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Mayor Garcetti Launches Blue Ribbon Commission on Employment Equity



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Mayor Eric Garcetti has launched a Blue Ribbon Commission on Employment Equity, an alliance of private and public sector employers committed to providing opportunities for people who have been historically excluded from upwardly-mobile jobs.

The new commission, which held its first gathering today, is comprised of government agencies, non-profit organizations and private sector companies representing a range of industries. Inaugural members include the Los Angeles/Orange Counties Building & Construction Trades Council; Morgan Stanley; Sabio; Luxe; Isidore Electronics Recycling; the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles County; L.A. Kitchen; and the National Association of Women Business Owners.

"Everyone deserves the opportunity to be self-sufficient, provide for their families, and pursue the American Dream — no matter who they are, or where life has taken them," said Mayor Garcetti. "Circumstances should never define who you are. When people are denied an opportunity to make a fresh start, it drives up the personal, social, and economic costs of our criminal justice system. The members of my Blue Ribbon Commission on Employment Equity understand that, and we

are committed to making opportunity real in the lives of Angelenos who want to redefine themselves through integrity and hard work."

Members of the Mayor's Blue Ribbon Commission on Employment Equity have agreed to voluntarily refrain from criminal record inquiries until a conditional offer of employment is extended; refrain from asking job applicants about their credit history — unless the position is at the executive level or involves public safety or financial fiduciary responsibilities; and actively work to develop recruitment and "on-boarding" policies for populations that have been historically and disproportionately unemployed and underemployed, including those with criminal records.

Mayor Garcetti and the commission are addressing an employment and social problem of enormous scale.

About one in four adults in California has an arrest or conviction record, which creates significant barriers to employment. According to a recent study, up to 80% of Los Angeles employers are unwilling to hire formerly incarcerated individuals.

It's estimated that unwillingness to hire formerly incarcerated individuals costs the U.S. economy \$57 to \$65 billion in lost output every year. The state's average recidivism rate is 65 percent, but for individuals who secure jobs shortly after release, it drops to as low as 3 percent.

The Blue Ribbon Commission's builds on the work of the Mayor's Office of Reentry. Mayor Garcetti established the office last year to help formerly incarcerated Angelenos find stability, resources, employment, housing and reunification with their families — with the goal of reversing the cycle of long-term unemployment, instability and displacement.

Mayor Garcetti also signed the Equitable Workforce and Service Restoration Executive Directive, to remove barriers to employment faced by disconnected workers in transition — including those who have been unsheltered, veterans, at-risk youth, and individuals with criminal records.

MEMBERS OF THE MAYOR'S BLUE RIBBON COMMISSION ON EMPLOYMENT EQUITY

- Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles County
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- Sabio
- National Association of Women Business Owners
- Luxe
- Isidore Recycling
- Coalition for Responsible Community Development Enterprises
- The Actors' Gang
- Uber
- Sherman Oaks Chamber of Commerce
- Roberts Enterprise Development Fund
- CAP Alliance
- Interior Removal Specialists Inc.

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He Is The Richest Black Man In America... And Most People Don't Even Know His Name!

Robert F. Smith is the billionaire everyone is talking about, but nobody knew about just a few months ago. He is the 52-year-old founder of the private equity firm, Vista Equity Partners. Vista deals in the not-so-sexy category of enterprise software, which might be why he's flown under the radar until now. Smith was recently on the cover of Forbes richest Americans issue, which is how he came to our attention. His net worth of \$2.5 billion makes him number 268 on the list of the wealthiest Americans. It also makes him the second wealthiest African American behind Oprah Winfrey. But who is Robert F. Smith and how did he get so rich?

Robert F. Smith was born on December 1, 1962 in Denver, Colorado. He is a fourth generation Coloradan. His schoolteacher parents both have PhDs. When he was an infant, Smith's mother carried him at the March on Washington, where Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. gave his famous "I Have a Dream" speech. He grew up in a mostly African American middle class neighborhood in Denver.

Smith showed tenacity early in life. In high school, he applied for an internship at Bell Labs. The problem was, the program was for junior and senior college students only. Smith was undaunted. He called the H.R. Director at Bell Labs every



Robert F. Smith is the richest Black man in America

single day for two weeks. Then he cut back and just called every Monday for another five months. When an intern from M.I.T. didn't show up in June to start the internship, the H.R. Director finally called him back and Smith got the job. While interning at Bell Labs that summer, he developed a reliability test for semiconductors.

Smith got his B.S. Chemical Engineering from Cornell University and continued to work as an intern at Bell Labs during his summer and winter breaks from his undergraduate studies. After Cornell, Smith went on to Columbia University

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How NOT to Commit DBE Fraud

DBE fraud is a crime. It occurs when companies lie to government agencies about fulfilling DBE requirements in the contract. The easiest way to commit this crime is to funnel to yourself or non-DBEs money that the Government intended to go to legitimate DBEs.

Criminal prosecutors examine whether DBEs were performing a "commercially useful function," as a way of determining whether the general contractor, by itself or in a conspiracy with a non-DBE, committed a crime.

A DBE is performing a commercially useful function when it performs, manages, and supervises the subcontract work and orders and pays for the materials used. The term is defined in the Code of Federal Regulations. It can be found by referring to 49 C.F.R. § 26.55.

A DBE does not perform a commercially useful function if the DBE is merely an extra participant in a transaction, contract, or project, and funds are passed through the hands of the DBE to make it look like the DBE is actually doing the work.

Make sure, as a DBE, that you're responsible for the performance of a clearly defined and distinct element of work and that you're carrying out the

responsibilities by actually performing, managing, and supervising the work involved. Furnish all supervision, labor, tools, equipment, materials and supplies necessary. This isn't something that can be done just on paper. It must be the reality.

To figure out if you're performing a commercially useful function, evaluate the amount of work subcontracted and industry practices. Look at the specific duties you will perform because DBE, MBE/WBE participation is based upon an analysis of those duties. You must actually perform a substantial portion of the work described in any subcontract or agreement through the use of your own employees and equipment.

Fraud prosecutions often reveal that the DBE is performing only minor administrative or clerical tasks.

Federal regulations allow general contractors to count the entire DBE contract amount, including the costs of supplies and materials obtained by the DBE (even if the suppliers of the materials were non-DBE entities) toward the general contractor's DBE goal. So despite the fact that for any given contract the cost of materials may make up the majority of the contract amount, the entire contract amount could be credited towards the general

contractor's DBE goal, IF the DBE performed a commercially useful function. So keep detailed records concerning your suppliers or other sources of goods and/or services, and the specific financial or other risks you have assumed to perform the subcontract.

A note on joint ventures:

Participation of DBE, MBEs/WBEs as joint venture partners is based upon an analysis of the duties, responsibilities and risks undertaken by the DBE, MBE/WBE as spelled out by the joint venture's executed joint venture agreement. But keep in mind that an investigation will go beyond the agreement to discover the truth about the relationship. Don't be found to have duties and responsibilities that aren't consistent with or in proportion to your joint venture ownership. In plain English, if you're not actually in charge of the joint venture, you shouldn't be majority owner on paper (this theme comes up again in the context of DBE fraudulent certifications). Also, if you're not actually receiving a substantial portion of the revenue of the joint venture, or bearing a substantial amount of financial risk, then the joint venture agreement shouldn't specify otherwise.

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Success Stories

Exports Fuel American Dream at Minority- and Woman-Owned California Small Business

By **Nicole Woods,**
Export-Import Bank of U.S.

California power company's sales to sub-Saharan Africa grow with EXIM financing

Over the last 9 years, minority-and woman-owned business Combustion Associates Inc. (CAI) has significantly grown their business from a small domestic operation to one that generates the majority of its revenue from exports to sub-Saharan Africa, using financing from the Export-Import Bank of the United States (EXIM).

Established in 1989, the California-based company manufactures and customizes gas turbine power generation systems, bringing dependable electricity to customers from Western Africa to Eastern Asia to South America. CAI's generators and power plants provide a reliable supply of electricity to governments, businesses, schools, and communities where spotty access to power has often hamstrung economic growth.

"We are part of the American dream of owning a business, being entrepreneurial and creating American jobs," said Kusum Kavia, President of CAI.

Kusum and her husband Mukund were born in Kenya, raised in England, and immigrated to the United States, founding CAI in Corona, California 26 years ago. Beginning as environmental consultants, they moved on to engineering, manufacturing and installing their electrical power equipment and auxiliary systems.

Since utilizing EXIM to help finance their exports, the company has thrived, nearly doubling its workforce from 35 to 65 new employees. They are expanding their sales into Nigeria, Cameroon, Ghana, Benin and other parts of Africa as a direct result of EXIM support. CAI currently uses an EXIM credit insurance policy in order to eliminate the risk of nonpayment by foreign customers.

"EXIM gives CAI a huge competitive advantage in sub-Saharan Africa where we compete

daily with Asian competitors. We're grateful to have the many resources that EXIM Bank readily provides to our small business," said Kusum. "Although the need for CAI's power generation systems in sub-Saharan Africa is very high, we would not export there without EXIM's support. We consider EXIM Bank our safety net to protect and provide payment assurance."

Kusum's success has not gone unnoticed—her story was highlighted by President Obama during the August 2014 U.S.-Africa Business Forum and she now serves as a member of EXIM Bank's Advisory Committee, a group of customers and stakeholders that advises EXIM on its service, operations, and competitiveness.

Additionally, CAI has received numerous awards including the U.S. President's 'E' Award for excellence in exporting, and the 2016 Export Achievement Award presented at the 90th Annual World Trade Week in Los Angeles.

