing in urban infrastructure is a steadfast approach to growing local economies. But who should bear the brunt of these costs?

In urban environments, there's no shortage of infrastructure to invest in. Roads, bridges, public transit, sidewalks, public water and sewer—these are all sustained through public dollars. Some infrastructure is easier to assess than others; through the monitoring of water usage, a municipality can determine how much to charge a customer.

But, financing bridge, road and public transit can be much trickier. In Massachusetts, public transit fares increased last year by a whopping 23% to help reduce the debt owed by the (then) flailing Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (MBTA). Moreover, it seemed to encourage some riders to begin driving instead; financial analysts built in an expected five percent ridership drop due to fare increases. The unintended consequences are more factors contributing to congestion, air pollution, and highway wear and tear.

In response, the Massachusetts legislature recently approved of a gas tax increase. The increase, from \$0.21 per gallon to \$0.24 per gallon brings the Bay State's gas tax in line with most other states. Under the legislation, the gas tax is now tied to inflation, reducing the need for amendments moving forward. "It's time to reinvest in our infrastructure for the sake of our growth, for the sake of our economy, and for the sake of our quality of life," said Massachusetts Governor Deval Patrick before signing the bill into law.

The higher gas tax will help to fund the state's regional transit authorities, including the MBTA. Naturally, drivers are opposed to the three-cent increase. "It's atrocious. This is the wrong time to raise the gas tax," said local resident David Augustin. The burden seems especially unfair when the funds will be used to pay for regional transit systems that many state's residents don't have access to.

This has long been a debate with toll: why would some residents who drive on some of the roads have to pay tolls, while others

throughout the state are not subject to toll roads? In New Hampshire, government officials have discussed putting a toll right over the MA/NH boarder on Interstate 93. Residents in Southern NH, naturally, have protested: these residents would bear the brunt of the toll, an expense that many would try to avoid by using back roads, thereby adding to local congestion.

As cars become more fuel efficient, and as the average rate of vehicle miles traveled declines, revenues collected by the gas tax and tolls will only decrease.

In urban environments, the predicament is muddled now that many residents are opting for low-cost bicycling as an alternative transportation mode. Portland, Oregon, one of the most (if not, the most) bicycle-friendly cities in the nation, is considering a 4% excise tax on new bicycle purchases. Washington State is considering a flat \$25 bicycle tax on purchases over \$500. Proponents urge that bicyclists use the roads, too, and therefore should share the cost of their maintenance. Yet, opponents note that bicycling can actually save the government money compared to driving: a study shows that a mile cycled in Copenhagen results in a \$0.42 economic gain for the government, while a mile driven costs the government \$0.20. Bicycling can also improve residents' health, thereby reducing health care costs.

So at the end of the day, who should pay for infrastructure investments? The question is timely: we know that urban infrastructure is deteriorating; earlier this year the American Society of Civil Engineers gave the nation's infrastructure a D+ grade. At the same time, President Obama is trying to drum up support for his Grand Bargain, which would close corporate tax loopholes and use the revenue savings to invest in infrastructure.

As cities continue to embrace mixed-use and transit-oriented neighborhoods, we must find equitable solutions for financing public infrastructure. Currently, 10-15% of urban trips are made by walking or biking, but these modes collectively receive only 1-3% of transportation funding. Something has to give.

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Community Outreach



Institute without Boundaries: Connecting Divided Places 2014-2015

By Paul Zanettos

The IwB is Calling for Curriculum Partners for the 2014-2015 Academic Year

The Institute without Boundaries (IwB) is seeking curriculum partners for **Connecting Divided Places**, a project that investigates social, economic, environmental, and cultural divisions in cities. We are calling out to municipalities, not-for-profit organizations, and companies interested in working with us to address the wicked problems dividing their cities and regions. We are looking for organizations interested in collaborating on design solutions that make for more balanced, healthier, and resilient city-regions of the future.

We want to know what challenges your city is facing.

Interested organizations are invited to submit Expression of Interest (EOI) to take part in our 2014-2015 Connecting Divided Places project.

The deadline to submit an Expression of Interest (EOI) is Monday, January 13, 2014.

Additional information and the EOI submission form are available at: www.institutewithoutboundaries.com.

About the IwB

The IwB offers over a decade of expertise working with municipalities, industry, and various not-for-profit organizations. It is a unique research centre, design studio, and an academic program based in Toronto that focuses on collaborative design practice with the objectives of social, ecological and economic innovation through design research and strategy.

We have worked with public partners such as the Dublin City Council in Ireland, the City of Markham in Canada, the City of Lota in Chile, as well as the Costa Rican Ministries of Culture and Housing. We have also worked with not-for-profit and private partners like Bruce Mau Design Studio, Evergreen Canada, Canon, Arup, the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC), Habitat for Humanity, and the Harbinger Foundation. We've conducted diverse projects, from delivering master plans to communities in need of restructuring, to prototyping innovative housing solutions, to improving municipal service delivery, and exploring and giving new significance to local historical landmarks and districts.

Interested in our work, but not sure our next year's project is a good fit? Contact us. We are always looking for future ways to collaborate with new partners. www.institutewithoutboundaries.com

Source: *Reconnecting America*

CONNECT THE URBAN DIVIDE

The Institute without Boundaries is seeking curriculum partners interested in addressing the "wicked" problems dividing their cities and regions.

At the IwB we work on creating connections. We believe that design can bridge division.

WORK WITH US!

For more information please see

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DBE Subcontractors/Suppliers Bids Requested

RFP NO. C1045 WESTSIDE SUBWAY EXTENSION PROJECT, SECTION 1 DESIGN - BUILD
Subcontractor to General Contractor Bid Submittal Due Date: December 20, 2013
General Contractor to Owner Bid Due Date: January 3, 2014
Owner: Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (LACMTA)
Performance Payment Bonds May Be Required.

Westside Transit Partners (WTP) a joint venture comprised of Impregilo S.p.A., Samsung E&C America, Inc., and Salini USA, Inc. will fully comply with Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 26, Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprises in Department of Transportation Financial Assistance Programs. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer and this advertisement is in response to LACMTA's DBE Program. WTP intends to conduct itself in "Good Faith" with DBE firms regarding participation on this project.

The Project is for construction of a heavy rail transit subway extension of the existing Purple Line from its current terminus at Wilshire/Western Station to a new Wilshire/La Cienega station. The extension will be approximately 3.9 miles of dual-bore tunnel and will include a total of three (3) new stations: Wilshire/La Brea, Wilshire/Fairfax, and Wilshire/La Cienega. The Section 1 alignment travels westerly beneath Wilshire Boulevard to the Wilshire/La Cienega Station.

Please submit bids/quotes for the following scopes of work (but not limited to): Project Photo Documentation, Environmental Mitigation and Monitoring, Security, Quality Control, Material Testing, Traffic Control, Construction Fencing, Erosion and Environmental Control, Temporary Signs, Preconstruction Survey, Cleaning, Street Sweeping, Structural Concrete (CIP, Forming Systems, Reinforcing Steel, Shotcrete, Precast), Masonry (CMU and Granite), Metals (Galvanizing, Structural & Stainless Steel, Framing, Fabrication, Ladders, Railings, Cladding etc.), Thermal & Moisture Protection, Openings, Finishes, Specialties, Furnishings, Conveying Equipment (Escalators and Elevators), Fire Suppression, Plumbing, HVAC, Electrical, Communications, System Safety-Security-Assurance, Earthwork (Geotechnical Instrumentation and Monitoring, Trucking, Dewatering, Support System), Grouting, Precast Tunnel Linings, Exterior Improvements (Base Course, Asphalt Paving, Curbs/Sidewalks, Irrigation and Plantings/Landscape), Utilities (Sewer, Water, Storm, Underground Electrical Ducts and Vaults) and Transportation (Rail Construction).

To view and download the project documents visit: www.westsidetransitpartners.com
 Please send all questions and bids/quotes via email to: estimating@westsidetransitpartners.com
 And via Fax: (702) 754-6458

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375 N. Stephanie Street, Suite 1611, Henderson, NV 89014 • Phone: (702) 754-6459

We are requesting bid quotations from all DVBE, SBE, CBE, WBE, & MBE Subcontractors and Suppliers for the following:

Project: Monroe Community Wellness Center
9119 Haskell Avenue, North Hills, CA 91343

Design-Build, New 1-Story building. Wood frame structure. Approximately 13,600 SF.

- CCIP Insurance for General Liability
- Prevailing Wage

This Invitation To Bid is for the following scopes of work:

- FIRE SPRINKLERS
- BUILDING SIGNAGE

Bid Due Date: Monday 12/16/2013 at 2:00pm

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Contact: **Jim Brain** (626) 304-1190

jbrain@pankow.com

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 SUBCONTRACTOR/SUPPLIER BIDS REQUESTED

CONTRACT NO. 7245
PINE TREE SAG PIPE CEMENT-MORTAR LINING
MOJAVE, CA
BID SUBMITTAL DATE: 12/20/13 AT 12:00 PM
OWNER: CITY OF LOS ANGELES,
DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND POWER

Performance/Payment/Supply Bond May Be Required

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QUOTES ARE REQUESTED BY 12:00 PM, DECEMBER 20, 2013. PLEASE SUBMIT BIDS FOR THE FOLLOWING WORK (BUT NOT LIMITED TO): SWPPP DESIGN & INSPECTION; CONSTRUCTION OFFICES, TRAILER & FURNISHINGS; FUEL SUPPLY; SCHEDULING; WELDING; STEEL PIPE SPECIALS FABRICATION; SAN SUPPLY; CEMENT SUPPLY; WELDING INSPECTION; HAZARDOUS WASTE REMOVAL, TRANSPORTATION & DISPOSAL; SITE SECURITY PATROL; DEWATERING; SAFETY OFFICER (TUNNEL SAFETY ORDERS); TEMPORARY FENCING SUPPLY & INSTALLATION; PORTI-POTTIES; STEEL PIPE PAINTING & COATING; AND POLYMER MICRO-FIBER SUPPLY.

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If bonds are required, LHWS will pay the cost of the bond to a maximum of 1% of the contract value. Assistance to subcontractors/suppliers in obtaining bonds, lines of credit, and/or insurance is available from LHWS at the address and phone # above. LHWS is willing to work with qualified subcontractors/suppliers to establish acceptable delivery schedules, when work requirements permit. The schedule is the sole responsibility of LHWS and will not be mutually agreed upon. Subcontractors will be required to abide by the terms of the AGC Master Labor Agreements and to execute an agreement utilizing the latest L. H. Woods & Sons, Inc. Standard Subcontract/Purchase Agreement incorporating prime contract terms and conditions, including payment provisions. Copies of Standard Subcontract/Purchase Agreement are available for review at www.lhwoods.com. L. H. Woods & Sons' listing of a subcontractor is not to be construed as an acceptance of all of the Subcontractor's conditions or exceptions included with the Subcontractor's price quote.

