

President Obama Nominates Maria Contreras-Sweet to Lead the Small Business Administration



President Barack Obama announces the nomination of Maria Contreras-Sweet, left, as Administrator of the Small Business Administration, in the Eisenhower Executive Office Building South Court Auditorium, Jan. 15, 2014. At right is Acting SBA Administrator Jeanne Hult. (Official White House Photo by Chuck Kennedy)

By Megan Slack

America's small businesses are on the front lines when it comes to creating jobs and new opportunities. They are the cornerstones of our communities, and can help lead the way as we continue to grow the economy and add jobs in the coming year.

"They're part of the pact that America makes -- the idea that if you work hard, if you take responsibility, then you can build something new," President Obama said today.

"And that's the dream that brought generations of hardworking immigrants to our shores, and that's the idea that drives small business owners to create new products and expand their businesses every single day."

Maria Contreras-Sweet, who President Obama announced this afternoon as his nominee to lead the Small Business Administration, knows first hand what it means to start a small business, and has a proven track record of helping other small businesses succeed.

"She's the founder of ProAmerica Bank, the first Latino-owned business bank in California in over 30 years. Its focus is small and medium-sized businesses in Latino neighborhoods. So not only did she start small businesses, but those have also been her customers, and she understands all too often that the lack of access to capital means a lack of opportunity."

As Secretary of the California Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, Maria was the driving force behind major job cre-

ation and major public investments in infrastructure and in housing.

As a consultant, she helped companies expand into the Latino market. She's a champion of women-owned and family-owned businesses ... And as someone who moved to California from Mexico as a young girl, and whose mother worked long hours to support Maria and her five siblings, she knows firsthand the challenges that working families and recent immigrants are facing."

"So as we work to keep our economy growing, Maria will be charged with looking for more ways to support small businesses," President Obama said, "to help them get that good idea off the ground, to expand, to hire, to sell their products and ideas not only in our domestic markets, but also overseas. And I'm absolutely confident that she is going to do an outstanding job as our Small Business Administrator."

Website: <http://www.whitehouse.gov>

Source: The White House Blog

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SBE OUTREACH SERVICES

With half a million businesses in our database, SBE is California's #1 source for diversity outreach.

Advertisements

Placed in the Small Business Exchange newspaper, SBE Today newsletter, and online at www.sbeinc.com

Faxed Solicitations

Targeted mailings sent to businesses per your criteria.

Telemarketing

Telephone follow-up calls that follow a script of 5 questions you create.

Computer Generated Reports

Will fit right into your proposal, along with a list of interested firms to contact.

Call Toll FREE for more information: 800-800-8534

BIDDING OPPORTUNITIES

REQUESTING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT:

**Route 50 Sly Park Road Undercrossing Replacement
El Dorado County, Caltrans Project #03-0F2204
Bid Date: January 29, 2014 at 2:00 pm**

This is a highway project with the typical items of work associated, but not limited to: Aggregate, Rip Rap Material, Bridge Deck Overlay, CIDH Pile, Clear and Grubbing, Concrete Barrier, Concrete Crack Sealing, Construction Area Signs, Consult - Enviro Compliance, Core and Saw, Demo Bridge, Demo Minor, Earthwork and Base, Imported Borrow, Electrical H'Way, Fence & MBGR, Minor Flat Concrete, Joint Seals, K-Rail, Landscape, Erosion Control, Metal Bridge Rail, Minor Concrete Structure, Pavement Grinding, Paving PCC, Plane A C, Paving ASPH Concrete, A C Dike and Misc, Pile Drive, Pipe - Coor Steel, Precast Concrete Pipe, Prestress Concrete, Ready Mix Concrete, Rebar, Rock Slope Protect, Sign Structures, Signs Roadside, Stripe and Mark, Structure Excavate Bridge, Structure Excavate Site, Traffic Control, Trucking.

C.C. Myers, Inc. is willing to break down items of work into economically feasible units to encourage DBE participation. If you are interested in any of this work, please provide us with a scope letter or contact us immediately. Plans and Specifications are available from Caltrans at: www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe.

Conditions or exceptions in Subcontractor's quote are expressly rejected unless expressly accepted in writing. Subcontractor and Supplier quotes are required 24 hours prior to the bid date to enable thorough evaluation.



C.C. Myers, Inc.

3286 Fitzgerald Rd. • Rancho Cordova, CA 95742
916-635-9370 • Fax 916-635-1527

Each Subcontractor shall be prepared to submit faithful performance and payment bonds equal to 100% of their quotation. The Contractor will pay standard industry rates for these bonds.