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COUNTYWIDE AC OVERLAY FY 15-16 • COUNTY OF SD - PROJECT NO. 1019604
SAN DIEGO, CA

****THIS PROJECT HAS A 3 % DVBE GOAL****
BID DATE: MAY 19, 2016 • BID TIME: 2:00 P.M.
Please respond by 5:00 p.m., MAY 17, 2016

We are seeking quotes from CERTIFIED DVBE including, but not limited to, the following work items: Roadside Signs, AC Dike, Aggregate, Concrete Supply, Construction Area Signs, Electrical, Erosion Control, Fence & Guardrail, Geosynthetic Reinforcement, Joint Seal, Minor Concrete, Misc. Iron & Steel, Overhead Sign Panels / Structures, Trucking, Railing, Reinforcing Steel, Soil Nail, Striping / Marking, Asphalt Supply, Asphalt Placement, Concrete Panel Replacement, Concrete Grinding, Asphalt Milling /Removal, Lead Compliance Plan, Traffic Control, Portable Changeable Message Sign, Prepare Water Pollution Control Program.

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If you have any questions, Please contact Marty Keane: Phone 858-536-3100, Fax 858-586-0164 or email estimating@coffmanspecialties.com.

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UUP STREET RESURFACING & CURB RAMP INSTALLATION
CITY OF SAN DIEGO - BID # K-16-1474-DBB-3

****THIS PROJECT HAS A 6 % SLBE & 9.1% ELBE GOAL****
BID DATE: MAY 24, 2016 • BID TIME: 2:00 P.M.
Please respond by 5:00 p.m., MAY 19, 2016

We are seeking quotes from CERTIFIED SLBE AND ELBE including, but not limited to, the following work items: Roadside Signs, AC Dike, Aggregate, Concrete Supply, Construction Area Signs, Electrical, Erosion Control, Fence & Guardrail, Geosynthetic Reinforcement, Joint Seal, Minor Concrete, Misc. Iron & Steel, Overhead Sign Panels / Structures, Trucking, Railing, Reinforcing Steel, Soil Nail, Striping/Marking, Asphalt Supply, Asphalt Placement, Concrete Panel Replacement, Concrete Grinding, Asphalt Milling /Removal, Lead Compliance Plan, Traffic Control.

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REQUEST FOR DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:
Mineta San Jose International Airport • Southeast Apron Reconstruction
City of San Jose
BID DATE: May 26, 2016 @ 3:00 PM

We are soliciting quotes for (including but not limited to): Trucking, SWPPP, Straw Wattle, Storm Drain Inlet Protection, Soil Binders, Geotextiles and Mats, Sample & Testing for PH & Turbidity, Traffic Control System, Airport Safety & Security, Lime Treatment, Dirt Export, Lean Concrete Base, Portland Cement Concrete Pavement, Taxiway Striping & Marking, Roadway Striping & Marking, and Construction Materials.

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 at <https://www.bidsync.com>.



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REQUEST FOR DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:
Rubberized hot mix asphalt (gap graded) resurfacing Hwy 237 – San Jose & Milpitas
Caltrans #04-3J5304
BID DATE: May 18, 2016 @ 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, Water Pollution Control Program, Sweeping, Noise Monitoring, Testing, Temporary Inlet Protection, Cold Plane AC, Clearing & Grubbing, Shoulder Backing, AC Dike, Data Core, Tack Coat, Striping & Marking, Ramp Metering System and Construction Materials

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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REQUEST FOR DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:
Hayward Executive Airport (HWD) Runway 10R-28L Pavement Rehabilitation and Markings
City of Hayward
City Project No. 6824
State Program No. CAAP #Ala-2-14-1
BID DATE: May 17, 2016 @ 2:00 PM

We are soliciting quotes for (including but not limited to): Trucking, Traffic Safety and Control, Testing, Runway Pavement Markings, Runway Grooving (Sawcutting), Adjust Utilities to Grade, Low Profile Closure Barricades, Taxiway Closure Marker, Erosion Control, Cold Plane Grinding and Construction Materials.

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REQUEST FOR DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:
Cold plane asphalt concrete pavement and RHMA overlay Hwy 980 Oakland
Caltrans #04-4J6104 • BID DATE: May 19, 2016 @ 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, Water Pollution Control Program, Sweeping, Noise Monitoring, Cold Plane AC, Shoulder Backing, Temporary Erosion Control, Preparing Inertial Profiler, AC Dike, Data Core, Tack Coat, Striping & Marking, Inductive Loop Detector, Testing and Construction Materials.

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California Sub-Bid Request Ads

Balfour Beatty Construction

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PROJECT: 500 Folsom, San Francisco (Transbay Block 9)
LOCATION: San Francisco, CA
SUBJECT: Invitation to Bid and Request for Bid Proposal

This Invitation to Bid shall service notice that Balfour Beatty Construction is requesting Subcontractor Bid Proposals on the 500 Folsom St, San Francisco Project.

BID DOCUMENT ISSUANCE DATE: Monday April 4, 2016

PRE-BID MEETING DATE: Monday, April 18, 2016 at 10:00am

PROPOSAL DUE DATE: Tuesday May 17, 2016, 12:00 noon

Location for Pre-Bid Meeting:
The San Francisco Main Library
Koret Auditorium Lower Level (Enter 30 Grove St., proceed down stairs)
100 Larkin St (at Grove), San Francisco, CA 94102

Balfour Beatty requests that your firm submit a Subcontractor and/or Supplier proposal for this project. Documents issued are 90% Construction Documents. Subcontractor awards will be made from this set of plans.

Balfour Beatty will issue Subcontractor Bid Forms that must be completed and signed by all bidders in addition to the Subcontractor's Scope of Work Proposal.

All proposals are to remain in effect for a minimum of 90 days.

TRADES BIDDING

underground utilities; trash chutes & trash management; final cleaning and window cleaning; landscape, irrigation & site furnishings; site concrete work; Masonry; Drywall; Lath & Plaster; cementitious panel (Taktl) rain screen; acoustical insulation; thermal insulation; roofing; waterproofing (below grade, terraces & decks); doors, frames, hardware; appliances; cabinetry; finish millwork; running trim; ceramic tile; countertops; painting; flooring; toilet and bath accessories; mirrors; closet shelving; window coverings; hot tub; accelerometers; bird control; scaffolding; flashing & architectural sheetmetal; miscellaneous steel; roll-up coiling doors; signage; fireproofing; acoustical ceilings; bike racks & lockers; bike fix-it stations; dog wash equipment; storage lockers; fire extinguishers; postal specialties; parking lot striping.

TRADES ALREADY AWARDED (not bidding, being issued documents for confirmation) mechanical HVAC; plumbing; electrical; fire protection sprinklers; surveying; shoring; excavation; dewatering; soil improvements; elevators; building maintenance equipment; structural concrete & reinforcing; stairs; solar PV, exterior glass & glazing systems (curtainwall & metal panels, terracotta, storefront, glass railings, etc).

PROJECT INFORMATION

This project is a residential rental apartment project. The project consists of 6 levels below grade parking, 9 level podium structure, 33 story tower for a total height of 42 stories plus roof.

Approximately 727,500 total gsf. 545 residential units. 283 parking spaces in the below grade garage.

Limited Retail Areas on Ground Level.

SCHEDULE INFORMATION

Project has commenced construction. The construction schedule will be provided with the documents to be issued.

Total project schedule is 39 months. The first 12 months of construction will be consumed by excavation, shoring and ground improvements before the mat can be poured and structure is started. Therefore your work will occur in late 2017 through mid 2020. This allows for adequate and efficient planning of work forces, material procurement, and allows you to secure plans for future work.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION (RFI)

Requests for information will be received until Close of Business Friday April 22. All questions regarding this project are to be addressed to Devin Durborow at Balfour Beatty Construction, ddurborow@balfourbeattyus.com, 510-903-2054. Devin will be responsible for assembly of questions, dissemination of questions to appropriate parties for answers, and dissemination of answers to Subcontractors. All questions are to be submitted directly to Balfour Beatty Construction. No questions will be allowed to be submitted by any Subcontractor or Supplier directly to any member of the Design Team.

DOCUMENT ISSUANCE

Documents will be issued to bidding Subcontractors from Balfour Beatty Construction through Building Connected. For any questions regarding Building Connected, please contact Devin Durborow, ddurborow@balfourbeattyus.com, 510-903-2054.

LOGISTICS

Balfour Beatty will provide a tower crane for construction of the superstructure. Use of the tower crane will be mostly for the structure operation, however will be controlled, coordinated and scheduled through the Project Superintendent. Use of the tower crane during normal business hours 7 am – 4 pm, Monday – Friday will be at no cost to subcontractor. Use of the tower crane beyond these hours will be at the expense of the subcontractor.

Balfour Beatty will provide a construction hoists during construction as required by Cal Osha. It is intended to utilize a dual hoist for the tower from Level 1 through roof, plus an additional single hoist for the podium from Level 1 through Level 9, plus a single hoist for the garage from Level 1 through Level B6. Balfour Beatty will also provide operated inside elevators upon dismantle and removal of the exterior construction hoists. Use of the hoists and elevators will be controlled, coordinated and scheduled through the Project Superintendent. Use of the hoists and elevators during normal business hours 7 am – 4 pm, Monday – Friday will be at no cost to subcontractor. Use of the hoists and elevators beyond these hours will be at the expense of the subcontractor.

SUBCONTRACTOR PREQUALIFICATION

All Subcontractors proposing on this project MUST complete the subcontractor prequalification process required by Balfour Beatty Construction. If you have already prequalified, great, however your prequalification must be current. If not, you must complete this prequalification in order to be considered for work on this project. Please coordinate with Devin Durborow for your prequalification status.