REQUEST FOR DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

Hwy 4 Widening, Stockton

Caltrans #10-OW1204

BID DATE: December 18, 2013 @ 2:00 PM

We are soliciting quotes for (including but not limited to): Trucking, Lead Compliance Plan, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control System, Portable Changeable Message Sign, Temp Alternative Crash Cushion, SWPPP, Storm Water Annual Report, Sweeping, Temp. Fence, Reconstruct Guardrail, Cold Plane AC, Clearing & Grubbing, Erosion Control, Hydroseed, Compost, AC Dike, Rumble Strip, Data Core, Tack Coat, Structural Concrete, Minor Concrete, Bar Reinforcing Steel, Roadside Signs, Rock Slope Protection, Concrete, Survey Monument, Delineator, Object Marker, Striping & Marking, End Anchor Assembly, Electrical, Temp. Clear Water Diversion System, Ground-In Rumble Strip, Underground Storm Drain and Construction Materials

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Contact: **Dan Palmer**

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100% Performance & Payment Bonds may be required. Worker's Compensation Waiver of Subrogation required. Please call OCJ for assistance with bonding, insurance, necessary equipment, material and/or supplies. OCJ is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage DBE Participation. Plans & Specs are available for viewing at our office or through the Caltrans Website at www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/weekly_ads/index.php.

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I-805 North Improvement Design Build Project Caltrans Contract No: 11-2T2004

Current and ongoing procurement opportunities for the I-805 North project are available through the project procurement website: www.usa.skanska.com/I805North

Bid Packages available are: CIDH, Electrical, Soil Nail and Driven Pile.

Bid packages will be posted to the site on a continual basis. Plans, Specs and additional information are also available on the site. If you need assistance, please contact Dave Sharpnack at 951-295-3140. UDBE and Non-UDBE subs are encourage to participate.

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Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority Design-Build Contract DB1102F Silicon Valley Berryessa Extension Project C700

Procurement opportunities through Skanska-Shimmick-Herzog will be diverse and ongoing.

Please visit: www.sshjv-c700.com

frequently to see procurement opportunities and project contacts in the Bid Packages folder. Plans, specs, drawings, etc. can be found on the procurement web site.

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Request for Sub-Estimates from Minority Business Enterprise (MBE), Women Business Enterprise (WBE), Small Business Enterprise (SBE), Emerging Business Enterprise (EBE), and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) Subcontractors, Material Contractors, and Suppliers:

Project Owner: City of Los Angeles, CA Department of Public Works, Bureau of Engineering
Project Name: Hyperion Treatment Plant (HTP) Flares System Upgrade (CIP 1069), W.O. No. SZH11712
Project Proposal Due: Wednesday, December 18, 2013 @ 10:00 AM PST
Subcontractor/Supplier Quotes Due: Wednesday, December 18, 2013 @ 10:00 AM PST

Kiewit Infrastructure West Co., a subsidiary of Kiewit Corporation (Kiewit), is bidding as a prime contractor for the construction of the project listed above and is seeking sub-estimates from MBE, WBE, SBE, EBE, DVBE and all other business enterprises.

Kiewit is requesting quotes from interested subcontractors, material suppliers, professional services, and equipment suppliers. All responsive subcontractors must possess a valid California Contractor's license and provide acceptable insurance. Responsible subcontractors will be expected to provide bonding for 100% of their contract value. The subcontractor must be able to accept all terms and conditions of the project under the subcontract.

Kiewit intends to conduct itself in good faith with all MBE, WBE, SBE, EBE, DVBE and other enterprises regarding participation on the project. All MBE, WBE, SBE, EBE, DVBEs must be certified at the time of bid as follows: **MBE AND WBE** with: 1) City of Los Angeles, Bureau of Contract Administration; 2) State of California Department of Transportation (CalTrans); 3) Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (METRO); 4) Any certifying agency that is a part of the State of California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) so long as the certification meets all of the City of Los Angeles' MBE/WBE certification requirements; or 5) Southern California Minority Business Development Council, Inc. (SCMBDC) for MBE certifications only; **SBE and EBE**: An SBE with either 1) City of Los Angeles, Bureau of Contract Administration; or 2) State of California Office of Small Business & Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise Service, so long as the certification meets all of the City of Los Angeles' SBE and EBE certification criteria; Note: The State of California does not offer EBE certification, for purposes of this program, the State's Microbusiness certification will be considered synonymous with the City's EBE certification; and a **DVBE** must be certified by the State of California, Office of Small Business & Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise Services.

We are accepting quotes for the following services/supplies: Structural Steel and Precast Concrete Contractors; Electrical Contractors; Plumbing, Heating, and Air-Conditioning Contractors; Site Preparation Contractors; and Oil and Gas Pipeline and Related Structures Construction.

Quotes are to be submitted to:



Kiewit Infrastructure West Co.

10704 Shoemaker Ave. • Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670
Tel: (562) 946-1816, Fax: (562) 309-8201

Contact Kevin Goodman – Lead Estimator, (562) 946-1816, Kevin.Goodman@kiewit.com, for questions.

To obtain more information about this bid or for assistance with the requirements of the proposal, project scheduling, insurance, bonding, lines of credit, equipment, supplies, and/or technical assistance, please contact Kiewit directly.

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Sub Bids Requested From Qualified DBE and UDBE Subcontractors & Suppliers for

City of Citrus Heights - Old Auburn Multi-Use Trail Location: Citrus Heights, CA Project No.: 20-11-007

Bid Date: December 19, 2013 @ 3:00 PM

McGuire and Hester is seeking qualified subcontractors in the following trades: surveying; traffic control; trucking; sawcutting; grinding; clearing; concrete; electrical; fencing; landscape & irrigation; and striping/signs.

We will pay up to and including one and one-half percent (1-1/2%) of your bonding cost. Certification assistance is available, as well as viewing plans and specs.

McGuire and Hester

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Contact: Dave Koerber

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RGW Construction Inc. is seeking all qualified DBE (Disadvantaged Business Enterprises) for the following project:

State Highway in Alameda County in Alameda and Oakland from 0.2 Mile South of 29th Avenue Overcrossing to 0.3 Mile North of 23rd Avenue Overcrossing Caltrans Contract No. 04-0A7104

DBE Goal: 7%

Engineer Estimate: \$52,800,000 – 1,170 Working Days

Bids: December 17th, 2013 @ 2:00 PM

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to): Fabric and Oils, Electrical Material, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Raise Iron-Utilities, Cold Plane, Clear and Grub, Roadway Excavation, Structure Excavation/backfill, Landscaping, Hydroseeding, Erosion Control, Irrigation, Aggregate Base, AC Dike, CIDH Piles, Prestressing Concrete Cast-in-Place, Structural Concrete, Concrete Block & Masonry Retaining Wall, Soundwall-Masonry Precast, Joint Seal, Reinforcing Steel, Air Blown Mortar – Shotcrete, Sign Structure, Signs Roadside, Clean and Paint Steel, Rock Slope Protection, Concrete Curb & Sidewalk-Misc., Fencing, Object Marker, MBGR, Metal Railing, Concrete Barrier, Thermoplastic & Painted Traffic Stripe & Marking, Pavement Marking, Signal and Lighting, SWPPP, Water Truck, Sweeper, Hazardous Substance Removal, Trucker, Painting Structures, Commercial Electrical and Storm Drain (Underground).

Scope of Work: Widen roads, reconstruct ramps with HMA, replace two (2) concrete overcrossings.

RGW is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage DBE participation. Contact us for a specific item list.

Plans and Specs are available to view and copy at our office or the Caltrans website www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/. Contact Karim Massoud 925-606-2400 karim.massoud@rgwconstruction.com for questions, including bonding, lines of credit, or insurance or equipment or material suppliers. Subcontractors should be prepared to submit payment and performance bonds equal to 100% of their quotation. For bonding and other assistance, please call.

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Alameda Creek Bridge at Decoto Road Seismic Retrofit Project City of Union City Project No. 06-10 Federal Aid Project STPZ 5354(027)

Goal: DBE 4%

Bids: December 12, 2013 @ 2:00 PM

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to) Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Clear and Grub Cold Plane, CIDH Piles, Structural Concrete, Joint Seal, Reinforcing Steel, Concrete Curb & Sidewalk Misc., Thermoplastic and Painted Stripe & Marking, Pavement Marking, Message Signs, Lighting & Sign Illumination, SWPPP, Biologist.

Scope of Work: Seismic Retrofit of Bridge

RGW is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage DBE participation. Contact us for a specific item list.

Plans and Specs are available to view and copy at our office or the City of Union City Public Works, 34009 Alvarado Niles Road, Union City, CA 94587 (510) 675-5308. Contact Bill Shurbert at 925-606-2400 bill.shurbert@rgwconstruction.com for any questions, including bonding, lines of credit, or insurance or equipment or material suppliers. Subcontractors should be prepared to submit payment and performance bonds equal to 100% of their quotation. For bonding and other assistance, please call.

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SUB-BID REQUEST ADS

Sub-Bids Requested From Qualified DBE Subcontractors & Suppliers
For Construction on State Highway In
Los Angeles County In Baldwin Park And West Covina From 0.1 Mile West Of
Puente Avenue Undercrossing To 0.2 Mile East Of Hollenbeck Street Undercrossing
Project ID 070000085
Location: 07-LA-10-33.2/37.2 · Contract No. 07-1170U4
Bid Date: 12-19-2013 @ 2:00 PM

We have information about the plans, specifications, and requirements in our office located at 14425 Joanbridge Street, Baldwin Park, CA. Please call to arrange an appointment, our office hours are 8:00 am to 4:30 pm. Copying services are available.

Chumo Construction, Inc.
 14425 Joanbridge Street • Baldwin Park, CA 91706
 Phone: (626) 960-9502 • Fax: (626) 960-3887
 Contact: George Chumo

100% Performance and Payment Bonds with a surety company subject to approval of Chumo Construction Company, Inc. are required of subcontractors for this project. Chumo Construction will pay bond premium up to 1.5%. Subcontractors will be required to abide by terms and conditions of the AGC Master Labor Agreements and to execute an agreement utilizing the latest AGC Standard Long Form Subcontract incorporating prime contract terms and conditions, including payment provisions. Chumo Construction's listing of a Subcontractor is not to be construed as an acceptance of all of the Subcontractor's conditions or exceptions included with the Subcontractor's price quote. Chumo Construction requires that Subcontractors and Suppliers price quotes be provided at a reasonable time prior to the bid deadline to enable a complete evaluation. For assistance with bonding, insurance or lines of credit contact George Chumo at (626) 960-9502.

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REQUESTING SUB-QUOTES FROM QUALIFIED LBE, MBE, WBE & OBE SUBCONTRACTORS/SUPPLIERS FOR:

Boarding Area G A380 Improvements, Phase A · Contract No.: 8519A
Owner: City & County of San Francisco
Engineers' Estimate: \$2,000,000.
BID DATE: December 19, 2013 @ 2:00 PM

Items of work include but are not limited to: Survey, Utility Locate, Cold Plane, Trucking, Tack, Fence, Blast Fence, Airport Fuel Line, Striping, Electrical and Minor Concrete.

Granite Rock Company 'Graniterock' is signatory to Operating Engineers, Laborers, Teamsters, Carpenters and Cement Masons unions. 100% performance and payment bonds will be required from a qualified surety company for the full amount of the subcontract price. Bonding assistance is available. Graniterock will pay bond premium up to 1.5%. In addition to bonding assistance, subcontractors are encouraged to contact Graniterock Estimating with questions regarding obtaining lines of credit, insurance, equipment, materials and/or supplies, or with any questions you may have. Subcontractors must possess a current contractor's license, insurance and worker's compensation coverage. Subcontractors will be required to enter into our standard contract. Graniterock intends to work cooperatively with all qualified firms seeking work on this project. Granite Rock Company is an equal opportunity employer.