Contact C. C. Myers, Inc. for assistance with bonds, insurance, lines of credit, equipment, supplies or project plans and specifications. C.C. Myers, Inc., is a Union Contractor.

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Seeking D/DV/M/S/VS/WBE (Disadvantaged, Disabled Veteran, Minority, Small, Very Small, and Woman Business Enterprises) subcontractors and suppliers for

**Wister Sport Fishery, Specification 600
Project Owner: San Diego County Water Authority
Project Location: Imperial County, CA
Bid Date: January 28, 2014**

Trades: Aggregate Supply, Aqua Culturist, Class 2 Base Supply, Concrete Supply, Fence, Guardrails/Gates/Bollards, Landscape, Pipe Supply, QA/QC, Rebar Supply, Rental Equip., Signs, Striping, Survey, SWPPP.

Plans and specifications can be purchased directly from SDCWA by filling out the Contract Documents Order Form found at <http://www.sdcwa.org/contracting-opportunities>

Plans and specifications are available to be viewed and copied at the Pulice offices located at 591 Camino De La Reina, San Diego, CA 92108 from 10am – 2pm. Please call 619-814-3705 to make an appointment to view the plans and specifications.

Plans are also available for download on the eBidBoard website at:
<http://www.ebidboard.com/public/projects/index.asp?mbrguid=D27F6EF1-9BA1-46D6-BICC-429FA8EB09CC>

Pulice Construction, Inc.

591 Camino De La Reina, San Diego, CA 92108
Phone: 619-814-3705 • Fax: 619-814-3770
Contact: **Arinda Cale** • E-mail: acale@pulice.com

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Request for Sub Bids From Qualified DVBE Subcontractors/Suppliers

**HAWTHORNE SCHOOL DISTRICT • BID: 13-14-1 • Location: HAWTHORNE, CA
Bid Date: JANUARY 29, 2014 @ 9:00 AM**

VIRCO Inc.

2027 Harpers Way • Torrance, CA 90501 • 800-448-4726 • Fax 800-258-7367
Contact: **Debbie Stottler**
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REQUEST FOR QUALIFIED D/M/WBES SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

**Grant Avenue Sidewalk and Drainage
Improvements in San Lorenzo,
Alameda County, California
Specification No. 2156**

Owner: County of Alameda
951 Turner Court, Hayward, CA 94545

Bid Date: January 28, 2014 @ 2:00 PM

We hereby encourage responsible participation of local Disadvantaged/Minority/Women Business Enterprises, and solicit their subcontractor or material and/or suppliers quotation for the following types of work including but not limited to: SWPPP Prep/Erosion Control, Adjust Iron, Clearing and Grubbing/Tree Removals/Tree Trimming, Minor Concrete, Minor Structure, Crack Sealing, Electrical, Paving Fabric, Landscaping, Roadside Signs, Striping, Survey/Staking, Underground, Trucking – Excavation, Trucking – Asphalt Concrete, Trucking – Aggregate base, Trucking – Keycut, Provide AC, Provide AB, Pavement Milling, Trucking – Pavement Milling, Water Trucks, Street Sweeping.

100% Performance and Payment Bonds may be required for full amounts of the subcontract price. Surety company will have to be approved by Gallagher & Burk, Inc. Gallagher & Burk, Inc. will pay bond premium up to 2%. Subcontractors must possess current insurance and worker's compensation coverage meeting Gallagher & Burk, Inc.'s requirements. Please call if you need assistance in obtaining bonding, insurance, equipment, materials and/or supplies. Plans and specifications are available for review at our Dublin office.

Gallagher & Burk, Inc.

344 High Street • Oakland, CA 94601
Phone: (510)261-0466 • FAX (510) 261-0478
Estimator: **Frank Augustson**

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DL Falk Construction is requesting subcontractor / supplier bids from certified SBE, DBE, MBE & WBE

Companies for the above project:

**San Rafael Bus
Administration Building Improvements
Location: 1011 Andersen Drive,
San Rafael, CA 94901**

Bid Date: January 28, 2014 at 2:00 PM

Scope includes selective demo, rough carpentry, caseworks, insulation, floor/wall/ceiling finishes, metal doors & hardware, specialties, equipments, HVAC, plumbing, electrical and etc...

D.L Falk Construction, Inc.