Balfour Beatty Construction

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Under the Partner tab is a drop down menu. Select "Subcontractors", then on the left hand side, select "Pre-Qualification". Should you have any questions about the status of your prequalification with Balfour Beatty Construction, please contact the prequalification department at 214-451-1777. Direct Link: <http://www.balfourbeattyus.com/Partners/Pre-qualification-1>

SIGNATORY REQUIREMENTS

This will be an ALL UNION project.

PRICE ESCALATION

Subcontractors and Suppliers are to include all cost escalations for labor and materials throughout the course of the project.

SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE GOAL

The project is subject to the Office of Community Investment and Infrastructure's (OCII) Small Business Enterprise (SBE) Policy. OCII has established a subcontracting participation goal for this project at 50 % SBE goal with first consideration in the following order: (1) Project Area SBEs/LBEs, (2) San Francisco-based SBEs/LBEs, and (3) Non-San Francisco-based SBEs will be utilized to satisfy the 50% SBE participation goal only if San Francisco-based SBEs/LBEs are not available, qualified, or if their bids or fees are significantly higher.

Balfour Beatty is requesting bids from qualified subcontractors that are certified as a Local Business Enterprise (LBEs) through the San Francisco Contract Monitoring Division (CMD) or as a SBE from another certifying agency.



McGuire and Hester

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Sub Bids Requested From Qualified MBE, WBE Subcontractors & Suppliers for
Alameda County Public Works - Cull Creek Dam Spillway Modification
Location: Castro Valley, Alameda County Project No. FC 2-198
Bid Date: May 20th, 2016 @ 2:00PM

McGuire and Hester is seeking qualified subcontractors in the following trades: SWPPP, fence (temporary and permanent), tieback anchors, concrete demolition, anti-graffiti coating, and landscaping.

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.



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Sub Bids Requested From Qualified DBE Subcontractors & Suppliers for
MacArthur Transit Community Partners - Plaza Improvements at MacArthur Transit Village
Location: Oakland, Alameda County • Bid Date: June 16, 2016 @ 10:00 AM

McGuire and Hester is seeking qualified subcontractors in the following trades: electrical, fencing, painting, sign panels, sheet metal, site furnishings, drainage pipe, concrete, reinforced steel, miscellaneous metals, aggregate base, and trucking.

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.



BROSAMER & WALL, INC.

An Equal Opportunity Employer
is requesting quotations from all qualified DBE
Professional services, sub-contractors, material suppliers and trucking for the following project:

BART EARTHQUAKE SAFETY PROGRAM AERIAL STRUCTURES
FRUITVALE STATION AND COLISEUM STATION

Contract No. 15PJ-130A

Bid Closing Date: 5/17/2016 @ 2:00 pm

DBE GOAL: 12%

Brosamer & Wall Inc.

1777 Oakland Blvd, Suite 300 • Walnut Creek, California 94596
PH: 925-932-7900 • FAX: 925-279-2269
Contact: Robert Rosas

PROJECT SCOPE:

The work in this Contract includes but is not limited to providing structural retrofit of pier foundations, columns and pier caps; demolition of selected existing facilities; shoring for excavation support; excavation; steel and concrete structure retrofit at girders, and stairs; drilling and bonding dowels in concrete; electrical work at piers and the main concourse, defined as the covered area between station entrances; architectural work at stairs and curtain walls, retrofit of escalator trusses, restoration of paving, striping, sidewalks, signage, traffic control, utilities. Optional work; such as breakrooms at Coliseum station and/or Fruitvale station may be included at the discretion of the District as described in the Contract Documents. Duration of Project is 1200 Calendar Days.

Note: This project includes a Buy America Clause and Owner Controlled Insurance Program (OCIP)

Subcontractors and Suppliers being solicited include but not limited to:

Construction Staking, Progress Schedule (CPM), Traffic Control System, Project Signs, Construction Area Signs, Construction Site Mgmt., Prepare SWPPP, Rain Event Action Plan, Storm Water Annual Report, Temporary SWPPP Devices, Street Sweeping, Temporary Concrete Washout, Temporary Fence (Type ESA), Abatement (Asbestos/Lead) & Demolition, Select Structure Concrete Removal, Pre-Stressing/Post Tensioning, Concrete Reinforcing, Concrete Reinforcing (Foundation), Cast-in-Place Concrete, Cast-in-Place Concrete (Foundation), Drill and Bond Dowels, Drill and Bond Dowels (Chemical Adhesive), Fiber Reinforced Polymer Column Casing, Structural Steel Framing, Architectural Work (Aluminum Walls, Glazing and Storefronts), Fire Suppression, Plumbing & HVAC, Electrical and Communication, Earthwork, Shoring and Underpinning for Safeguarding Structures, Asphalt Paving, Concrete Paving, Minor Concrete (Concrete Curbs, Gutters, and Walks), Signage and Pavement Markings, Chain Link Fences and Gates, Utilities, Building General Contractors for Breakroom(s) Optional Improvements, Temporary Fence, Trucking, Portable Toilets, Concrete Supply and Placement.

Requirements: Brosamer & Wall, Inc. will work with interested subcontractors/suppliers to identify opportunities to break down items into economically feasible packages to facilitate DBE Participation. Brosamer & Wall, Inc. is a union signatory contractor. Subcontractors must possess a current contractor's license, insurance coverage and worker's compensation for the entire length of the contract.

All subcontractors will be required to sign our standard Subcontract Agreement. 100% payment and performance bonds may be required. If you have any questions regarding this project or need assistance in obtaining/waiving insurance, bonding, equipment, materials and/or supplies please call or email Robert Rosas contact information below.

Plans and specifications can be viewed at our office located at 1777 Oakland Blvd Suite 300, Walnut Creek, Ca. 94596 or at the Districts Offices for plan room locations please call BART at 510-851-3174. B&W will also make plans electronically please email rrosas@brosamerwall.com for free online link. Brosamer & Wall INC., intends to work cooperatively with all qualified firms seeking work on this project. If you are interested in submitting a subcontractor bid for this project, you may contact Robert Rosas Chief Estimator at 925-932-7900 or fax us your quote at 925-279-2269. PLEASE SUBMIT A COPY OF YOUR CURRENT CERTIFICATION WITH YOUR BID. Subcontractors, Dealers/Suppliers and Brokers please provide your designation code to us on or before the bid date.

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California Sub-Bid Request Ads

DESILVA GATES CONSTRUCTION

11555 Dublin Boulevard • P.O. Box 2909 • Dublin, CA 94568-2909
(925) 829-9220 / FAX (925) 803-4263
Estimator: GARRY DAY • Website: www.desilvagates.com
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DeSilva Gates Construction (DGC) is preparing a bid as a Prime Contractor for the project listed below:

CANDLESTICK POINT / HUNTERS POINT SHIPYARD PHASE II REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT SUB-PHASES CP-02,03,04

Small Business Enterprise goal assigned is 50%

OWNER: LENNAR / CP DEVELOPMENT CO LP; HPS DEVELOPMENT CO LP
1 Sansome Street, Suite 3200, San Francisco, CA 94104

BID DATE: MAY 27, 2016 @ 5:00 P.M.

We hereby encourage responsible participation of local Small Business Enterprises/Local Business Enterprises, and solicit their subcontractor or materials and/or suppliers quotation for the following types of work including but not limited to:

WET UTILITIES (STORM DRAIN, SANITARY SEWER, LOW PRESSURE WATER LINE, HIGH PRESSURE WATER LINE)

Plans and specifications may be reviewed at the following locations:

- At the Construction Assistance Program (CAP) located at 690 Hudson Avenue, Trailer B, San Francisco, CA 94124 phone number (415) 549-7393.
- At our office located at 11555 Dublin Boulevard, Dublin, CA 94568 or reviewed and downloaded from the ftp site at <ftp://ftp%25desilvagates.com:f7pa55wd@pub.desilvagates.com> (if prompted the username is [ftp@desilvagates.com](ftp://ftp%25desilvagates.com) and password is [f7pa55wd](ftp://ftp%25desilvagates.com)).

Information is also available on the City and County of San Francisco's website at <http://mission.sfgov.org/ocbidpublication/#close> and on the OCII website at <http://mission.sfgov.org/OCABidPublication/BidDetail.aspx?K=10834>

The deadline for questions is May 17, 2016 at 5:00 PM. A pre-bid meeting will be held on May 12, 2016 at 10:00 AM located at Building 101, 101 Horne Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94127.

Fax your bid to (925) 803-4263 or email it to gday@desilvagates.com to the attention of Estimator Garry Day. If you have questions for the Estimator, call at (925) 361-1587.

If you need support services and assistance in obtaining bonding, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies or related assistance or services, for this project call the Estimator at (925) 361-1587. DGC is willing to breakout portions of work to increase the expectation of meeting the SBE/LBE goal.

At our discretion, 100% Payment and 100% Performance bonds may be required as a subcontract condition. This will be a PREVAILING WAGE JOB and subject to the Project Labor Agreement (PLA). DGC is an equal opportunity employer.

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Estimator: ZACK HARWELL • Website: www.desilvagates.com
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DeSilva Gates Construction (DGC) is preparing a bid as a Prime Contractor for the project listed below:

CALTRANS ROUTE 980 – CONSTRUCTION ON STATE HIGHWAY IN ALAMEDA COUNTY IN OAKLAND ON ROUTE 980 FROM 0.2 MILE WEST OF 11TH STREET OVERCROSSING TO 30TH STREET OVERCROSSING, Contract No. 04-4J6104,

Federal Aid Project ACNHPI-980-1(005)E, Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Goal Assigned is 14%

OWNER:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
1727 30th Street, Bidder's Exchange, MS 26, Sacramento, CA 95816

BID DATE: MAY 19, 2016 @ 2:00 P.M.