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IS SEEKING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED DVBE SUBCONTRACTORS & SUPPLIERS:

SANTA ANA COLLEGE – CAMPUS IMPROVEMENTS
PARKING LOT #11 / PLANETARIUM / PORTABLE VILLAGE
1530 W. 17th Street, Santa Ana, CA 92706

McCarthy Building Companies, Inc. is a General Contractor bidding the above project and is requesting a proposal from you for labor and/or material in your specialty of work.

SUBCONTRACTOR BIDS ARE DUE Monday, January 6th, 2014 at 2:00 PM.

THE PROJECT: A new 260,000 SF **Parking Lot #11** over 8.9-acres on an existing site including site demo/clearing, 4" AC Paving over 10" base & geotextile fabric, pavement markings & precast bumpers, fire lane concrete & pavers, sidewalks, landscaping, steel & masonry trellises with 6' deep caisson footings, signage, CCTV, bollards, & light poles, plus a large Daktronics digital sign with caisson footing, steel frame, framed plaster encasing. Shoring is required on C5.3 & Site Utilities includes 60" diameter perforated pipe with CDS units. The **Tessmann Planetarium** is an existing 4500 SF Building "M" with remodel work of interior demolition, hazardous abatement with specs & reports, new framed 1800 SF covered walkway, new framed 1000 SF restrooms, interior remodel of 2000 SF, and new roofing & metal panels plus 9,000 SF of sitework including storm drainage, hardscape, pavers, metal benches, stone plaque, masonry/precast monument sign & landscape. The **Portable Village** includes 28 portables, minor demo/clearing, temporary asphalt, small sidewalk areas, new signage, paint of units, chain-link gates, power hookup, fire alarm system, CCTV cameras and communications systems. The approximate construction value is \$8.0 million with an 5-month duration for the Parking Lot, a 6-month duration for the Portable Village, and an 8-month duration for the Planetarium.

Work categories include: Survey, Erosion Control, Demolition & Abatement, Shoring, Earthwork, Site Utilities, Fencing, AC Paving, Pavement Markings, Site Concrete, Pavers, Landscaping, Concrete, Rebar, Masonry, Steel, Carpentry, Fireproofing, Roofing, Sheet Metal, Doors-Frames-Hardware, Glass, Plaster-Drywall, Tile, Acoustical, Flooring, Painting, Signage, Toilet Accessories, Plumbing, HVAC Electrical/Fire Alarm/Low Voltage Communication Systems.

This is a prevailing wage project with an OCIP requirement.

Prequalification - All subcontractor bidders must be prequalified to participate in this bid. Contact Kevin Helgevoid at McCarthy Building Companies for Prequalification Form & instructions. Suppliers: A list of prequalified subcontractors is available upon request.


Bid Documents - An electronic CD of the bid documents is available upon request.

Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE)
 The District has adopted a Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Participation Program (DVBE), which includes businesses owned by Disabled Veterans. The District has established participation goals to attain 3 percent going to DVBE.

McCarthy is an equal opportunity employer and encourages DVBE participation.

A 100% Performance & Payment Bond will be required from an admitted surety for subcontracts over \$100,000. Upon request, subcontractors will be required to provide evidence of their ability to provide same within twenty-four (24) hours.


McCarthy Building Companies, Inc.
 Kevin Helgevoid x73392, Preconstruction Director
 20401 SW Birch Street, Suite 300, Newport Beach, CA 92660
 Phone: (949) 851-8383 • Fax: (949) 756-6841






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CM/GC 1 Project Subcontracting Opportunities

BUSINESS INFORMATION FORUM
 Monday, December 9, 2013 12 - 1:30 PM
Town And Country
 500 Hotel Circle North, San Diego, California 92108
Register at: <http://midcoastoutreach.eventbrite.com>
 Lunch will be provided.



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ABOUT THE PROJECT:
 The scope of work consists of providing CM/GC services for three projects (Mid-Coast Corridor Light Rail Transit, San Diego River Double Track, and the Elvira to Morena Double Track) projects. The first phase of the projects is called "Preconstruction Services" which is anticipated to begin Spring 2014 and run through Summer 2015.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
EMAIL:
Info.midcoast@stacywitbeck.com


POTENTIAL PRECONSTRUCTION SUBCONTRACTING OPPORTUNITIES:

We are looking for qualified DBE and UDBE firms to support the preconstruction tasks as noted in RFP Attachment 1, Section 1.0 Scope of Preconstruction Services.

Opportunities exist for both pre-construction and construction. Upon award of the contract, MCTC will develop work packages and conduct outreach events for subcontracting opportunities during construction.

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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CONSTRUCTION BIDS

EL DORADO COUNTY

REPLACE BRIDGE

1st reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: El Dorado, CA
Date: 1/29/14
Ref#: 03-0F2204
Description available through electronic services.
License Reqd: A
Estimate: \$6,000,000 - \$6,000,000
Owner: CA TRANSPORTATION, DEPART, DENISE SILVAS,
(916)227-6293
E:MAIL DENISE_SILVAS@DOT.CA.GOV

LASSEN COUNTY

CONSTRUCT HARDSTAND AND GRAVEL ROAD

Location: Herlong, CA
Date: 1/09/14
Ref#: W912GY14B0003
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: Department of the Army, Building 74, Herlong, CA, 96113-5009, Tamara Gage
SIC: 237310

SACRAMENTO COUNTY

REGION (1) SACRAMENTO RIVER, REQUIREMENT

1st reported in SBE: 11/14/13
Location: Sacramento, CA
Date: 12/23/13

Bid Date Extended from: 11/15/12
Ref#: W91238-14-R-0003
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: Department of the Army, 1325 J. Street, Sacramento, CA, 95814, Marsha Sells
SIC: 237990

REGION (2) DELTA, REQUIREMENTS, INDEFINI

1st reported in SBE: 11/14/13
Location: Sacramento, CA
Date: 12/23/13

Bid Date Extended from: 11/15/12
Ref#: W91238-14-R-0004
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: Department of the Army, 1325 J. Street, Sacramento, CA, 95814, Marsha Sells
SIC: 237990

REGION (3) SAN JOAQUIN, REQUIREMENTS, IN

1st reported in SBE: 11/14/13
Location: Sacramento, CA
Date: 12/23/13

Bid Date Extended from: 11/15/12
Ref#: W91238-14-R-0005
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: Department of the Army, 1325 J. Street, Sacramento, CA, 95814, Marsha Sells
SIC: 237990
SBSA

SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY

MCALLISTER ST PAVEMENT RENOVATION

Location: San Francisco, CA

Date: 12/18/13 2:30PM
Ref#: 2182J
Prebid Conf: 12/04/13 1:30PM
Description available through electronic services.
Duration: 210 Calendar Days License Reqd: A
Estimate: \$250,000
Owner: San Francisco C&Co, Ramon Kong, (415)554-8280
Goals: 25% LBE
sfdpw.org

SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY

WIDEN AND OVERLAY EXISTING HIGHWAY

1st reported in SBE: 11/14/13
Location: San Joaquin County, CA
Date: 12/18/13
Ref#: 10-0W1204
Description available through electronic services.
License Reqd: A
Estimate: \$8,600,000 - \$8,600,000
Owner: CA TRANSPORTATION, DEPART, DENISE SILVAS,
(916)227-6293
E:MAIL DENISE_SILVAS@DOT.CA.GOV

SANTA CLARA COUNTY

BRIDGE REPLACEMENT

1st reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Santa Clara, CA
Date: 1/28/14
Ref#: 04-235624
Description available through electronic services.

License Reqd: A
Estimate: \$14,000,000 - \$14,000,000
Owner: CA TRANSPORTATION, DEPART, DENISE SILVAS,
(916)227-6293
E:MAIL DENISE_SILVAS@DOT.CA.GOV

SONOMA COUNTY

VARIOUS PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS

Location: Sonoma, CA
Date: 6/30/14
Ref#: 20132014
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: CA CSU SONOMA STATE, JENIFER CRIST,
(707)664-3102
E:MAIL JENIFER.CRIST@SONOMA.EDU

TULARE COUNTY

REPAIR PAVEMENT AND OVERLAY WITH HMA SUP

1st reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Tulare, CA
Date: 12/18/13
Ref#: 06-0Q7704
Description available through electronic services.
License Reqd: A
Estimate: \$1,320,000 - \$1,320,000
Owner: CA TRANSPORTATION, DEPART, DENISE SILVAS,
(916)227-6293
E:MAIL DENISE_SILVAS@DOT.CA.GOV

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BIDS

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

SOURCES SOUGHT-PORT OF LA AND LARE MAINT

1st reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Date: 12/20/13
Bid Date Extended from: 3/12/13
Ref#: W912PL-14-S-0001
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: Department of the Army, P.O. Box 532711, Los Angeles, CA, 90053-2325, Lubna Khilfeh
SIC: 237990

SOURCES SOUGHT-FY 14 F-35 SQUADRON OPERA

1st reported in SBE: 9/12/13
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Date: 4/21/14
Bid Date Extended from: 3/14/13
Ref#: W912PL-13-S-0006
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: Department of the Army, P.O. Box 532711, Los Angeles, CA, 90053-2325, Sandy Oquita
SIC: 236220

BUSINESS SERVICES BIDS

ALPINE COUNTY

POND WATER TREATMENT OPERATION & MAINTEN

1st reported in SBE: 9/19/13
Location: Markleeville, CA
Date: 1/16/14
Ref#: 109376
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: CA GENERAL SERVICES, DEPA, LYNETTE MCINTYRE,
(916)375-4064
E:MAIL LYNETTE.MCINTYRE@DGS.CA.GOV

SACRAMENTO COUNTY

DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY VENDOR FORUM

Location: Rancho Cordova, CA
Date: 12/18/13
Ref#: VENDOR FORUM
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: CA CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT, RICHARD VANDERZANDEN,
(916)431-4288
E:MAIL RICHARD.VANDERZANDEN@STATE.CA.GOV

YUBA COUNTY

SOURCES SOUGHT-RFI - WASTEWATER TREAT-MEN

Location: Beale AFB, CA
Date: 1/13/14
Ref#: WWTP-26NOV13
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: Department of the Air For, Beale AFB, CA, 95903-1712, Robert Watts
SIC: 562998

robert.watts@us.af.mil

VARIOUS, CA

QUARTER 2 - OIL AND GAS WELL ABANDONMENT

1st reported in SBE: 10/24/13
Location: Various, CA
Date: 1/03/14
Ref#: 1310-004
Description available through electronic services.
License Reqd: A
Owner: CA CONSERVATION, DEPARTME, CHRISTINA DIXON,
(916)445-9686
E:MAIL CHRISTINA.DIXON@CONSERVATION.CA.GOV

STATEWIDE, CA

RFQP 12-001.3 CONTINUOUS APPLICATION PRO

1st reported in SBE: 9/19/13
Location: Statewide, CA
Date: 10/28/15
Ref#: RFQP 12-001.3
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: CA CALIFORNIA TECHNOLOGY, TIFFANY ANGULO,
(916)454-7299
E:MAIL TIFFANY.ANGULO@STATE.CA.GOV