3526 Investment Blvd
Hayward, CA 94545
Contact: **Joey Gita**
joeyg@dlfalk.com
Ph: 510-887-6500 Fax: 510-887-6501

BIDDING OPPORTUNITIES

Requesting SBE (including DBE, DVBE, LBE) Subcontractors and Suppliers for:

Transbay Transit Center Project
Trade Package TG18.1
Bus Ramp Package
Location: San Francisco, CA
Bid Date: March 6, 2014

Walsh Construction is interested in soliciting in Good Faith all subcontractors as well as certified D/L/SBE companies for this project. All interested subcontractors, please indicate all lower tier D/L/SBE participation offered on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. Please call if we can assist you in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies. Walsh Construction will also review breaking out scope packages and adjusting schedules to help permit maximum participation.

Seeking: AC Paving, Aggregates, Bridge Bearings, Bridge Demolition, Bridge Joint Seals, CIDH Piling, Concrete Barrier, Construction Area Signs, Demolition, Drainage, Electrical, Erosion Control, Fencing, Hazardous Material Disposal, Imported Borrow, Minor Concrete, Misc. AC. Miscellaneous Metal, MSE Walls, Prestressing, Ready Mix Concrete, Rebar, Roadside Signs, Sign Structures, Striping, Structural Steel Bridge, Traffic Control, Trucking, Underground Utilities, Metal Bridge Railing, Deck Drainage Systems, Cast In Place Retaining Walls, SWPPP.

Instructions for bidders: For information on plans and specs and/or receive an Invitation to Bid, please submit your information to transbay@walshgroup.com. Plans and Specs are also available to review at our office. Refer to page A1-2 – A1-5 of the IFB for the schedule of bid prices.

Subcontractors may be required to furnish performance and payment bonds in the full amount of their subcontract and subject to approval by Walsh Construction. Walsh Construction will pay bond premium up to 1.5%. Quotations must be valid for the same duration as specified by the Owner for contract award.

There is a PLA agreement for this job. It can be found at:

<http://transbaycenter.org/tjpa/doing-business-with-the-tjpa/project-labor-agreement>.

Walsh Construction is signatory to the Operating Engineers, Laborers, Cement Masons, Carpenters and Iron Workers. Subcontractor scope/prices (including any conditions or exceptions) is required 24 hours prior to bid deadline to allow proper evaluation.

Walsh Construction

1777 Oakland Blvd Suite 300 • Walnut Creek, CA 94596
 Phone: 925-627-1700 • Fax: 925-944-9860

Contact Person: Jay Simms
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Contact Walsh Construction at Transbay@walshgroup.com for assistance in obtaining bonds, lines of credit and/or insurance if necessary.

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

State Highway in Santa Clara and San Mateo Counties in Palo Alto and East Palo Alto from Oregon Expressway Overcrossing to 0.3 Mile South of University Avenue Overcrossing

Contract No. 04-235624 Federal Aid Project ACNHP-000C(366)E
Engineer Estimate \$14,000,000 - 790 Working Days

Goal: DBE 10%

Bids: January 28, 2014 @ 2:00 PM

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to): Fabric and Oils, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Cold Plane, Demolition/Bridge Removal, Clear & Grub, Structure Excavation/backfill, Hydroseeding, Erosion Control, Asphalt Paving, Grinding, Pile Driving, Concrete Block & Masonry Retaining Wall, Soundwall-Masonry Precast, Joint Seal, Reinforcing Steel, Sign Structure, Clean and Paint Steel, Concrete Curb & Sidewalk-Misc., Metal Railing, Concrete Barrier, Thermoplastic & Painted Traffic Stripe & Marking, Pavement Marking, Message Signs, Lighting & Sign Illumination, SWPPP Planning, Water Truck, Sweeper, Trucker, Storm Drain (Underground) and Shoring.

Scope of Work: Bridge Replacement

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 John Pitsch 925-606-2400 johnp@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-Bids Requested From Qualified DBE Subcontractors & Suppliers

Gold Plane Overlay, Ludlow
Caltrans Contract No.: 08-0K2804
District 08 on Route 40

DBE Goal: 5%

Bid Date: February 13, 2014 – 2:00PM

Skanska is interested in soliciting in Good Faith all subcontractors as well as certified DBE companies for this project. All interested subcontractors, please indicate all lower tier DBE participation offered on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. Please call if we can assist you in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies. Skanska will also review breaking out scope packages and adjusting schedules to help permit maximum participation.

Plans and Specifications are available for view at our main office in Riverside or on the Caltrans website: http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/weekly_ads/index.php

Quotes requested for contractors, suppliers and service providers include, but are not limited to:

Construction Site Management, Storm Water Pollution Plan, Street Sweeping, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control System, Temporary Pavement Marking, Temporary Traffic Stripe, Portable Changeable Message Signs, Metal Beam Guard Railing, Cold Plane Asphalt Concrete Pavement, Fiber Rolls, Hot Mix Asphalt, Place Hot Mix Asphalt Dike, Tack Coat, Terminal System, Thermoplastic Pavement Marking, Thermoplastic Traffic Strip, Paint Traffic Stripe, Pavement Marker, Asphalt Rubber Binder, Minor Concrete (Minor Structure), Biologist, Inertial Profiler, Shoulder Rumble Strip.