DGC is soliciting quotations from certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises, for the following types of work and supplies/materials including but not limited to:

AC DIKE, COLD PLANE, CONSTRUCTION AREA SIGNS, ELECTRICAL, EMULSION SUPPLIER, LEAD COMPLIANCE PLAN, PREPAVING INERTIAL PROFILER, STRIPING, SWPPP/WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PLAN PREPARATION, TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL, TRUCKING, WATER TRUCKS, STREET SWEEPING, EROSION CONTROL MATERIAL, HOT MIX ASPHALT (TYPE A) MATERIAL, RUBBERIZED HMA (OPEN GRADE) MATERIAL.

Plans and specifications may be reviewed at our offices located at 11555 Dublin Boulevard, Dublin, CA or 7700 College Town Drive, Sacramento, CA, or at your local Builders Exchange, or reviewed and downloaded from the ftp site at <ftp://ftp%25desilvagates.com:f7pa55wd@pub.desilvagates.com> (if prompted the username is [ftp@desilvagates.com](ftp://ftp%25desilvagates.com) and password is [f7pa55wd](ftp://ftp%25desilvagates.com)) or from the Owner's site at www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/weekly_ads/all_adv_projects.php

Fax your bid to (925) 803-4263 to the attention of Estimator Zack Harwell. If you have questions for the Estimator, call at (925) 829-9220. When submitting any public works bid please include your DUNS number and DIR number. For questions regarding registration for DIR use the link at: www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/PublicWorks.html

If you need DBE support services and assistance in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies or related assistance or services, for this project call the Estimator at (925) 829-9220, or contact your local Small Business Development Center Network (<http://californiasbdc.org>) or contact the California Southwest Transportation Resource Center (www.transportation.gov/osdbu/SBTRCs). DGC is willing to breakout portions of work to increase the expectation of meeting the DBE goal.

At our discretion, 100% Payment and 100% Performance bonds may be required as a subcontract condition. This will be a PREVAILING WAGE JOB. DGC is an equal opportunity employer.

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Estimator: ZACK HARWELL • Website: www.desilvagates.com
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DeSilva Gates Construction (DGC) is preparing a bid as a Prime Contractor for the project listed below:

CALTRANS ROUTE 237 – CONSTRUCTION ON STATE HIGHWAY IN SANTA CLARA COUNTY IN SAN JOSE AND MILPITAS FROM NORTH FIRST STREET

OVERCROSSING TO 0.1 MILE WEST OF ROUTE 237/880 SEPARATION,
Contract No. 04-3J5304,

Federal Aid Project ACHSHP-P029(124)E Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Goal Assigned is 15%

OWNER: STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

1727 30th Street, Bidder's Exchange, MS 26, Sacramento, CA 95816

BID DATE: MAY 18, 2016 @ 2:00 P.M.

DGC is soliciting quotations from certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises, for the following types of work and supplies/materials including but not limited to:

AC DIKE, CLEARING AND GRUBBING/DEMOLITION, COLD PLANE, CONSTRUCTION AREA SIGNS, ELECTRICAL, EMULSION SUPPLIER, LEAD COMPLIANCE PLAN, STRIPING, SWPPP/WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PLAN PREPARATION, TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL, TRUCKING, WATER TRUCKS, STREET SWEEPING, EROSION CONTROL MATERIAL, HOT MIX ASPHALT (TYPE A) MATERIAL, RUBBERIZED HMA (OPEN GRADE) MATERIAL.

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Estimator: Bob Ciccarelli • Website: www.desilvagates.com
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DeSilva Gates Construction (DGC) is preparing a bid as a Prime Contractor for the project listed below:

HAYWARD EXECUTIVE AIRPORT (HWD) RUNWAY 10R-28L PAVEMENT REHABILITATION AND MARKINGS – CITY PROJECT NO. 6824

STATE PROGRAM NO. CAAP #ALA-2-14-1,

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE GOAL ASSIGNED IS 7.3%,

ENGINEER ESTIMATE \$2,590,000,

NO. CALENDAR DAYS: 114

OWNER:

City of Hayward Department of Public Works

777 "B" Street, Hayward, CA 94541-5007

BID DATE: May 17th, 2016 @ 2:00 P.M.

DGC is soliciting quotations from certified Disadvantage Business Enterprises, for the following types of work and supplies/materials including but not limited to:

Adjust Survey Monument, Electrical, Pavement Grooving, Pavement Milling, Striping, Temporary Erosion Control, Trucking, Water Trucks, Street Sweeping, Hot Mix Asphalt (Marshall Mix) Material.

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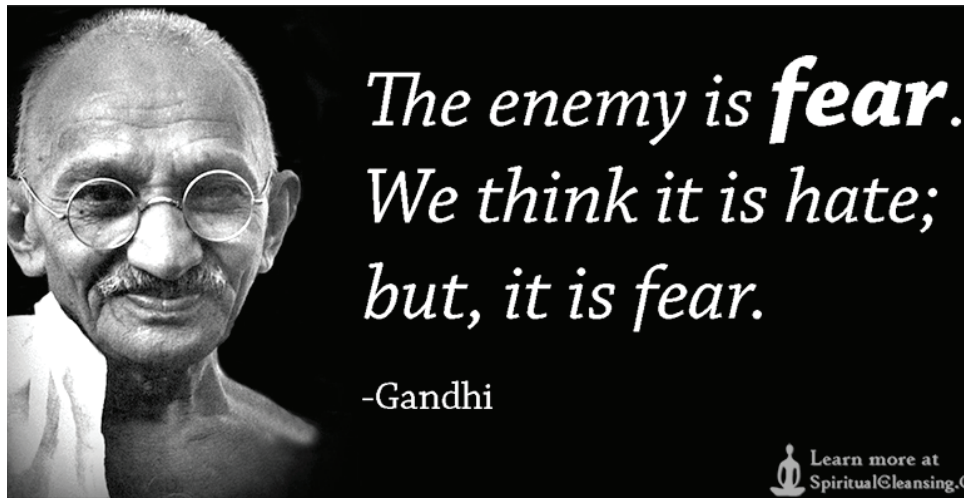
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Chinese Exclusion Act (1882)

The Chinese Exclusion Act was the first major law restricting immigration to the United States. It was enacted in response to economic fears, especially on the West Coast, where native-born Americans attributed unemployment and declining wages to Chinese workers whom they also viewed as racially inferior. The Chinese Exclusion Act, signed into law on May 6, 1882, by President Chester A. Arthur, effectively halted Chinese immigration for ten years and prohibited Chinese from becoming US citizens. Through the Geary Act of 1892, the law was extended for another ten years before becoming permanent in 1902.

After the Gold Rush of 1849, the Chinese were drawn to the West Coast as a center of economic opportunity where, for example, they helped build the first transcontinental railroad by working on

the Central Pacific from 1864 to 1869. The Chinese Exclusion Act foreshadowed the immigration-restriction acts of the 1920s, culminating in the National Origins Act of 1929, which capped overall immigration to the United States at 150,000 per year and barred Asian immigration.

The law was repealed by the Magnuson Act in 1943 during World War II, when China was an ally in the war against imperial Japan. Nevertheless, the 1943 act still allowed only 105 Chinese immigrants per year, reflecting persisting prejudice against the Chinese in American immigration policy. It was not until the Immigration Act of 1965, which eliminated previous national-origins policy, that large-scale Chinese immigration to the United States was allowed to begin again after a hiatus of over 80 years.

Source: <http://ocp.hul.harvard.edu/immigration/exclusion.html>

He Is The Richest Black Man In America

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to get his MBA. Once that was accomplished, he headed right to Wall Street and a job at Goldman Sachs. From 1994 to 2000, Smith, as co-head of enterprise systems and storage investment banking, advised on \$50 billion in tech merger and acquisition deals.

In 2000, Smith left Goldman Sachs and launched Vista Equity Partners. In the 15 years since then, Vista has grown to nearly \$16 billion in assets and generated insane returns for its investors. Vista has delivered a whopping 31 percent average annual rate of return to its investors since 2000.

The fund's success is all in Smith's strategy. Unlike other Silicon Valley investors who look to fund the next hot startup, Smith takes a decidedly utilitarian approach to investing. He intentionally invests in Silicon Valley's lesser known companies. He seeks out software and technology companies that aren't at all flashy. Smith has kept Vista's focus on the unglamorous sector of enterprise software and technology. Vista is currently valued at \$4.3 billion. Smith controls a majority stake in his firm.

Smith may take a non-flashy approach to investing, but his personal life is about as flashy as flashy gets. This summer, Smith married former Playboy Playmate of the year, Hope Dworaczyk. The couple got married in a lavish, over-the-top ceremony that included private performances from John Legend, Seal, and Brian McKnight. Legend serenaded the bride as she walked down the aisle and the couple danced their first dance as man and wife under a custom light display that read "Mr. and Mrs. Smith." Smith and his 30-year-old bride married on Italy's Amalfi coast. The couple rented out the Hotel Villa Cimbrone for the star-studded event.

Smith is also Chairman of the Robert F. Kennedy Center for Justice and Human Rights, Member of the Cornell Engineering College Council, and a Trustee of the Boys and Girls Clubs of San Francisco. He is a Board Member of Carnegie Hall and an avid fly fisherman.