CALIFORNIA, UNDETERMINED

THIRD PARTY ADMINISTRATOR

1st reported in SBE: 11/14/13
Location: Undetermined, CA
Date: 12/19/13
Ref#: 5000000096
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: CA TEACHERS' RETIREMENT S, VIKKI ESZLINGER,
(916)414-4890
E:MAIL PROCUREMENT@CALSTRS.COM

HEALTH CARE PROVIDER NETWORK AND THIRD P

1st reported in SBE: 10/24/13
Location: Undetermined, CA
Date: 12/31/13
Ref#: 12265
Prebid Conf: 11/01/13 8:00AM
Description available through electronic services.
Owner: CA CORRECTIONAL HEALTH CA, GARY L JOHNSON,
(916)691-4422
E:MAIL GARY.JOHNSON2@CDCR.CA.GOV



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EVENTS & SEMINARS

DECEMBER 11, 2013

FEDERAL/STATE BASIC PAYROLL

Ist reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Hawthorne, CA
Bid Date: 12/11/13 9:00AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Duration: 09:00AM-04:00PM
 CA SBDC, 13430 Hawthorne Blvd, Hawthorne, CA, 90250,
 (562)938-5020, Fax (562)938-5030
 sdo@pacela.org

ITAR TRAINING

Ist reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Santa Clarita, CA
Bid Date: 12/11/13 8:30AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Duration: 08:30AM-12:30PM
 CA SBDC, 26455 Rockwell Canyon Rd, Santa Clarita, CA,
 91355, (661)362-5900
 sdo@pacela.org

DECEMBER 12, 2013

SELL MORE TO GROW YOUR BUSINESS

Ist reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Chatsworth, CA
Bid Date: 12/12/13 9:30AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Duration: 09:30AM-12:30PM
 CA SBDC, 9207 Eton Ave, Chatsworth, CA, 91311,
 Ben Tenn, (661)362-5900
 sdo@pacela.org

LEGAL: INC., LLC, DBA

Ist reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Bid Date: 12/12/13 7:00PM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Duration: 07:00PM-09:30PM

CA SBDC, 3171 S Bundy Drive, Los Angeles, CA, 90066,
 Robert Klepa, (562)938-5020, Fax (562)938-5030
 workshops@smcsbdc.org

DECEMBER 13, 2013

BETTER EVENT MARKETING

Ist reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Hawthorne, CA
Bid Date: 12/13/13 9:00AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Duration: 09:00AM-11:00AM
 CA SBDC, 13430 Hawthorne Blvd, Hawthorne, CA, 90250,
 (562)938-5020, Fax (562)938-5030
 sdo@pacela.org

NEW CLIENT ORIENTATION

Ist reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Hawthorne, CA
Bid Date: 12/13/13 10:00AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Duration: 10:00AM-11:00AM
 CA SBDC, 13430 Hawthorne Blvd, Hawthorne, CA, 90250,
 Connie Sparks, (661)362-5900
 sdo@pacela.org

DECEMBER 15, 2013

ENTREPRENEURS TRAINING PROGRAM

Ist reported in SBE: 11/14/13
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Bid Date: 12/15/13 9:00AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/14/13
Duration: 09:00AM-05:00PM
 SBE Los Angeles, 767 N Hill St #400, Los Angeles, CA,
 Kerry Sity, (213)808-1754
 ksity@cscla.org

DECEMBER 17, 2013

HOW TO ESTIMATE START-UP COSTS

Ist reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Hawthorne, CA
Bid Date: 12/17/13 3:00PM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Duration: 03:00PM-05:00PM
 CA SBDC, 13430 Hawthorne Blvd, Hawthorne, CA, 90250,
 Nathaniel Jemison, (310)973-3177
 sdo@pacela.org

COVERED CA INFO SESSION-FOR INDIVIDUALS

Ist reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Hawthorne, CA
Bid Date: 12/17/13 7:00PM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Duration: 07:00PM-09:00PM
 CA SBDC, 13430 Hawthorne Blvd, Hawthorne, CA, 90250,
 David Patterson, (424)262-6176
 sdo@pacela.org

ENTREPRENEURS TRAINING PROGRAM

Ist reported in SBE: 10/24/13
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Bid Date: 12/17/13 9:07AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 10/24/13
Duration: 09:07AM-12:10PM
 PACE-WBC, 1055 Wilshire Blvd#900B, Los Angeles, CA,
 90010, Swann Do, (213)989-3275
 sdo@pacela.org

DECEMBER 19, 2013

COVERED CA INFO SESSION-FOR INDIVIDUALS

Ist reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Location: Hawthorne, CA
Bid Date: 12/19/13 7:00PM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/28/13
Duration: 07:00PM-09:00PM

CA SBDC, 13430 Hawthorne Blvd, Hawthorne, CA, 90250,
 David Patterson, (424)262-6176
 sdo@pacela.org

DECEMBER 22, 2013

ENTREPRENEURS TRAINING PROGRAM

Ist reported in SBE: 11/14/13
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Bid Date: 12/22/13 9:00AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 11/14/13
Duration: 09:00AM-05:00PM
 SBE Los Angeles, 767 N Hill St #400, Los Angeles, CA,
 Kerry Sity, (213)808-1754
 ksity@cscla.org

DECEMBER 24, 2013

ENTREPRENEURS TRAINING PROGRAM

Ist reported in SBE: 10/24/13
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Bid Date: 12/24/13 9:07AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 10/24/13
Duration: 09:07AM-12:10PM
 PACE-WBC, 1055 Wilshire Blvd#900B, Los Angeles, CA,
 90010, Swann Do, (213)989-3275
 sdo@pacela.org

DECEMBER 31, 2013

ENTREPRENEURS TRAINING PROGRAM

Ist reported in SBE: 10/24/13
Location: Los Angeles, CA
Bid Date: 12/31/13 9:07AM
 Description last reported in SBE: 10/24/13
Duration: 09:07AM-12:10PM
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 90010, Swann Do, (213)989-3275
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Corporate Supplier Diversity



AT&T is among the world's leading companies when it comes to identifying and doing business with diverse suppliers. Since 1968, the AT&T Global Supplier Diversity organization connects certified diverse minority, women, and disabled veteran-owned business enterprises (MBE, WBE and DVBEs) businesses with opportunities to provide products and services to AT&T around the world. Overview

AT&T's Global Supplier Diversity Program began in 1968 with the creation of AT&T's Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) Program. In addition to the MBE Program, AT&T's Women Business Enterprise (WBE) Program launched in 1980 and our Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) Program in 1993. These three programs have enabled us to provide the best products and services to our customers while expanding contracting opportunities with diverse businesses.

Website: www.att.com



Commitment to Supplier Diversity

To succeed in financial services, we must be committed to serving our diverse customers, team members, and suppliers. Therefore, we are committed to building relationships within our communities through the development and engagement of certified minority, women, disadvantaged, and small business enterprises as partners of Wells Fargo products and services.

Wells Fargo is committed to ensuring supplier diversity is integrated into our strategic sourcing and procurement processes to generate efficiency, innovation and increased opportunities for first- and second-tier diverse suppliers. We're committed to accomplishing this mission by establishing and supporting partnerships with the diverse business community, developing these businesses for growth, and engaging with community organizations that share our commitment.

We are further committed to monitoring our practices for effectiveness through performance goals and ensuring our commitment is emphasized by all levels of management and communicated to all team members and stakeholders.

We believe that together with our diverse suppliers, we can contribute to the long term economic sustainability of our communities.

Website: www.wellsfargo.com



Nielsen recognizes the tremendous purchasing power of minority and women-owned business enterprises (MWBES). Our Corporate Supplier Diversity Initiative helps us to maintain a competitive edge with these economic driving forces of the future.

It is the policy of Nielsen, through our Corporate Supplier Diversity Initiative to provide and increase procurement opportunities for certified minority and women-owned businesses. This goal is accomplished through inclusion of these businesses in our procurement process.

The role of Corporate Supplier Diversity is critical to the overall success of Nielsen, both in its procurement practices and its role as a corporate citizen. By providing economic development opportunities, Nielsen ensures its role as a leader within the communities it serves.

What is Supplier Diversity?

A strategic initiative that allows Nielsen to enhance its competitive position by:

- Enhancing the supply chain via increased competition.
- Strengthening the economy of the communities we serve and enhancing our market leadership position.
- Forming shared interests with key markets, promoting brand loyalty.
- Increasing market share by teaming with key business partners.

Website: <http://www.nielsen.com>



At Verizon, Diversity is about cultivating an inclusive organization that reflects the marketplace and the communities we serve. Our Supplier Diversity Program supports providing procurement opportunities to minority, women, veteran and service disabled veteran owned businesses (Diverse Suppliers) and also to small businesses.

Our Supplier Diversity Program has been in existence since we formed our Company, and we have prided ourselves on being a recognized leader in this area. We have a long standing corporate commitment of including Diverse Suppliers in our supply chain. Our mission is to identify certified Diverse Suppliers and drive the growth of diversity spend, while building sustainable value-added business partnerships.

Verizon is a charter member of the Billion Dollar Roundtable, a coalition of 18 corporations that spend more than \$1 billion each year with Diverse Suppliers. In 2012, Verizon purchased \$5.26 billion in goods and services with Diverse Suppliers, an increase of more than \$1.4 billion compared to 2011, bringing our total spending to more than \$20 billion over the past five years. As part of our ongoing efforts to assist small businesses, Verizon offers innovative and informative free resources, from webinars featuring leading business experts to the Verizon Small Biz Blog (www.verizon.com/smallbusinessblog) which offers helpful insights to grow profits, increase productivity and improve small businesses.

Website: www.verizon.com



Message from Supplier Diversity Leadership

Our mission is to form mutually beneficial partnerships with small and diverse businesses that allow us to deliver superior and innovative products and services and superb customer service, which ultimately increases shareholder value.

We are committed to creating effective competition utilizing all possible sources. We will actively seek targeted small and diverse businesses and provide them the opportunity to partner with The Home Depot to provide competitively priced, high quality goods and services to our customers.

"At The Home Depot, we seek to have suppliers who reflect the people we are in business to serve... our customers. We recognize the competitive advantage of a supplier base that is representative of the diversity of our associates, our customers, and the communities in which we operate," said Thomas Spahr, Vice President of Human Resources – Talent Management and Diversity. "A diverse supplier base helps us to better understand our customer's needs, drive innovation in our products and services and create value for our shareholders. If you believe you can help support these goals, we'd like to learn more about your business."

Website: <https://corporate.homedepot.com>



Mission

The National Minority Supplier Development Council advances business opportunities for certified Asian, Black, Hispanic and Native American business enterprises and connects them to corporate members. One of the country's leading corporate membership organizations, NMSDC was chartered in 1972 to provide increased procurement and business opportunities for minority businesses of all sizes.

The NMSDC Network includes a National Office in New York and 33 regional councils across the country. There are 3,500 corporate members throughout the network, including most of America's largest publicly-owned, privately-owned and foreign-owned companies, as well as universities, hospitals and other buying institutions. The regional councils certify and match more than 16,000 minority-owned businesses with member corporations which want to purchase their products and services.