Subcontracting Requirements: Skanska's insurance requirements are Commercial General Liability (GL): \$1M ea. occ., \$1M personal injury, \$2M products & completed operations agg. and general agg.; \$1M Auto Liability; \$5M Excess/Umbrella and \$1M Workers Comp. Endorsements and waivers required are the Additional Insured End., Primary Wording End., and a Waiver of Subrogation (GL & WC). Other insurance requirements may be necessary per scope. Subcontractors may be required to furnish performance and payment bonds in the full amount of their subcontract by an admitted surety and subject to approval by Skanska. Skanska will pay bond premium up to 1%. Quotations must be valid for the same duration as specified by the Owner for contract award. Conditions or exceptions in Subcontractor's quote are expressly rejected unless accepted in writing. Skanska is signatory to the Operating Engineers, Laborers, Cement Masons, Carpenters Unions and Teamsters. Subcontractors must provide weekly, one original and one copy of all certified payrolls, including non-performance and fringe benefit statements if required by law or by the Prime Contract. Subcontractor scope (including any conditions or exceptions) is required 24 hours prior to bid deadline to allow proper evaluation.

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Skanska Estimating Dept: 1995 Agua Mansa Rd, Riverside, CA 92509

Ph: (951) 684-5360, Fax: (951) 788-2449

Email: joe.sidor@skanska.com

BIDDING OPPORTUNITIES

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

State Highway in Sonoma County near Timber Cove at 2.0 Miles South of Fort Ross Historic Park Contract No. 04-3G7404 Federal Aid Project ACSTP-P001(581)E

Engineer Estimate \$1,490,000 - 50 Working Days

Goal: DBE 8%

Bids: January 28, 2014 @ 2:00 PM

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to): Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Clear & Grub, Hydroseeding, Erosion Control, Structural Concrete, Signs Roadside, Rock Slope Protection, Fencing, MBGR, Metal Railing, Thermoplastic & Painted Traffic Stripe & Marking, Pavement Marking, Signal and Lighting, Surveyor, SWPPP Planning, Trucker, Commercial Electrical.

Scope of Work: Replace Culvert with Ramming 108" Steel Casing

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 Emidio Salazar at 925-606-2400, or e-mail emidio.salazar@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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RGW Construction Inc. is seeking all qualified DBE (Disadvantaged Business Enterprises) for the following project:

State Highway in San Mateo County from 0.3 Mile South of Linda Mar Boulevard to Linda Mar Boulevard Intersection

Contract No. 04-265604 Federal Aid Project HPLULCML-6204(111)

Engineer Estimate \$9,100,000

395 Working Days

Goal: DBE 12%

Bids: February 4, 2014 @ 2:00 PM

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to): Fabric and Oils, Electrical Material, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Cold Plane, Demolition/Bridge Removal, Clear & Grub, Roadway Excavation, Structure Excavation/backfill, Landscaping, Hydroseeding, Erosion Control, Irrigation, Asphalt Paving, AC Dike, Grinding, Pile Driving, Structural Concrete, Joint Seal, Reinforcing Steel, Signs Roadside, Rock Slope Protection, Concrete Curb & Sidewalk-Misc., Fencing, Object Marker, MBGR, Metal Railing, Thermoplastic & Painted Traffic Stripe & Marking, Pavement Marking, Signal and Lighting, Message Signs, Lighting & Sign Illumination, Detector, SWPPP Planning, Water Truck, Sweeper, Trucker, Storm Drain (Underground), Wick Drains, Minor Concrete, Vibration Monitoring, and Articulated Block Concrete.

Scope of Work: Bridge replacement, roadway and creek re-alignment

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 at 925-606-2400, or e-mail karim.massoud@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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RGW Construction Inc. is seeking all qualified DBE (Disadvantaged Business Enterprises) for the following project:

State Highway in Santa Clara County at Various Locations from San Benito County Line to Route 85/101 Interchange

Contract No. 04-153304 Federal Aid Project ACNHP-Q101(234)E CML-6204(110)E

Engineer Estimate \$14,400,000 - 500 Working Days

Goal: DBE 12%

Bids: February 4, 2014 @ 2:00 PM

Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to): Fabric and Oils, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Cold Plane, Clear & Grub and Roadside Clearing, Landscaping, Hydroseeding, Erosion Control, Irrigation, AC Dike, Signs Structure, Signs Roadside, Concrete Curb & Sidewalk-Misc., Object Marker, MBGR, Thermoplastic & Painted Traffic Stripe & Marking, Signal and Lighting, Message Signs, Lighting & Sign Illumination, Ramp Metering System, SWPPP Planning, Water Truck, Sweeper, Trucker, and Storm Drain (Underground).