Source: <http://www.africanglobe.net>



29TH Annual Juneteenth BUSINESS AWARDS LUNCHEON

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Thursday June 16 2016

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Please Submit your proposals by fax, email or delivered to our office

Is requesting proposals from all certified DVBE/LBE/SBE Subcontractors & Suppliers for the following project:

PROJECT: Mission Dolores - Mission Dolores 15th Street, San Francisco

BID DATE/TIME: June 8th, 2016 @ 3:00 PM

BID WALK: OPTIONAL - Thursday, May 26th, 2016 @ 10:00 AM located at the project site.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Mission Dolores is an existing 91-unit multifamily apartment complex that is located on 15th Street between Dolores and Guerrero Streets in San Francisco. The Project was built in 1967 and consists of one seven to ten-story high rise structure. This senior/disabled residential property includes 68 studios and 23 one-bedrooms, two elevators, a community room, laundry room and 14 parking spaces in an on grade gated parking lot.

The primary scope of work will include life safety and accessibility improvements, modernization or replacement of original building systems and equipment, unit renovations, energy use reduction, and modifications to the ground floor common areas. Common area scope include modernization of the two elevators, renovated office area, community room and kitchen, laundry room upgrades, signage throughout, new maintenance room and trash room, common area finishes, lighting and roof replacement. The primary scope of work at the residential units includes remodeling existing kitchens and bathrooms, providing new finishes, door hardware, and windows.

The project is slated to start October 3, 2016 and be complete by January 12, 2018. This is a **phased and occupied project**.

**PREVAILING WAGE RATES • PROJECT LABOR AGREEMENT
CERTIFIED PAYROLL • 26% SBE MIN GOAL**

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

Plans are available to view at the Fine Line Construction office by appointment OR at the following drop box link:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/wj72lkkkxnc7gtp/AAAEuci8G5GVILIC17zcMOVNa?dl=0>

Plans are also available at the following plan rooms:

Builders Exchanges (San Francisco; Peninsula; Marin; Alameda, Contra Costa, Stockton, Central CA, North Coast, Sacramento Region, Valley Contractors).

ARC San Francisco in the public plan well (<http://www.e-arc.com/ca/sanfrancisco/bryant>).

Trades Needed (but not limited to): EXISTING CONDITIONS DEMOLITION; CONCRETE; MASONRY; METALS; WOOD AND PLASTICS; THERMAL & MOISTURE PROTECTION; DOOR & WINDOWS; FINISHES; SPECIALTIES; EQUIPMENT; FURNISHINGS; CONVEYING SYSTEMS; PLUMBING; HVAC; ELECTRICAL; COMMUNICATIONS; ELECTRONIC SAFETY; EARTHWORK; EXTERIOR IMPROVEMENTS

****Subcontractors bids MUST be accompanied by a 10% Bid Security in the form of: (a) Certified or Cashier's check made payable to Fine Line Construction or (b) With an Original Bid Bond executed by the bidder. Payment and Performance may be required of selected subcontractors. Please provide bonding rate on scope letters.****

Fine Line Construction is a signatory to the Carpenter's and Laborer's Collective Bargaining Agreements. Successful Subcontractor will be expected to execute a standard Fine Line Construction Subcontract Agreement.

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PROJECT: 3850 18th Street - 3850 18th Street, San Francisco

BID DATE/TIME: June 9th, 2016 @ 3:00 PM

BID WALK: OPTIONAL - Thursday, May 26th, 2016 @ 11:30 AM located at the project site.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: 3850 18th Street is an existing 107-unit multifamily apartment complex located in the middle of the block of 18th Street between Sanchez and Church Streets in San Francisco. The Project was built in 1971 and consists of two 5-story mid-rise structures which extend through the block with an entrance on 18th Street and another on Dorland Street. The property is a senior/disabled oriented building with 88 studios and 19 one-bedrooms; contains two elevators (one per building), a community room, laundry room and 12 parking spaces in a gated basement level parking garage.

The primary scope of work will include life safety and accessibility improvements, modernization or replacement of original building systems and equipment, unit renovations, energy use reduction, and modifications to the ground floor common areas. Common area scope include modernization of the two elevators, renovated lobby reception and office area, community kitchen and laundry room upgrades, signage throughout, site work, landscaping, trash room improvements, common area lighting and roof replacement. The primary scope of work at the residential units includes remodeling existing kitchens and bathrooms, providing new finishes, door hardware, and windows.

The project is slated to start October 3, 2016 and be complete by November 15, 2017. This is a **phased and occupied project**.

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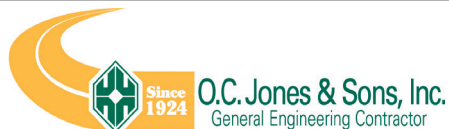
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Contact: Jean Sicard • An Equal Opportunity Employer

REQUEST FOR DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:
Hwy 132 Repair Pavement and Install ITS Elements - San Joaquin County near Vernalis
Caltrans #10-0G8204 • **BID DATE: June 9, 2016 @ 2:00 PM**

We are soliciting quotes for (including but not limited to): Trucking, Lead Compliance Plan, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control System, Type III Barricade, Portable Changeable Message Sign, Portable Radar Trailer, SWPPP, Storm Water Annual Report, Sweeping, Treated Wood Waste, Bird Exclusion Devices, Asbestos Surveying, Sample and Analysis, Adjust Utilities to Grade, Cold Plane AC, Clearing & Grubbing, Shoulder Backing, Subgrade Enhancement Geotextile Class A1, Rubber Mat, Erosion Control, Hydromulch, Straw, Compost, Sand Cover (Seal), Asphaltic Emulsion (Flush Coat), Precoated Screenings, Preparing Inertial Profiler, Preparing Grinding, AC Dike, Rumble Strip-Ground-in, Asphalt Rubber Binder, Concrete Pavement, JPCP, Data Core, Tack Coat, Individual Slab Replacement, Crack and Seat, Isolation Joint Seal (Silicone), CIDH Concrete Pile, Structural Concrete, Paving Notch Extension, Joint Seal, Sign Structure, Roadside Signs, Concrete Backfill, Crash Cushions, Channelizers, Reinforced Concrete Pipe, Minor Concrete, Delineator, Object Marker, Midwest Guardrail System, Concrete Barrier, Transition Railing, End Anchor Assembly, Striping & Marking, Communication Conduit, Microwave Vehicle Detection System, Electrical and Construction Materials

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.

D&H Construction is requesting subcontractor and supplier bids for a project at

350 Ellis Street in San Francisco, CA.

Scope: Rehabilitation of a 13-story, 96-unit apartment building with Type I construction. The work will consist of hazmat abatement, upgrades (bath, kitchen, flooring), a common area and office remodel, new windows, roofing, upgrades for HVAC, new fire sprinkler install, electrical upgrades, landscaping, site work, and minor addition at the rear yard.

Requirements: Project Labor Agreement, prevailing wage requirements, HUD Section 3, and City and County of San Francisco First Source hiring.

Job Walk: Tuesday, May 24, 2016, 10:00AM

Bid Due Date: Friday, June 3, 2016, 2:00PM

Bid Documents: Bid documents available at <https://app.box.com/s/sk1nt4khp6d0f4lualyjlwlibovt9d7up> (free download) or the San Francisco's Builders Exchange.

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OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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INVITATION TO BID

1. Notice is hereby given that the governing board ("Board") of the Oakland Unified School District will receive sealed bids for the following: **Project No., 15128**

**RE-Bid-Elmhurst Community Prep –
Field Replacement
1800 98th Avenue, Oakland, CA 94603**

2. Sealed Bids will be received until **2:00 p.m., on Thursday, May 19, 2016**, at the District Office, located at **900 High Street, Front Desk, Oakland, California**, at or after which time the bids will be opened and publicly read aloud. Any claim by a bidder of error in its bid must be made in compliance with section 5100 et seq. of the Public Contract Code. Any bid that is submitted after this time shall be non-responsive and returned to the bidder.

3. The Project consists of:

Clear and grub of existing turf area, fencing demolition and modifications, stockpile and reuse of existing DG infield materials, and modification of existing irrigation to accommodate new construction. New construction of 2" synthetic turf multi-purpose field with drainage pad, stone base and subsurface drainage, concrete edge bands, perimeter DG and bituminous walkways with redwood headers. Installation and maintenance of sod at edge conditions to meet existing turf.

4. **Engineer's Estimate: \$600,000.00.**

5. Project Manager for this project is **Hector De Leon**, he can be reached at **(510) 535-7041**.

6. All bids shall be on the form provided by the District. Each bid must conform and be responsive to all pertinent Contract Documents, including, but not limited to, the Instructions to Bidders.

7. To bid on this Project, the Bidder is required to possess one or more of the following State of California Contractor Licenses:

**Class A – General Engineering and /or
Class B – General Building Contractor**

The Bidder's license(s) must be active and in good standing at the time of the bid opening and must remain so throughout the term of the Contract.

8. As security for its Bid, each bidder shall provide with its Bid form:

- bid bond issued by an admitted surety insurer on the form provided by the District,

- cash, or

- cashier's check or a certified check, drawn to the order of the Oakland Unified School District, in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total bid price. This bid security shall be a guarantee that the Bidder shall, within seven (7) calendar days after the date of the Notice of Award, enter into a contract with the District for the performance of the services as stipulated in the bid.

9. The successful Bidder shall be required to furnish a 100 % Performance Bond and a 100% Payment Bond if it is awarded the contract for the Project.

10. The successful Bidder and its subcontractors shall pay all workers on the Project not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and the general prevailing rate for holiday and overtime work as determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations, State of California, for the type of work performed and the locality in which the work is to be performed within the boundaries of the District, pursuant to sections 1770 et seq. of the California Labor Code. Prevailing wage rates are available from the District or on the Internet at: <<http://www.dir.ca.gov>>. Bidders and Bidders' subcontractors shall comply with the registration and qualification requirements pursuant to sections 1725.5 and 1771.1 of the California Labor Code.