Website: <http://www.nmsdc.org>



Who We Are

We believe that including diverse suppliers in our sourcing process provides us the greatest opportunity to develop the most innovative, highest quality, and most cost-effective business solutions. Through direct experience, we know this strengthens our company on the inside and supports communities on the outside. We strive to ensure that our business leaders have a broad understanding of the business case for working with diverse suppliers and the competitive advantage that a robust Supplier Diversity process provides the company. We invite you to be part of the magic!.

What We Do

We support The Walt Disney Company's diversity strategy by developing and leading a world-class Supplier Diversity process that:

- articulates the value of a robust supplier diversity process
- enables diverse suppliers to compete for sourcing opportunities
- facilitates a healthy, fact-based dialogue between Disney and external interest groups

Website: <http://thewaltdisneycompany.com>



Managing Diverse Suppliers and Vendors

CVM's approach to supplier diversity management leverages a unique technology platform, a high quality data of services and supplier program management services to improve program results, drive adoption and achieve corporate sourcing objectives. CVM's technology platform, Supplier Central, provides the technology platform that will increase the efficiency of collecting, monitoring and reporting on supplier information.

Supplier Central enhances an organization's ability to set an accurate baseline, collect and manage diversity data, set and monitor goals and identify a short list of qualified suppliers for diverse sourcing opportunities. Our technology provides the ability to manage supplier information more quickly and efficiently, enabling rapid delivery, continuous innovation and seamless integration with other systems.

By simplifying the management of supplier information and collaboration through the use of a supplier self-service portal, suppliers can manage and maintain their information on the web-based portal on an ongoing basis. The registration process prevents duplication of supplier information at the time of registration via unique business identifiers. The pre-qualification capabilities send alerts when a registered supplier meets pre-established criteria for doing business with your organization while monitoring supplier profiles to ensure they are current.

Website: <http://www.cvm solutions.com>



Corporate Supplier Diversity



Supplier Diversity

Formally launched in 1992, the UPS Supplier Diversity Process is committed to providing procurement opportunities to diverse suppliers interested in providing their products and services to UPS.

Why is UPS committed to supplier diversity? Simply put, because everybody wins. UPS broadens its access to the best suppliers around... while quality suppliers get new opportunities to grow their business.

UPS makes the following pledge to each and every diverse supplier:

- We will have designated people at the corporate, region and district offices to assume the responsibility for reviewing the business opportunities for your company's products and/or services.
- We will work with potential suppliers who qualify to do business with UPS and help them meet UPS's product specifications as well as ensure that the suppliers meet our quality, cost and delivery objectives.
- We will review your application and certification(s) as quickly as possible and inform you of potential business opportunities when available.

Website: www.ups.com



Diversity

Our guests and employees come from every part of the world. Our languages, religious beliefs, cultures and traditions are varied and may not be familiar to each of us. Our goal is that each person will feel respected and welcomed, and will sense our wish to understand and value each other's differences.

We will respect the customs and traditions of our guests and employees in all circumstances, except where doing so will either be a breach of law or create tensions or difficulties between or among people based on conflicts between their beliefs or traditions.

We will treat every employee with dignity and respect. We strive to be fair and just. We always endeavour to select and retain the best-qualified individuals based upon job-related qualifications and regardless of any protected group status under the law. This policy includes recruitment, selection, transfers, promotions, scheduling, training assignments, discipline, compensation, benefits and separation.

We will not permit intimidation, coercion or harassment of any kind.

Website: <http://www.fourseasons.com/>



How we help our partners.

The United States Postal Service® is committed to focusing on and improving our relationships with small, minority- and woman-owned businesses (SMWOBs). Through continuous improvement, we will work to improve our processes and procedures to ensure opportunities for all suppliers that provide the value-added products and services we need to increase customer satisfaction and decrease overall cost.

Areas of Responsibility

To maintain effective partnerships, the United States Postal Service will be responsible for:

- Providing technical advice, program guidance, and policy interpretation on Supplier Diversity issues.
- Acting as a liaison with industry and trade associations, government agencies, and special emphasis groups to develop and maintain a communication and information system on Small, minority-owned and women-owned business issues (e.g. Benchmarking Studies and Policy Updates).
- Participating in activities that promote supplier development and diversity. Activities include: business forums, workshops, seminars, symposiums, business opportunity fairs, and tradeshows.
- Assisting with strategic sourcing, identifying supply networks and providing useful sourcing tools.
- Collecting, analyzing, and reporting Quarterly Direct Awards and subcontracting data.
- Publishing materials that support supplier diversity. Examples: "Let's Do Business", "Supplier Diversity Terms", and "Supplier Diversity Plan".
- Coordination of program-related communication, publicity, and maintenance of supplier diversity information on the USPS® Intranet and Internet sites.

Website: www.usps.com



At Merck, we believe that having a diverse supplier base helps us better understand and anticipate the needs of the people we serve. That is why we cast a wide net in search of talent, seeking qualified suppliers from all segments of the global community. Our supplier diversity program includes large and small HUBZone, minority, women, veteran, and lesbian- and gay-owned business enterprises

Interested in becoming a Merck supplier? Here's what we'll expect from you:

We hold our suppliers to the same standards to which we hold our own employees. We expect our suppliers to:

- provide top-quality products and services along with the highest level of service;
- demonstrate that they are proactive, innovative and able to think strategically; and
- have acceptable third-party certification.

Website: www.merck.com

Benefits of being Certified

Certification Standards

Benefits of registering and receiving certification:

- Official recognition of your Women- or Minority-owned business enterprise (WMBE) status
- Promotion and visibility to the CPUC and sixteen major utilities
- Involvement frequent marketing and bid announcement events
- Faster contracting processes

Suppliers certified by the Clearinghouse are officially recognized by the CPUC and sixteen participating utilities which service the California market. Certification by the Clearinghouse of eligible suppliers was designed to encourage, recruit, and utilize WMBEs by participating utilities.

Via this registration and certification process and numerous marketing activities, events and bid announcements, participating utilities are informed and actively select from a certified suppliers list to meet procurement goals of 5% for women and 15% for minorities which were initially established under California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) issued General Order 156 (GO 156), and later expanded to include a goal of 1.5% for service-disabled veterans.

By participating your company is identified as an eligible, certified supplier in a centralized database used by many utilities to search for suppliers and when matched with a purchasing requirement, your certification speeds the contracting process.

Eligibility Standards

The applicant business concern must demonstrate with clear and convincing evidence that the minority and/or women unconditionally own 51% of the applicant concern and are responsible for the day-to-day as well as major decisions on matters of management, policy, and operations. The burden of proof lies with the applicant concern to demonstrate compliance with these WMBE eligibility standards.

General Order 156 WMBE Definitions

Public Utilities Code § 8281-8285 relates to women and minority business enterprises. The "Opinion Modifying Decision 88-09-024" defines WBE and MBE as follows:

§1.3.2 "Women-owned business" means (1) a business enterprise (a) that is at least 51% owned by a woman or women or b) if a publicly owned business, at least 51% of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and (2) whose management-and daily business operations are controlled by one or more of those individuals

§1.3.3 "Minority-owned business" means (1) a business enterprise (a) that is at least 51% owned by a minority individual or group(s) or (b) if a publicly owned business, at least 51% of the stock of which is owned by one or more minority groups; and (2) whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more of those individuals. The contracting utility shall presume that minority includes, but is not limited to, Black Americans, Hispanic Americans, Native Americans, Asian Pacific Americans, and other groups, as defined herein.

Ownership

1. An applicant concern must be one which is at least 51 % unconditionally owned by an individual(s) who is a citizen of the United States, including permanent resident alien(s). An individual applicant's U.S. citizenship or permanent residency status shall be established and substantiated by minimum threshold documentation. An individual applicant's claim that he/she is a member of a racial or ethnic minority group and is so regarded by that particular minority shall be established and substantiated by minimum threshold documentation.
2. In the case of an applicant concern which is a partnership, 51% of the partnership interest must be unconditionally owned by minorities or women. Such unconditional ownership must be reflected in the concern's partnership agreement.
3. In the case of an applicant concern which is a corporation, 51% of each class of voting stock and 51% of the aggregate of all outstanding shares of stock must be unconditionally owned in a manner that does not intrude upon the control of the company by the minorities or women.
4. The Clearinghouse will not find unconditional ownership of a concern on the basis of non-exercised stock options or other arrangements.
5. When determining ownership, the Clearinghouse will consider options to purchase stock held by non-minorities/male, or rights to convert non-voting stock or debentures held by non-minorities/male into voting stock, to have been exercised.
6. The minority or women owners shall enjoy the customary incidents of ownership and shall share in the risks and profits commensurate with their ownership interests, as demonstrated by an examination of the substance rather than form of arrangements. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

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Corporate Supplier Diversity



Chevron's Supplier Diversity/Small Business Program promotes an inclusive business environment for the benefit of the company and our suppliers. Program participants must provide proof of certification from the National Minority Development Council, the Women's Business Enterprise National Council, the U.S. Small Business Administration, and the National Gay and Lesbian Chamber of Commerce. We work with the following business concerns to develop innovative, cost-effective solutions that fuel our mutual growth:

- Small businesses
- Small disadvantaged businesses
- Small woman-owned businesses
- Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) Zone businesses
- Small veteran-owned businesses
- Small service-disabled veteran-owned businesses
- Certified woman-owned businesses
- Certified minority-owned businesses
- Certified Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender-owned businesses

Our Supplier Diversity/Small Business Program consists of:

- Utilization - We integrate strategies to include competitive sourcing opportunities.
- Training and education - We offer training and support for small, minority and women-owned businesses on how to do business with Chevron.
- Tracking - We monitor and report our progress towards achieving our program targets with emphasis on continuous improvement.
- Certification - We verify that businesses meet the criteria of ownership to qualify as a minority, woman-owned, small disadvantaged or HUB Zone certified firm. Certification workshops, training and partnerships with recognized certifying organizations help facilitate the process.
- Outreach - We seek out diverse suppliers through active involvement with small business and minority development organizations and participation in various trade shows.

Website: <http://www.chevron.com>



Microsoft's customers represent all of the people of the world, and we are committed to creating diversity in our supplier base that reflects this global diversity. We are strongly committed to supplier diversity, which includes seeking certified minority-, woman-, disabled-, and veteran-owned business enterprises from which to purchase competitively priced quality goods and services.

Website: www.microsoft.com



Goals and Objectives

We remain committed to seek and maintain such relationships as we strive to broaden our network of partners through a Supplier Diversity Program. This program is designed to encourage, recruit, and utilize certified diverse suppliers in each of our strategic sourcing projects and welcome minority-owned, woman-owned, and disabled veteran-owned businesses (MBE/WBE/DVBE). Our supplier diversity program is based upon guidelines established by the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) for regulated energy and telecommunication utilities.

American Water believes that a commitment to supplier diversity is good business and a benefit for the communities it serves. Many best in class companies show this commitment by developing a diverse supplier base within the communities in which they operate. Our expectation is that the expansion of the available vendor base will ultimately lead to lower procurement costs.

Learn more about our Supplier Diversity Program's Policy, Vision and Mission.

How to determine if you are a diverse supplier - If you own and operate a company that is 51% owned and operated by a minority, woman or disabled veteran, you may qualify to become certified as a diverse vendor. To obtain the application to become certified, please visit the web-site of the Supplier Clearinghouse at <http://www.thesupplierclearinghouse.com/>.