11. The successful Bidder may substitute securities for any monies withheld by the District to ensure performance under the Contract, in accordance with the provisions of section 22300 of the Public Contract Code.

12. Effective January 1, 2015: The Oakland Unified School District has the duty to notify Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) when awarding a contract for a public works project over one thousand dollars (\$1,000), using the online Contractor's Affidavit form. This requirement, found in Labor Code Section 1773.3, now applies to ALL public works projects.

Effective March 1, 2015: NO contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project unless registered with DIR.

Effective April 1, 2015: NO contractor or subcontractor may work on a public works project unless registered with DIR.

13. A **MANDATORY** pre-bid conference and site visit will be held on **Thursday, May 12, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. at Front Entrance, Elmhurst School Site**. All participants are required to sign in at the Site Visit. The **Site Visit** is expected to take approximately **[1] hour**. Failure to attend or tardiness will render bid ineligible.

14. Contract Documents are available on **Friday, April 8, 2016**, for review at **East Bay Blue Print, located at 1745 14th Avenue, Oakland, CA 94606**. All requests should be addressed Attention: Sandy. Plans can be ordered by:

Ph: 510-261-2990 Fax: 510-261-6077

Email: ebbp@eastbayblueprint.com, Attn: Sandy
Online using the Plan Command system at www.eastbayblueprint.com or plans can be delivered to a place of business, at requester's own expense. Payment for plan sets must be made with East Bay Blue Print and are **NON-REFUNDABLE**.

In addition, Contract Documents are available for review at the following builders' exchanges:

Builder's Exchange of Alameda County
McGraw Hill Construction Data
San Francisco Builder's Exchange
Reed Construction Market Data
Contra Costa Builder's Exchange
Marin Builder's Exchange

15. The District's Board has found and determined, pursuant to Resolution 1415-0161, approved and adopted on February 11, 2015 and incorporated herein by this reference, that specific materials, products, things, or services ("Designated Products") shall be used on District projects based on the purpose(s) indicated in Resolution 1415-0161, as applicable. (Public Contract Code section 3400(c).) The Designated Products are designated by specific brand or trade name, as more fully set forth in Resolution 1415-0161, for the following purpose(s):

A. In order to match other products in use on a particular public improvement either completed or in the course of completion; and/or

B. In order to obtain a necessary item that is only available from one source.

16. The District's Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and/or waive any irregularity in any bid received. If the District awards the Contract, the security of unsuccessful bidder(s) shall be returned within sixty (60) days from the time the award is made. Unless otherwise required by law, no bidder may withdraw its bid for ninety (90) days after the date of the bid opening.

17. **Project Labor Agreement:** The District has entered into a Project Labor Agreement with Building and Construction Trade Council of Alameda County, AFL-CIO.

18. The District shall award the Contract, if it awards it at all, to the lowest responsive responsible bidder based on: The base bid and Allowance amount only



CALIFORNIA LOTTERY

Invitation for Bid (IFB) #50060
Maintenance and Batteries for
Uninterrupted Power Source Units

The California State Lottery (Lottery) is inviting responses from qualified vendors to provide maintenance, repairs, inspections, technical support and battery replacement on five Uninterrupted Power Source (UPS) units at the Lottery Headquarters and Distribution Centers. At the time of submission, bidders must have: a minimum of five years of experience working on Liebert UPS and Shadow Wave Rider Emergency Lighting UPS units; a valid C10 (Electrical) license; legally authorized to do business in the State of California; and meet all other qualification and certifications required in the solicitation.

Copies of the solicitation are be available at calottery.com/Vendors.

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Blue Ribbon Commission

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- Lyft
- Anti-Recidivism Coalition
- Homeboy Industries
- Northeast Worksource Center
- UCLA Labor Center
- Black Worker Center
- Friends Outside LA
- Chrysalis
- Revolve Impact
- A New Way of Life
- Los Angeles Regional Reentry Partnership
- The Reverence Project
- New Earth Life
- Roy Willis & Associates
- Inside Out Writers
- Communities in Schools
- Five Keys Charter Schools
- LA Voice
- Amity Foundation
- Lyrics From Lockdown
- Black Business Association
- UCLA African-American Studies Department
- Arts for LA
- L.A. Kitchen

Source: <http://www.lamayor.org>

SUB-BID REQUEST AD



9685 Via Excelencia, Ste 200 • San Diego, CA 92126
Phone: (858) 536-3100 • Fax: (858) 586-0164
Email: estimating@coffmanspecialties.com

COUNTYWIDE SLURRY SEAL RESURFACING FY 15-16
COUNTY OF SD - PROJECT NO. 1019341 / BID NO. 7389
SAN DIEGO, CA

****THIS PROJECT HAS A 3% DVBE GOAL****
BID DATE: MAY 26, 2016 - BID TIME: 2:00 P.M.
Please respond by 5:00 p.m., MAY 20, 2016

We are seeking quotes from CERTIFIED DVBE including, but not limited to, the following work items: Roadside Signs, AC Dike, Aggregate, Concrete Supply, Construction Area Signs, Electrical, Erosion Control, Fence & Guardrail, Geosynthetic Reinforcement, Joint Seal, Minor Concrete, Misc. Iron & Steel, Overhead Sign Panels / Structures, Trucking, Railing, Reinforcing Steel, Soil Nail, Striping / Marking, Asphalt Supply, Asphalt Placement, Concrete Panel Replacement, Concrete Grinding, Asphalt Milling/Removal.

Coffman Specialties, Inc. is signatory to Operating Engineers, Laborers, Teamsters, Cement Masons and Carpenters unions. Quotations must be valid for the same duration as specified by the Owner for contract award. Insurance and 100% Payment & Performance Bonds will be required, and will pay up to 1.5% for the cost of the bond. Waiver of Subrogation will be required. We will provide assistance/advice with obtaining Bonds/Insurance/Credit/Equipment. Subcontractors must provide contractor's license number and Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) registration number with their quote. Plans and specs are available at no cost to interested DVBE firms from the County of San Diego website using the Project ID # 1019341 / Bid No. 7389 and/or our San Diego Office. We are an EOE & seriously intend to negotiate with qualified firms.

If you have any questions, Please contact Marty Keane: Phone 858-536-3100, Fax 858-586-0164 or email estimating@coffmanspecialties.com.

Non-DVBE Subs/Suppliers: Indicate 2nd tier participation offered on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. For any bid proposal submitted on or after March 1, 2015 and any contract for public work entered into on or after April 1, 2015, the following registration requirements apply: Every Subcontractor is required to be registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 of the Public Contract Code. No Contractor or Subcontractor shall be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal pursuant to Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, unless currently registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5. No bid shall be accepted nor any subcontract entered into without proof of the Subcontractor's current registration to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5. If used in our Bid, Coffman Specialties requires this proof be submitted w/in 24 hours of Bid Date.

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Fictitious Business Name

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370741-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Chapel by the Sea
 Address
3434 17th Street, San Francisco, CA 94110
 Full Name of Registrant #1
**Duggan's Funeral Service,
 a California Corporation**
 Address of Registrant #1
3434 17th Street, San Francisco, CA 94110

This business is conducted by **A Corporation**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **2/11/2006**

Signed: **Steven J. Welch**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **4/29/2016**.

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: **Fallon Lim**
Deputy County Clerk
4/29/2016

5/5/16 + 5/12/16 + 5/19/16 + 5/26/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370740-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
College Chapel Mortuary
 Address
**3434 17th Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94110**
 Full Name of Registrant #1
**Duggan's Funeral Service,
 a California Corporation**
 Address of Registrant #1
**3434 17th Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94110**

This business is conducted by **A Corporation**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **5/26/2002**

Signed: **Steven J. Welch**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **4/29/2016**.

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Deputy County Clerk
4/29/2016

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370621-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
1.) Early Girl Press
2.) Early Girl Studio
 Address
**65 Norfolk Street #5,
 San Francisco, CA 94103**
 Full Name of Registrant #1
Kristin Murtagh
 Address of Registrant #1
**65 Norfolk Street #5,
 San Francisco, CA 94103**

This business is conducted by **An Individual**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **4/16/2016**

Signed: **Kristin Murtagh**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **4/25/2016**.

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Filed: **Jennifer Wong**
Deputy County Clerk
4/25/2016

4/28/16 + 5/5/16 + 5/12/16 + 5/19/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370756-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
IMPACTO PENTECOSTES
 Address
**2 Sadowa Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94112**
 Full Name of Registrant #1
Jose Alberto Corado
 Address of Registrant #1
**14 Naglee Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94112**

This business is conducted by **An Individual**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **4/16/2016**

Signed: **Jose Alberto Corado**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **5/2/2016**.

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Filed: **Jennifer Wong**
Deputy County Clerk
5/2/2016

5/5/16 + 5/12/16 + 5/19/16 + 5/26/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370767-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
La Loma Produce #8
 Address
**2840 Mission Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94110**
 Full Name of Registrant #1
Arturo Martinez
 Address of Registrant #1
**17 Amberwood Cir.,
 South San Francisco, CA 94080**

This business is conducted by **An Individual**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **5/3/2016**

Signed: **Arturo Martinez**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **5/6/2016**.

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Filed: **Sonya Yi**
Deputy County Clerk
5/3/2016

5/12/16 + 5/19/16 + 5/26/16 + 6/2/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370546-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Sweet Candles and Gifts
 Address
**835 Junipero Serra Blvd.,
 San Francisco, CA 94127**
 Full Name of Registrant #1
Catherine Cheng
 Address of Registrant #1
**835 Junipero Serra Blvd.,
 San Francisco, CA 94127**

This business is conducted by **An Individual**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **4/18/2016**

Signed: **Catherine Cheng**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **4/18/2016**.

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Filed: **Jennifer Wong**
Deputy County Clerk
4/18/2016

4/21/16 + 4/28/16 + 5/5/16 + 5/12/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370739-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
The Duggan Welch Family
 Address
**3434 17th Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94110**
 Full Name of Registrant #1
**Duggan's Funeral Service,
 a California Corporation**
 Address of Registrant #1
**3434 17th Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94110**

This business is conducted by **A Corporation**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **1/1/1974**

Signed: **Steven J. Welch**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **4/29/2016**.

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: **Fallon Lim**
Deputy County Clerk
4/29/2016

5/5/16 + 5/12/16 + 5/19/16 + 5/26/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370623-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Visioneer Financial
 Address
**4221 Mission Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94112**
 Full Name of Registrant #1
Monica A. Tracht
 Address of Registrant #1
**863 Bellevue Avenue,
 Daly City, CA 94014**

This business is conducted by **An Individual**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **4/25/2016**

Signed: **Monica A. Tracht**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **4/25/2016**.

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Filed: **Maribel Jaldon**
Deputy County Clerk
4/29/2016

5/12/16 + 5/19/16 + 5/26/16 + 6/2/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370831-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Whole Wines Trade
 Address
**138 Sanchez Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94114**
 Full Name of Registrant #1
Canela Gourmet Inc. (CA)
 Address of Registrant #1
**138 Sanchez Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94114**

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: **Francisco J. Cifuentes**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **5/6/2016**.

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Filed: **Susanna Chin**
Deputy County Clerk
5/6/2016

5/12/16 + 5/19/16 + 5/26/16 + 6/2/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370756-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Yindeli Shiatsu
 Address
**3446 Balboa Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94121**
 Full Name of Registrant #1
Yu Guo Xian
 Address of Registrant #1
**44 Lucy Street,
 San Francisco, CA 94124**

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

Signed: **Yu Guo Xian**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **4/29/2016**.

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Filed: **Maribel Jaldon**
Deputy County Clerk
4/29/2016

5/5/16 + 5/12/16 + 5/19/16 + 5/26/16

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. A-0370470-00

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Venus In Leo
 Address
4064 25th Street, San Francisco, CA 94114
 Full Name of Registrant #1
Soizig Le Boulch
 Address of Registrant #1
4064 25th Street, San Francisco, CA 94114

This business is conducted by **An Individual**. The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **4/13/2016**

Signed: **Soizig Le Boulch**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **4/13/2016**.

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Filed: **Sonya Yi**
Deputy County Clerk
4/13/2016

ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No. 0364644-00

The registrant(s) listed below have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name(s):

1.) Yindeli Shiatsu
 Located at **3446 Balboa Street, San Francisco, CA 94121**

This fictitious business name was filed in the County of San Francisco on **5/4/2015** under file **0364644-00**.

Name and address of Registrants (as shown on previous statement)

Full Name of Registrant #1
Chen Xiao Wen
778 40th Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94121

This business was conducted by a **AN INDIVIDUAL**

Signed: **Chen Xiao Wen**

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **4/29/2016**

Filed: **Sonya Yi**
Deputy County Clerk
4/29/2016

5/5/16 + 5/12/16 + 5/19/16 + 5/26/16



Access to Capital



40 Acres and a Mule Would Be at Least \$6.4 Trillion Today—What the U.S. Really Owes Black America

By **Tracy Loeffelholz Dunn & Jeff Neumann**

Slavery made America wealthy, and racist policies since have blocked African American wealth-building. Can we calculate the economic damage?

JUST THE FACTS

A NATION BUILT ON THE BACK OF SLAVERY AND RACISM



1 Slavery launched modern capitalism and turned the U.S. into the wealthiest country in the world.

Slave-harvested cotton dominated the 19th-century international market.

U.S. COTTON PRODUCTION

1859

2.25 billion pounds

1790 1.5 million pounds

U.S. COTTON USED IN BRITISH TEXTILE INDUSTRY By the 1830s

77%



Cotton built New York City into a commercial and financial center.

For every dollar cotton made, about 40 cents ended up in New York as the city supplied insurance, shipping, and

NEW YORK'S SHARE OF ALL COTTON REVENUE

40%

At the outbreak of the Civil War, the market value of slaves in the U.S. exceeded that of banks, factories, and railroads combined.

Slaves' worth \$3 billion

48%

of total wealth of the South in 1860

Currency in circulation \$450 million

The nation paid reparations to slave holders—not to slaves.

No

40 ACRES AND A MULE

President Andrew Johnson overturned Gen. Sherman's famous promise, which would have redistributed roughly 400,000 acres to newly freed black families.

\$300

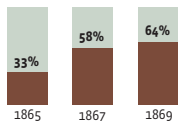
PER FREED SLAVE

On April 16, 1862, President Abraham Lincoln signed a bill ending slavery in the District of Columbia, providing for compensation to former owners.

Vagrancy laws allowed police to sweep up black men and then rent them out as convict labor.

Following the war, convict leasing programs shifted the Southern prison populations to predominantly black.

BLACK CONVICTS IN NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE'S MAIN PRISON



2 Emancipation did not bring economic freedom to former slaves.

Discriminatory business policies kept white people economically ahead.

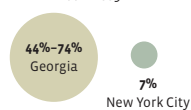
Black Codes were enacted to stop African Americans from owning their own businesses.

BUSINESS LICENSING FEES Under Black Codes in 1870



Southern merchants used unfair credit to impede black wealth building.

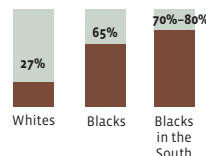
INTEREST RATES CHARGED BY MERCHANTS 1881-1889



Social safety nets have missed African Americans.

Social Security originally excluded domestic and agricultural workers—mostly African Americans, especially in the South.

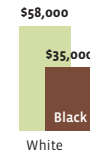
INELIGIBLE FOR SOCIAL SECURITY IN 1935



4 The result: African Americans have not been able to get a foothold in the economy.

The income gap has not budged since 1970.

MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME in 2013



For every dollar of assets white households have ...



... black households have a dime.

3 Discriminatory policies then kept African Americans from receiving help other citizens received.

Racist policies contributed to the decline of black farmers.

By 1982, only 1.5 percent of farmers were black, and the USDA's Civil Rights Office—which investigated loan program discrimination complaints—was closed.

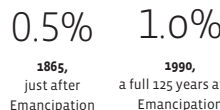
FARMLAND OWNED BY AFRICAN AMERICANS



African Americans have barely any of the nation's wealth, and therefore little to pass down to future generations.

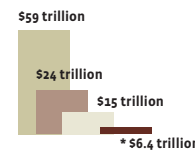
Economists estimate that up to 80 percent of lifetime wealth accumulation depends on intergenerational transfers.

NATIONAL WEALTH Owned by African Americans



Can we calculate the economic damages?

Estimates range from:



Martin Luther King Jr. calculated that making good on the promise of 40 acres and a mule (\$20 a week since the late 1700s for 4 million slaves) would total \$800 billion.* "They owe us a lot of money."

*\$6.4 trillion That's MLK's \$800 billion in today's dollars.

Source citations at yesmagazine.org/JTF74. YES! Infographic by Jeff Neumann and Tracy Loeffelholz Dunn. Research by Heidi Bruce and Clo Copass. Images from Library of Congress.

Exports Fuel American Dream at Minority- and Woman-Owned California Small Business

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Later this year, Kusum will meet with leaders in business and policy to present a paper on CAI's 80 MW power plant project in Benin, West Africa, which was built with the help of EXIM Bank, at the prestigious Power-Gen Africa conference in July.

Since 2009, EXIM has authorized more loans to help grow minority- and women-owned busi-

nesses than it did over the previous sixteen years combined - making it the fastest growing sector in the Bank's small business portfolio.

The Bank also has a business development team devoted to minority and woman-owned businesses (MWOB) which works exclusively with these businesses. They provide hands-on guidance to small businesses and MWOB's that wish to export and learn how to qualify for and access EXIM financing.

For more information about EXIM and its Minority-owned and Women-owned Business Directorate, call 1-800-565-EXIM or visit www.exim.gov.

ABOUT EXIM BANK:

EXIM is an independent federal agency that supports and maintains U.S. jobs by filling gaps in private export financing at no cost to American taxpayers. The Bank provides a variety of financing mechanisms, including working capital

guarantees and export credit insurance, to promote the sale of U.S. goods and services abroad. Almost ninety percent of its transactions directly serve American small businesses. In fiscal year 2015, EXIM approved \$12.4 billion in total authorizations. These authorizations supported an estimated \$17 billion in U.S. export sales, as well as approximately 109,000 American jobs in communities across the country.

Source: Export-Import Bank of U.S.

California Sub-Bid Request Ads



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Golden Gate Constructors (GGC) is preparing a bid as a Prime Contractor for the project listed below:
TAXILANES H & M REALIGNMENT AT SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, Contract No. 10005.61,
Local Business Enterprise Requirement is 20%

OWNER: CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO – San Francisco International Airport,
Jason G. Yuen Architecture and Engineering Building, 676 N. McDonnell Road, Conference Room C,
San Francisco, CA 94128

BID DATE: MAY 25, 2016 @ 2:00 P.M.