Insurance Requirements - California American Water maintains a safe work environment and we expect our vendor partners to do the same while performing work for us. Please be prepared to present your certificate of insurance showing what your current coverage is along with your certificate from the Supplier Clearinghouse when discussing business opportunities with us.

Website: www.amwater.com



At XO we value diversity and believe that it enhances our overall business performance by bringing together individuals' backgrounds, cultures, nationalities, lifestyles, points of view, approaches to problem solving, ways of working, and characteristics for success. We look to our employees to respect one another and to help create a diverse work environment in which each individual is empowered to contribute to his or her full potential.

We are committed to working with qualified applicants with disabilities and providing reasonable accommodations during the interview process. If you are having difficulty using our online application system as a result of your disability, you may request a reasonable accommodation by contacting the National Recruiting Organization at (855) 284-9521.

Website: www.xo.com



Supplier Diversity Program - Since 1981

PG&E is committed to providing diverse suppliers with economic opportunities to supply products and services required by PG&E.

We Reflect the Communities We Serve

A diverse supplier is defined as 51 percent owned by a woman, minority or disabled veteran (WMDVBE) who manages and controls the firm's day-to-day business operations. Firms must be located in the United States or its territories; and the owners must be U.S. citizens or legal permanent residents. Learn how to become a certified diverse supplier.

In 2012, PG&E achieved its highest level of diversity spending at \$2.1 billion or 38.8 percent. This percentage represents the fifth consecutive year PG&E surpassed the cumulative percentage established by the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) for procurement from diverse vendors. We met this goal both through contracting directly with diverse firms and through our prime contractors sub-contracting with diverse firms.

Website: www.pge.com



San Jose Water Company is located in one of the most diverse counties in California. Seeking to mirror its community, San Jose Water Company is committed to promoting diversity in both its workforce and procurement opportunities. Aligning with the California Public Utilities Commission, the company seeks to promote and expand its spending with small, minority, women and disabled veteran businesses.

Founded in 1866, San Jose Water Company is an investor owned public utility, and is one of the largest and most technically sophisticated urban water system in the United States. We serve over 1 million people in the greater San Jose metropolitan area with high quality, life sustaining water with an emphasis on exceptional customer service. SJWC also provides services to other utilities including operations and maintenance, billing, and backflow testing. By sharing these services with others, we provide a benefit to the local community, lower the cost of water operations, improve opportunities, and earn a profit.

SJWC is owned by SJW Corp., a publicly traded company listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol SJW. SJW Corp. also owns SJW Land Company, and SJWTX, Inc.

Website: www.sjwater.com



Building a World of Infinite Capabilities

Sprint believes competitive strength is achieved through a diverse group of people working together to find the best solutions, thus building a world of infinite capabilities.

Thanks to our diverse group of suppliers, Sprint continues to be a leader in the integrated communication industry.

Sprint will continue to connect people in ways they can't yet imagine through building mutually beneficial relationships with suppliers across the globe.

Website: www.sprint.com



Diversity is an integral part of who we are and how we operate. Our employees reflect the rich diversity of central and Southern California, and we play an active role within the diverse communities around us. At SCE, we believe diversity is about capitalizing on the strengths of everyone, empowering people, and promoting the human spirit.

Website: www.sce.com



PacifiCorp recognizes the importance of Diversity-owned Business Enterprises to the economies of the nation, the state, and the communities we serve as well as to our corporation. We're committed to pursuing business relationships with such enterprises and using innovative approaches to continually improve business opportunities. Our commitment is not philanthropic—these relationships must provide value both to PacifiCorp and to the diversity-owned business enterprises.

Our supplier diversity business development objectives are to:

- Actively and routinely, seek out qualified minority-owned, women-owned, disabled veteran-owned and small business enterprises that can provide competitive and high-quality commodities and services in a competitive market.
- Encourage participation and support of supplier diversity by major suppliers to PacifiCorp who are not minority-owned, women-owned, disabled veteran-owned and small business.
- Seek out opportunities to assist in the development and competitiveness of diversity suppliers through instruction, mentoring, and other outreach activities.

Website: www.pacificorp.com

PUBLIC LEGAL NOTICES



CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Contract No. 2143J (R)
(ID No. FCE14028)
BROADWAY TUNNEL
VENTILATION UPGRADE

Sealed bids will be received at 1155 Market Street, 4th Floor, San Francisco, California 94103 until **2:30 p.m. on December 18, 2013**, after which they will be publicly opened and read. Digital files of Bid Documents, Plan Holders Lists, and Addenda may be downloaded at no cost from the Department of Public Works (DPW) Electronic Bid Documents Download site at www.sfdpw.org/biddocs, or purchased on a CD format from 1155 Market St., 4th Fl, SF, CA 94103, telephone 415-554-6229, for a non-refundable \$15.00 fee paid by cash or check to "Department of Public Works". Please visit the DPW's Contracts, Bid Opportunities and Payments webpage at www.sfdpw.org for more information. Notices regarding Addenda and other bid changes will be distributed by email to Plan Holders.

The work to be done under this contract is located at the Broadway Tunnel between Hyde and Mason Sts. and consists of replacing two supply fans, refurbishing two existing supply fans, installing a new carbon monoxide (CO) sensor system, replacing the electrical feeder lines between the two tunnel ventilation rooms and installing a Building Management System (BMS). The time allowed for completion is 240 consecutive calendar days. The Engineer's estimate is in excess of \$1,060,000. For more information, contact the Project Manager, Raymond Lui at 415-558-4585.

This Project shall incorporate the required partnering elements for **Partnering Level 1**. Refer to Section 01 31 33 for more details.

Pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code (SFAC) Section 6.25, "Clean Construction" is required for the performance of all work.

The Specifications include liquidated damages. Contract will be on a Lump Sum Bid Items ba-

sis. Progressive payments will be made.

Bid discounts may be applied as per SFAC Chapter 14B. Subcontracting goal is **20% LBE**. Call Selormey Dzikunu at 415-558-4059 for details. In accordance with SFAC Chapter 14B requirements, all bidders, except those who meet the exception noted below, shall submit documented good faith efforts with their bids and must achieve 80 out of 100 points to be deemed responsive. Bidders will receive 15 points for attending the pre-bid conference. Refer to CMD Form 2B for more details. Exception: Bidders who demonstrate that their total LBE participation exceeds the above subcontracting goal by 35% will not be required to meet the good faith efforts requirements.

No pre-bid meeting for this contract.

For information on the City's Surety Bond Program, call Jennifer Elmore at (415) 217-6578.

A corporate surety bond or certified check for ten percent (10%) of the amount bid must accompany each bid. SFAC Sec. 6.22(A) requires all construction greater than \$25,000 to include performance and payment bonds for 100% of the contract award.

Class "A" or "C-20" license required to bid.

In accordance with SFAC Chapter 6, no bid is accepted and no contract in excess of \$400,000 is awarded by the City and County of San Francisco until such time as the Mayor or the Mayor's designee approves the contract for award, and the Director of Public Works then issues an order of award. Pursuant to Charter Sec. 3.105, all contract awards are subject to certification by the Controller as to the availability of funds.

Minimum wage rates for this project must comply with the current General Prevailing Wage as determined by the State Dept. of Industrial Relations. Minimum wage rates other than applicable to General Prevailing Wage must comply with SFAC Chapter 12P, Minimum Compensation Ordinance.

Right reserved to reject any or all bids and waive any minor irregularities.

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SANTA CRUZ

ADVERTISEMENT FOR CONTRACTOR PREQUALIFICATION

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, Santa Cruz sealed bids for a lump-sum contract are invited for the following work:

**MERRILL COLLEGE RENOVATIONS
PHASE 3, DORMITORIES C, D,
GUZMAN APARTMENTS
Project Number: 2637**

Description of Work: Construction of Merrill Renovations Phase 3 includes: (1) Maintenance and sustainability upgrades to Dormitory C and D; an addition of a hydraulic elevator at Dorm D; complete mechanical room renovation at C Dorm serving C and D dorms; full renovations of all bathrooms in C and D dorms; bathroom and laundry room accessibility in C and D dorms; (2) Sitework, including landscaping and site improvements adjacent to C and D Dormitories; (3) Demolition of Guzman Apartments and restoration of site.

Bid Deadline: Sealed bids must be received on or before **Wednesday, January 22, 2014 at 3:00 PM.**

Bids will be received only at:

Physical Planning and Construction,

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Santa Cruz
1156 High Street, Barn G, Contracts Trailer
Santa Cruz, CA 95064
831-459-2366 / 831-459-5540**

Bidders must attend a mandatory Pre-Bid Conference and Job Walk on **Wednesday, December 18, 2013** beginning promptly at **2:00 PM.**

To be eligible for consideration for award, bidders must have the minimum experience set forth in the Supplementary Instructions to Bidders. Bidders must submit qualifications documents as "Attachment A" with their bid forms.

**PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT:
<http://ppc.ucsc.edu> FOR THE TEXT OF THE
FULL ADVERTISEMENT AND INFORMATION ON HOW TO OBTAIN BID DOCUMENTS.**



GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE HIGHWAY & TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT

NOTICE INVITING REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS NO. 2014-FT-13, WETLAND RESTORATION DESIGN AND PERMITTING SUPPORT SERVICES AT CORTE MADERA ECOLOGICAL RESERVE

The Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transportation District (District) seeks proposals for **Request for Proposals (RFP) No. 2014-FT-13, Wetland Restoration Design and Permitting Support Services at Corte Madera Ecological Reserve**. Interested Proposers must submit sealed proposals to the Office of the Secretary of the District on **Tuesday, January 14, 2014, by 4:00 p.m., PT.**

The RFP Documents are available for download on the District's web site. To download the RFP Documents, go to the District's web site home page at www.goldengate.org, click on Contract Opportunities, scroll down to Ferry Division and look for 2014-FT-13.

The District hereby notifies all Proposers that it is the policy of the District to ensure nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the award and administration of contracts. The District has evaluated subcontracting opportunities for this contract and determined that such opportunities exist and has established an SBE goal of 8%. Bidders must meet the contract-specific SBE goal on this project or demonstrate good faith efforts to do so. For DBE/SBE assistance, contact Artemise Davenport, DBE Program Analyst, at (415) 257-4581.

To inspect and obtain RFP Documents, please contact the Office of the Secretary of the District, Administration Building, Golden Gate Bridge Toll Plaza, San Francisco, CA, by telephone at (415) 923-2223, by email at districtsecretary@goldengate.org, or by facsimile at (415) 923-2013.

/s/ Janet S. Tarantino,
Secretary of the District
Dated: December 5, 2013
12/5/13

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SMALL BUSINESS EXCHANGE

City and County of San Francisco Outreach Advertising 2013 - 12A

Newspaper Outreach Advertising Survey

The Board of Supervisors is evaluating the effectiveness of Outreach advertising. Was the information in this ad helpful and/or interesting to you? Please provide your comments at (415) 554-7710 or email board.of.supervisors@sfgov.org. Please include the publication name and date.

Notice of Availability of Request for Proposals (RFP)

Mayor's Office of Housing and Community Development (MOHCD) has announced the availability of the RFP for 2014-2015 programs under the following funding sources and program areas:

- Community Development Block Grant (CDBG): Capital Projects, HOPE SF Community Building Services, Housing Development and Public Space Improvements;
- Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS (HOPWA): Capital Projects; and
- General Fund: Capital Projects

The RFP is available electronically on MOHCD's website at www.sfmohcd.org. All proposals must be submitted electronically by 5:00pm on Monday, December 16, 2013. Please visit www.sfmohcd.org for more information.

Tell us where you need curb ramps!

Do you use a wheelchair, walker, or scooter? Do you have trouble getting to the nearest transit stop? You can make a request for a curb ramp in your area by calling 3-1-1. Just jot down the intersection and tell the 3-1-1 operator how a curb ramp would increase access for your neighborhood. There are approximately 50,000 curb ramp locations in San Francisco and we are trying to reach them all. We appreciate your help! This is a project of the Department of Public Works and the Mayor's Office on Disability.

From the Department of the Environment

Guess what? San Francisco has a website that tells you how and where to recycle almost anything! sfenvironment.org/recyclewhere

San Francisco Arts Commission

Join the San Francisco Arts Commission for a Town Hall meeting to learn more about its plans for the future. Director of Cultural Affairs Tom DeCaigny will present our vision for the next five years and our goals for getting there. You'll also have an opportunity to ask questions, share comments and provide input on priorities for arts-related policy in the City, on Sat., Dec. 14, 10-11:30am at the County Fair Building in Golden Gate Park. Visit sfartscommission.org.

SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT

AUXILIARY LAW ENFORCEMENT RESPONSE TEAM (ALERT)

The San Francisco Police Department has developed a volunteer citizen disaster preparedness program. The ALERT program will train members of the public to assist law enforcement in essential tasks after a major disaster. Such tasks may include: traffic control, foot patrol of business and residential areas, and reporting criminal activity. Volunteers must be at least 16 years of age and live, work, or attend high school in San Francisco.

ALERT volunteers will first complete the Fire Department's Neighborhood Emergency Response Team (NERT) training (www.sfgov.org/sfncert), and then graduate into an eight hour Police Department course specifically designed for ALERT team members. For a comprehensive overview, please visit our webpage at www.sanfranciscopolice.org/alert

Additional information can be obtained by emailing sfpdalert@sfgov.org, or by calling Sergeant Mark Hernandez (SFPD, Ret.), Coordinator, at (415) 401-4615.

The City and County of San Francisco encourage public outreach. Articles are translated into several languages to provide better public access. The newspaper makes every effort to translate the articles of general interest correctly. No liability is assumed by the City and County of San Francisco or the newspapers for errors and omissions.



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PUBLIC LEGAL NOTICES

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN FRANCISCO

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, San Francisco, sealed bids for a lump sum contract are invited for the following Work:

ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS PH 2A

Project No.: M2657 / Contract No.: L00437

DESCRIPTION OF WORK:

The project consists of the following:

- Add Automatic Transfer Switch (ATS) and distribution panel for HSE supply fan (first floor). Provide new feeders and modifications to existing feeders.
- Add ATS and distribution panel for HSE exhaust fans and fume hoods (roof). Provide new feeders and modifications to existing feeders.
- Add ATS for elevators. Provide new feeders and modifications to existing feeders.
- Add ATS and transformer for each of four existing power risers for automatic connection as Optional Standby system. Provide new feeders and modifica-

tions to existing feeders.

- Provide new emergency power and panelboards and related feeders in HSE and HSW.

- All related and necessary construction work needed to complete the improvements as described and listed above.

BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS: To be eligible for consideration of award, bidders must have the minimum experience set forth in the Supplementary Instructions To Bidders. Bidders must submit qualification documents as an attachment to the Bid Form.

PROCEDURES:

Bidding Documents will be available beginning **December 5, 2013 at 10AM** by requesting via e-mail to RFx@ucsf.edu with the following information: Company name, address, phone and fax nos. Please reference Project No. M2657 in the subject line. You will be sent an email with a link to register with the UC Supplier Registration and Sourcing (SRS) system in order to obtain the bidding document.

Bidders must attend a **mandatory** pre-bid conference at **10AM, December 12, 2013**. For details, see <http://www.cpfm.ucsf.edu/contracts/index.htm>

(Use the same website above to view complete Advertisement for Bids - Project Bidding Information).

Sealed bids must be received on or before **3:00 PM, January 14, 2014** using the UC SRS system accessible through <https://suppliers.sciquest.com/UCOP/>. Bids will be opened at **3:05 PM** at Minnesota St. Finance Service Center, University of California, San Francisco, 654 Minnesota Street, 2nd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94107. Phone: (415) 476-5343.

Prior to the Bid Deadline and after bid opening, the University may establish a new Bid Deadline no earlier than 24 hours from the prior Bid Deadline, if no material changes are made to the bidding documents, and no earlier than 72 hours if material changes are made. In such event the University will, at a minimum, notify all persons or entities known by the University to have received a complete set of Bidding Documents and who has provided a street address and/or facsimile number for receipt of any written pre-bid communications.

Every effort will be made to ensure that all persons have equal access to contracts and other business opportunities with the University within the limits imposed by law or University policy. Each Bidder may be required to show evidence of its equal employ-

ment opportunity policy. The successful Bidder and its subcontractors will be required to follow the non-discrimination requirements set forth in the Bidding Documents and to pay prevailing wage at the location of the work.

The work described in the contract is a public work subject to section 1771 of the California Labor Code.

The successful Bidder will be required to have the following California current and active contractor's license at the time of submission of the Bid:

LICENSE CLASSIFICATION:
Electrical Contractor AND

General Building Contractor

LICENSE CODE: C10 AND B

ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION COST:
\$5,500,000 to \$6,500,000.

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OF CALIFORNIA
University of California, San Francisco
November, 2013

UC SAN FRANCISCO MEDICAL CENTER

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, San Francisco Medical Center, sealed bids for a lump-sum contract from General Building Contractors are invited for the following work:

Moffitt Long (M/L) Ground Floor Distribution Panel A Replacement Project Number: 11-635, Contract Number: L00158

Description of Work: Replace 1950's era electrical panel "A" in the basement of UCSF Medical Center Moffitt Hospital; build new electrical closet for new panel. Project area is adjacent or near to the Hospital Pharmacy, Material Services and Sterile Processing Department. The project also includes replacement of various other sub-panels and motor control centers on various floors in Moffitt Hospital.

Estimated construction cost range: \$ 950,000 - \$1,100,000.

Bidder (General Building and 1st tier Electrical Subcontractor) Qualifications: To be allowed to submit a bid, Bidders must have the minimum experience and certify their firm has not been cited by the Medical Center for health, safety, infection control or interim life safety violations, set forth in the Supplementary Instructions To Bidders of the Bidding Documents.

Bidders must submit qualification documents in a sealed envelope on **Friday December 13, 2013 at 2 PM**, at: Office of Design and Construction, University of California, San Francisco, Medical Center, 3333 California Street, Suite 115, San Francisco, CA 94118. Phone: (415) 885-7257. Bidders will be notified whether or not they are allowed to submit a bid for this project **within five (5) business days** of the due date of the Contractor's Statement of Experience (Exhibit 13A or 13B).

Procedures: Bidding documents will be available on **Tuesday, December 3, 2013 at 10 AM**, and will be issued only at:

UCSF Documents, Media & Mail (UCSF-DMM)
1855 Folsom Street, Room 135

San Francisco, CA 94103

Contact Persons:

Ben La (415) 476-5030 (9AM – 5PM)
Customer Service Line (415) 514-2054
(before & after working hours)
Fax No. (415) 476-8278

Bidding Documents and complete advertisement can be viewed and may be ordered on line at the following website address: <http://www.ucsfplans.com/>

Bidders and 1st tier Electrical subcontractors must attend a **mandatory** pre-bid conference at **11 AM on Tuesday, December 10, 2013**. For details, see above website address.

Bids will be received only at Office of Design and Construction, University of California, San Francisco, Medical Center, 3333 California Street, Suite 115, San Francisco, CA 94118. Phone: (415) 885-7257.

Bid Deadline: Sealed bids must be received on or before **2:00 PM, Thursday, January 16, 2014**. And Bids will be opened after **2:05 P.M.**

Every effort will be made to ensure that all persons have equal access to contracts and other business opportunities with the University within the limits imposed by law or University policy. Each Bidder may be required to show evidence of its equal employment opportunity policy. The successful Bidder and its subcontractors will be required to follow the nondiscrimination requirements set forth in the Bidding Documents and to pay prevailing wage at the location of the work.

The work described in the contract is a public work subject to section 1771 of the California Labor Code.

The successful Bidder will be required to have the following California current and active contractor's license at the time of submission of the Bid: GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTOR, B

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CALIFORNIA
University of California, San Francisco Medical
Center
December, 2013



UCLA

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS ***MODIFIED PER ADDENDUM NUMBER 2*** (Re-Advertisement)

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, Los Angeles, sealed bids for a lump-sum contract are invited for the following work:

NORTHWEST CAMPUS AUDITORIUM AUDIOVISUAL RENOVATION Project Number CP063

DESCRIPTION OF WORK: Provide a complete audiovisual system for the Northwest Campus Auditorium per plans and specifications.

BIDDING DOCUMENTS:

1. Bidding Documents will be available beginning on October 25, 2013 and will be issued at:

ARC
2435 Military Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90064
Telephone (310) 477-6501
Website: <http://social.fordgraphics.com/>

2. Bidders may view the Bidding Documents online at the ARC PlanWell Public Plan Room, and purchase digital and/or hard copies of the Bidding Documents by contacting ARC as indicated above. All parties will make arrangements with and payment to ARC directly. (NOTE: Bidding Documents will not be issued at the University's office.)

BID DEADLINE: Bids will be received only at the following location:

Contracts Administration
University of California, Los Angeles
1060 Veteran Avenue, Suite 125
Box 951365
Los Angeles, California 90095-1365
310-825-7015

and must be received at or before:

2:00 p.m., January 3, 2014

MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCES & JOB WALKS:

A mandatory Pre-Bid Conference and mandatory Pre-Bid Job Walk will be conducted on November 5, 2013 beginning promptly at 10:00 a.m. and again on December 9, 2013 beginning promptly at 10:00 a.m. Only bidders who participate in at least one Conference and the Job Walk, in their entirety, will be allowed to bid on the Project as prime contractors. Participants must arrive at or before the above specified times. Persons arriving later than said time will not be allowed to bid on the

Project as prime contractors. Participants shall meet at Conference Room SP121 located at the Sproul Presidio Residence Hall, 251 Charles Young Drive West, UCLA Campus. For navigation applications enter: (34.072008, -118.449598). Parking is available at the Sunset Village (SV) parking structure, UCLA campus (refer to the online UCLA Campus Map at www.ucla.edu/map). For further information, contact Hank Knapp at 310-825-8515.

(NOTE: Bidders are advised that parking may be difficult. Bidders should allow ample time to drive to the above location in heavy traffic, find a parking space, walk to the building, and arrive in the designated Meeting Room prior to the required time. It is currently anticipated that the Conference/Job Walk will last at least 2 hours.)