We hereby encourage responsible participation of Local Business Enterprises, and solicit their subcontractor or materials and/or suppliers quotation for the following types of work including but not limited to:

CEMENT TREATED BASE SUPPLIER, CLEARING AND GRUBBING/DEMOLITION, ELECTRICAL, FENCING/BLAST DEFLECTOR FENCE, HAZARDOUS MATERIAL, MINOR CONCRETE, MINOR CONCRETE STRUCTURE, PCC PAVING, SLURRY SEAL, STRIPING, SURVEY/STAKING, SWPPP/WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PLAN PREPARATION, UNDERGROUND, TRUCKING, WATER TRUCKS, STREET SWEEPING, AGGREGATE BASE MATERIAL, HOT MIX ASPHALT MATERIAL.

Plans and specifications may be reviewed at our office located at 11555 Dublin Boulevard, Dublin, CA or at your local Builders Exchange, or reviewed and downloaded from the ftp site at <ftp://ftp%25desilvagates.com:f7pa55wd@pub.desilvagates.com> (if prompted the username is [ftp@desilvagates.com](ftp://ftp%25desilvagates.com) and password is [f7pa55wd](ftp://ftp%25desilvagates.com)) or from the Owner.

Fax your bid to (925) 803-4263 to the attention of Estimator Alan McKean. If you have questions for the Estimator, call at (925) 829-9220. When submitting any public works bid please include your DUNS number and DIR number. For questions regarding registration for DIR use the link at: www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/PublicWorks.html

If you need support services and assistance in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies or related assistance or services, for this project call the Estimator at (925) 829-9220, or contact your local Small Business Development Center Network (<http://californiasbdc.org>) or contact the California Southwest Transportation Resource Center (www.transportation.gov/osdbu/SBTRCs). GGC is willing to breakout portions of work to increase the expectation of meeting the LBE requirement.

At our discretion, 100% Payment and 100% Performance bonds may be required as a subcontract condition. This will be a PRE-VAILING WAGE JOB. GGC is an equal opportunity employer.



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**ROUTE 5/52 SEPARATION • CALTRANS ID# 11-419704
SAN DIEGO, CA**

****THIS PROJECT HAS A 5 % DVBE GOAL****

BID DATE: MAY 18, 2016 • BID TIME: 2:00 P.M.

Please respond by 5:00 p.m., MAY 16, 2016

We are seeking quotes from CERTIFIED DVBE including, but not limited to, the following work items: Roadside Signs, AC Dike, Aggregate, Concrete Supply, Construction Area Signs, Electrical, Erosion Control, Fence & Guardrail, Geosynthetic Reinforcement, Joint Seal, Minor Concrete, Misc. Iron & Steel, Overhead Sign Panels / Structures, Trucking, Railing, Reinforcing Steel, Soil Nail, Striping / Marking, Asphalt Supply, Asphalt Placement, Concrete Panel Replacement, Concrete Grinding, Asphalt Milling /Removal, Lead Compliance Plan, Traffic Control, Portable Changeable Message Sign, Prepare Water Pollution Control Program.

Coffman Specialties, Inc. is signatory to Operating Engineers, Laborers, Teamsters, Cement Masons and Carpenters unions. Quotations must be valid for the same duration as specified by the Owner for contract award. Insurance and 100% Payment & Performance Bonds will be required, and will pay up to 1.5% for the cost of the bond. Waiver of Subrogation will be required. We will provide assistance/advice with obtaining Bonds/Insurance/Credit/Equipment. Subcontractors must provide contractor's license number and Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) registration number with their quote. Plans and specs are available at no cost to interested DVBE firms from the Caltrans website using the Project ID 11-419704 and/or our San Diego Office. We are an EOE & seriously intend to negotiate with qualified firms.

If you have any questions, Please contact Marty Keane: Phone 858-536-3100, Fax 858-586-0164 or email estimating@coffmanspecialties.com.

Non-DVBE Subs/Suppliers: Indicate 2nd tier participation offered on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. For any bid proposal submitted on or after March 1, 2015 and any contract for public work entered into on or after April 1, 2015, the following registration requirements apply: Every Subcontractor is required to be registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 of the Public Contract Code. No Contractor or Subcontractor shall be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal pursuant to Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, unless currently registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5. No bid shall be accepted nor any subcontract entered into without proof of the Subcontractor's current registration to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5. If used in our Bid, Coffman Specialties requires this proof be submitted w/in 24 hours of Bid Date.

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Please Submit your proposals by fax, email or delivered to our office

Is requesting proposals from all certified DVBE/LBE/SBE Subcontractors & Suppliers for the following project:

**PROJECT: Clementina Towers - 320 & 330 Clementina Street, San Francisco, CA 94103
BID DATE/TIME: June 9th, 2016 @ 3:00 PM**

BID WALK: OPTIONAL - Thursday, June 2nd, 2016 @ 10:00 AM located at the project site.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Clementina Towers is an existing occupied 13-story apartment complex with (2) towers, each consisting of 138 residential units (total 276 units) and three service and maintenance structures. The proposed upgrades and renovations includes structural, life safety, and accessibility upgrades and general renovations, upgrading units and common areas, new structural strengthening, new shear walls from the 1st to 6th floors of each tower, as well as the excavation and installation of expanded foundations at the perimeter of the towers' long sides; attic/roof replacement; construction of a 416-square-foot, 11-foot-tall maintenance shed; construction of a 374-square-foot, 12-foot-tall trash compactor enclosure; construction of a 121-square-foot,

9-foot-tall fire pump room; and the reconfiguration of an existing guard shack to provide upgrades that comply with (ADA) requirements. There will be an OCIP on this project (Owner Controlled Insurance Program). The building will be occupied during construction, and construction will be completed in phases. The project is slated to start on 11/1/2016 and be complete by 10/1/2018. **This is a phased project.**

PREVAILING WAGE RATE • PROJECT LABOR AGREEMENT

CERTIFIED PAYROLL • OCIP • 23% SBE MIN GOAL

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

Plans are available to view at the Fine Line Construction office by appointment OR at the following drop box link: <https://www.dropbox.com/sh/wj72lkkkxc7gtp/AAAEEuci8G5GV1LIC17zcMOVNa?dl=0>

Plans are also available at the following plan rooms:

Builders Exchanges (San Francisco; Peninsula; Marin; Alameda, Contra Costa, Stockton, Central CA, North Coast, Sacramento Region, Valley Contractors).

ARC San Francisco in the public plan well (<http://www.e-arc.com/ca/sanfrancisco/bryant>).

Trades Needed (but not limited to): EXISTING CONDITIONS & SITE; CONCRETE; MASONRY; METALS; WOOD, PLASTICS, AND COMPOSITES; THERMAL AND MOISTURE PROTECTION; OPENINGS; FINISHES; SPECIALTIES; EQUIPMENT; FURNISHINGS; SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION; ELECTRICAL; FIRE SUPPRESSION; PLUMBING; HVAC; EARTHWORK; EXTERIOR IMPROVEMENTS; UTILITIES

****Subcontractors bids MUST be accompanied by a 10% Bid Security in the form of: (a) Certified or Cashier's check made payable to Fine Line Construction or (b) With an Original Bid Bond executed by the bidder. Payment and Performance may be required of selected subcontractors. Please provide bonding rate on scope letters.****

Fine Line Construction is a signatory to the Carpenter's and Laborer's Collective Bargaining Agreements. Successful subcontractor will be expected to execute a standard Fine Line Construction Subcontract Agreement.

****Certified LBE subcontractors/suppliers are encouraged to submit quotes Minimum 23% SBE Goal.****

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Requests sub-bids from qualified California

Department of General Services (DGS) certified Small Business Enterprises (SBE) and Micro Small Businesses, Subcontractors, Consultants, and/or Suppliers seeking to participate in the Santa Clara Valley Water District, Lower Berryessa Creek Flood Protection Project – Phase 2 in Milpitas, CA.

<http://www.pd.dgs.ca.gov>

Subcontractors and Suppliers for the following project:

Lower Berryessa Creek Flood Protection Project – Phase 2 • Project No. 40174005 • Contract No. C0614

Owner: Santa Clara Valley Water District

Bid Date: June 1, 2016 @ 2:00 P.M.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs)

wanted for the following scopes, including, but not limited to: AC Paving, Aggregates, Articulated Concrete Block, Anti-Graffiti Coating, Minor Concrete, Certified Soil Scientist, Clear & Grub, Concrete, Concrete Pumping, Concrete Supply, Concrete Reinforcement Supply & Install, Precast Concrete, Cast in Place Concrete, CIDH Concrete Piles, Dewatering, Earthwork, Erosion Control, Fences & Gates, Flood Gates, Grouting, Irrigation, Landscaping, Joint Sealant, Metals, Noise & Vibration Monitoring, Pedestrian Bridge, Pipe Supply, Potholing, Quality Control, Shoring, Slope Protection, Soil Remediation, Street Sweeping, SWPPP, Temp Facilities, Traffic Control Trucking & Hauling, Waterstops, Water Truck, Well Abandonment.

Bonding, insurance and any technical assistance or information related to the plans or specification and requirements for the work will be made available to interested DGS certified, SBE and Micro SB suppliers and subcontractors. Assistance with obtaining necessary equipment, supplies, materials, or services for this project will be offered to interested certified suppliers and subcontractors

Subcontractor and Supplier Scopes are due May 6, 2016 and Quotes NO LATER THAN May 10, 2016 at 5 PM.

Plans are available for viewing at our office at our address below and through SmartBidNet (SBN).

All subcontractors that are registered in our SBN database will receive an invitation to bid. Please visit <http://www.kiewit.com/districts/northern-california/overview.aspx> to register your company and to be able to receive bidding information, view plans and specifications.

You can view the plans in our office during regular business hours by appointment.

Performance Bond and Payment Bonds may be required for subcontractors and a suppliers bond for suppliers

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