LICENSE REQUIREMENTS: The successful Bidder will be required to have one of the following California current and active contractor's licenses at the time of submission of the Bid:

B License (General Building) or
C-07 License (Low Voltage Systems) or
C-10 License (Electrical Contractor)

PREQUALIFICATION: To be allowed to submit a bid, Bidders must have the minimum experience set forth in the Prequalification Questionnaire contained in the Bidding Documents and posted on the website listed below. Bidder's completed Prequalifi-

cation Questionnaire must be received at the above-listed University Contracts Administration office in a sealed envelope no later than:

3:00 p.m., December 11, 2013

NOTE: Only hard copy submittals will be accepted. Oral, telephonic, electronic mail (e-mail), facsimile, or telegraphic Prequalification Questionnaires are invalid and will not be accepted. Only University's Prequalification Questionnaire (and associated documents) will be accepted.

Every effort will be made to ensure that all persons have equal access to contracts and other business opportunities with the University within the limits imposed by law or University policy. Each Bidder may be required to show evidence of its equal employment opportunity policy. The successful Bidder and its subcontractors will be required to follow the nondiscrimination requirements set forth in the Bidding Documents and to pay prevailing wage at the location of the work.

The work described in the contract is a public work subject to section 1771 of the California Labor Code.

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS (AFTER PREQUALIFICATION)

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, San Francisco Medical Center, sealed bids for a lump-sum contract are invited for the following work:

Mt. Zion Cancer Center Linear Accelerator & Hyperthermia Replacement Project No.: 12-706 / Contract No.: L00160

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO MEDICAL CENTER

DESCRIPTION OF WORK:

Replacement of current Linear Accelerator with a University-furnished Elekta Linear Accelerator and installation of University-furnished BSD Hyperthermia equipment. The project is located on the ground floor of Mt. Zion Cancer Center with administrative spaces located directly above and involves complex mechanical scope of work.

ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION COST OF THIS PROJECT IS \$1,800,000 - \$2,100,000.

Procedures: Bidding documents will be available at Friday, December 6, 2013, and will be issued only at:

UCSF Documents, Media & Mail (UCSF-DMM)
1855 Folsom Street, Room 135

San Francisco, CA 94103
Contact Persons: Ben La (415) 476-5030
(9AM – 5PM)
Customer Service Line (415) 514-2054
(before & after working hours)
Fax No. (415) 476-8278

Bidding Documents and complete advertisement can be viewed and may be ordered on line at the following website address: <http://www.ucsfplans.com/>

The following contractors have been prequalified to bid on this project and the University will **ONLY** receive bids from the following:

General Contractors

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Colin Construction
Dome Construction
TCB Builders

Bidders must attend a **mandatory** pre-bid conference at **Tuesday, December 10, 2013, 8 AM**. For details, see above website address.

Bids will be received only at Office of Design and Construction, University of California, San Francisco, Medical Center, 3333 California Street, Suite 115, San Francisco, CA 94118. Phone: (415) 885-7257. **Bid Deadline:** Sealed bids must be received on or before **2 PM, Thursday, January 9, 2014**. And Bids will be opened after 2:05 P.M.

Prior to the Bid Deadline and after the bid opening, the University may establish a new Bid Deadline no earlier than 24 hours from the prior Bid Deadline, if no material changes are made to the bidding documents, and no earlier than 72 hours if material changes are made. In such event the University will, at a minimum, notify all persons or entities known by the University to have received a complete set of Bidding Documents and who has provided a street address or facsimile number for receipt of any written pre-bid communications.

Every effort will be made to ensure that all persons have equal access to contracts and other business opportunities with the University within the limits imposed by law or University policy. Each Bidder may be required to show evidence of its equal employment opportunity policy. The successful Bidder and its subcontractors will be required to follow the nondiscrimination requirements set forth in the Bidding Documents and to pay prevailing wage at the location of the work.

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The successful Bidder will be required to have the following California current and active contractor's license at the time of submission of the Bid: GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTOR, B

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Fictitious Business Name(s):
Bay Area Medical Transport Service
Address
110 Vernon Street, San Francisco, CA 94132
Full Name of Registrant #1
Bobbi Charles Atkins
Address of Registrant #1
248 San Fernando Way, Daly City, CA 94015

This business is conducted by **An Individual**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **11/12/13**

Signed: **Bobbi Atkins**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **11/12/2013**

Notice: This fictitious name statement expires five years from the date it was filed. A new fictitious business name statement must be filed prior to this date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name in violation of the right of another under Federal, State or Common Law

Filed: **Maribel Jaldon**
Deputy County Clerk
11/12/2013

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. A-0354912-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Holy Kitchen
Address
4166 24th Street, San Francisco, CA 94114
Full Name of Registrant #1
G&K Creations, Inc. (CA)
Address of Registrant #1
3015 Acton Street, Berkeley, CA 94702

This business is conducted by **A Corporation**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **Not Applicable**

Signed: **Indrajit Ghosh, President**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **11/14/2013**

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. A-0355065-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Journey For The Moment
Address
3150 18th Street, San Francisco, CA 94110
Full Name of Registrant #1
Charleen Casey Lerma
Address of Registrant #1
10 Gardenside Dr. Apt #4, San Francisco, CA 94131

This business is conducted by **An Individual**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **N/A**

Signed: **Charleen Casey Lerma**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **11/22/2013**

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. A-0354687-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Urban Chica
Address
2228 Union Street, Penthouse Office, San Francisco, CA 94123
Full Name of Registrant #1
ATLAS INSTITUTIONAL RE GRP INC.
Address of Registrant #1
2228 Union Street, Penthouse Office, San Francisco, CA 94123

This business is conducted by **A Corporation**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **11/1/2013**

Signed: **Herve Vatinel, CFO**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **11/1/2013**

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. A-0354820-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Your Green Source
Address
440 9th Street, 2nd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94103
Full Name of Registrant #1
Your Green Source LLC (CA)
Address of Registrant #1
440 9th Street, 2nd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94103

This business is conducted by **Limited Liability Company**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **11/8/2013**

Signed: **Dominique Carrigan, Owner**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **11/8/2013**

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. A-0354581-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Little Details Press
Address
2380 California Street #202, San Francisco, CA 94115
Full Name of Registrant #1
Alexandra Yakubov
Address of Registrant #1
2380 California Street #202, San Francisco, CA 94115

This business is conducted by **An Individual**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **10/28/2013**

Signed: **Alexandra Yakubov**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **10/28/2013**

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Filed: **Morgan Jaldon**
Deputy County Clerk
10/28/2013

10/31/13 + 11/7/13 + 11/14/13 + 11/21/13

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Fictitious Business Name(s):
Little Details Press
Address
2380 California Street #202, San Francisco, CA 94115
Full Name of Registrant #1
Alexandra Yakubov
Address of Registrant #1
2380 California Street #202, San Francisco, CA 94115

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Signed: **Alexandra Yakubov**

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Ownership

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- In the event that dividends are distributed, the individual(s) upon whom WMBE eligibility ownership is based, must receive at least 51% of the annual distribution of dividends paid on the voting stock of a corporate applicant concern.
 - In the event that stock is sold, the individual(s) upon whom WMBE eligibility is based must be entitled to receive 100% of the value of each share of stock in his/her possession.
 - In the event of dissolution of the corporation, the individual(s) upon whom WMBE eligibility is based must be entitled to receive at least 51% of the retained earnings of the concern and 100% of the value of each share of stock in his/her possession.
7. All securities which constitute ownership and/or control of a corporation for purposes of establishing it as a WMBE under this part shall be held directly by minorities or women.
 8. No securities held in trust, or by any guardian for a minor, shall be considered as held by the minority or women in determining ownership or control of a corporation.
 9. The contributions of capital or expertise by the minority or women owners to acquire their interests in the applicant concern shall be real and substantial and can be verified through objective documentation.
 10. The ownership of the applicant concern by the minority/women owner(s) must be substantiated by the documentation submitted.

Glossary of Terms

WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESS: A business enterprise that is at least 51% owned by a woman or women; or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51% of the stock of which is owned by one or more women, and whose management and primary daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

MINORITY-OWNED BUSINESS: A business enterprise that is at least 51% owned by a minority individual or group(s); or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51% of the stock which is owned by one or more minority groups, and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more of those individuals. The contracting utility shall presume that minority includes, but is not limited to, Black Americans, Hispanic Americans, Native Americans, Asian Pacific Americans, and other groups.

WMBE: A women-owned or minority-owned business enterprise; under these rules, the women and/or minorities owning such an enterprise should be either United States citizens or legal residence status in the U.S.

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BLACK AMERICANS: Persons having origins in any black racial groups of Africa.

HISPANIC AMERICANS: Persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, South or Central American, Caribbean, or other Spanish culture or origin.

NATIVE AMERICANS: Persons having origin in any original peoples of North America or the Hawaiian Islands, in particular, American Indians, Eskimos, Aleuts, and Native Hawaiians.

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CONTROL: Exercising the power to make policy decisions.

OPERATE: Being actively involved in the primary day-to-day management, not merely acting as officers or directors.

UTILITY: All electric, gas and telephone corporations with gross annual revenues exceeding twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000), and their Commission-regulated subsidiaries and affiliates.

SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP: A business which is owned and operated by one person.

PARTNERSHIP: An association of two or more persons to carry on as co-owners of a business for profit.

CORPORATION: A distinct legal entity formed by the authority of a state government and is separate from the individual(s) who own it.

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Minority Bank Deposit Program

Overview

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Americas United Bank

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Asian Pacific National Bank

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 San Gabriel, CA 91776
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Bank of the Orient

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 Phone: (415) 338-0672
 Fax: (415) 338-0741
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Community Commerce Bank

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First General Bank

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Pan American Bank

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 E-mail: contactus@pbbla.com
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ProAmerica Bank

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 Los Angeles, CA 90071
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 122244449
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 Fax: (213) 236-1102
 E-mail: frank.smith@proamericabank.com
 MC: 10

Saeahan Bank

Contact: Daniel Kim, EVP and CFO
 3580 Wilshire Boulevard, #600
 Los Angeles, CA 90010
 Routing and Transit (ABA) Number:
 122042069
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 Fax: (213) 389-5661
 E-mail: daniel.kim@saeahanbank.com
 MC: 30

Saigon National Bank

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 Officer
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 Westminster, CA 92683
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 Fax: (714) 338-8730
 E-mail: rmayer@saigonnational.com
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US Metro Bank

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 9866 Garden Grove Boulevard
 Garden Grove, CA 92844
 Routing and Transit (ABA) Number:
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Urban Infrastructure?

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3 — ENGINEERING SERVICES

4 — Location: ALAMEDA COUNTY, CA

5 — Date: 2/15/2014 3:00PM

6 — Prebid Conf: 2/5/14 9:00 AM MANDATORY

7 — Ref#: 09-397

8 — Engineering services for groundwater monitoring at the Woolworth Rd, Regional Solid Waste Facility.

9 — Duration: 260 working days

10 — Estimate: \$75,000

11 — Last Addn Rcvd: 1

12 — Owner: Department of Transportation Sue Jobe, (916) 456-9956

13 — Goal: 5% SBE

14 — Notes: 1.

15 — SBSA: reqs in writing or fax, 10% bid bond

16/17 — SIC: 1542 ###

18 — Docs Avail: Department of Transportation, Building E E-mail: pat_myers@dot.ca.gov

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