Scope of Work: Install TOS, ramp metering and ramp widening.

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 David Czech at 925-606-2400, or e-mail david.czech@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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JUV Inc is seeking Bids From all qualified Subcontractor and Suppliers Certified DVBE, DBE, SBE, MBE & WBE firms for the project listed below:

Sunnyside Elementary School Bungalow Replacement and Modernization, 250 Foerster Street, San Francisco, CA 94112

Project No: 11495

Bids Due: February 4, 2014 at 2:00 PM

Local Hire Policy and PLA Agreement are part of this project.

Trades: Hazmat Demolition, Concrete, Eartwork, Paving, Drilled Pierces, Metals, Casework, Roofing, Doors, Windows, Resilient flooring, Tile, Epoxy flooring, Acoustical, Painting, Electrical, HVAC, Plumbing.

JUV Inc.

1616 Franklin Street Suite # 203 • Oakland, CA 94612 • (510) 836-1300 • Fax (510) 836-1301

Contact: David Gruzman • Email: david@juvinc.com • An Equal Opportunity Employer

Treasure Island / Yerba Buena Island – Opportunity to Provide Shoreline Engineering Consultant Services

Treasure Island Community Development, (TICD), master developer of the Treasure Island / Yerba Buena Island Redevelopment Project is requesting qualified, interested shoreline engineering firms to respond to a request for proposals. Information is available through the City and County of San Francisco's Treasure Island Development Authority (TIDA) website:

www.sftreasureisland.org/contracting

Respondents are encouraged to check this website regularly for updates.

Proposals must be submitted by

February 6, 2014.

BIDDING OPPORTUNITIES

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Sub-Bids Requested From Qualified DBE, LBE, SBE Subcontractors & Suppliers

Transbay Transit Center – Bus Ramp Project
Transbay Joint Powers Authority/ Webcor Obayashi Joint Venture
Contract No.: Bid Build – 08-04-CMGC-000, pkg. no. TG18.01

DBE/SBE/LBE Goal: 20%

Subcontractor Quote Due Date: March 6, 2014 – Noon

Skanska is interested in soliciting in Good Faith all subcontractors as well as certified D/L/SBE companies for this project. All interested subcontractors, please indicate all lower tier D/L/SBE participation offered on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. Please call if we can assist you in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies. Skanska will also review breaking out scope packages and adjusting schedules to help permit maximum participation.

Quotes requested for contractors, suppliers and service providers include, but are not limited to:

Subcontracting: AC Paving, Anti-Ram Barrier, Bearings – Elastomeric, & PTFE, CIDH Piles, Coatings, Concrete Barriers, Demolition, Dewatering, Electrical, Fencing – Temp & Perm, Flatwork, Expansion Joints, Guard Booth, MBGR, Mechanical, MSE Walls, Prestressing / Post-Tensioning & Cable Stays, Rebar, Roadside Signs, Sign Structures, Striping, Survey, Traffic Control, Underground (Water & SS/SD)

Vendors: Aggregates, Asphalt, Concrete, MSE, Safety Equipment, Traffic Control

Services: Geotechnical, Sound & Vibration Monitoring, Janitorial, Office/Yard Rentals, Parking, QC/QA Testing, Sanitation, Jobsite Security, Staffing, Survey, Sweeping

Trucking: Flatbed Trucking, On-site Hauling, Import Hauling, Clean & Hazardous Material off haul & Disposal

Instructions for bidders:

To receive a formal bid invitation, please contact Jackie Guilfucci (jackie.guilfucci@skanska.com).

For more information about the project visit the Owners website at transbaycenter.org, then click on "Doing Business with the TJPA," and then "Current Contract Opportunities."

<http://transbaycenter.org/tjpa/doing-business-with-the-tjpa/current-contract-opportunities>

Plans are available for purchase from ARC, (415) 495-8700, www.e-arc.com.

Plans and Specs are also available at numerous Builder's Exchange locations throughout California.

Subcontracting Requirements:

Skanska's insurance requirements are Commercial General Liability (GL): \$1M ea. occ., \$1M personal injury, \$2M products & completed operations agg. and general agg.; \$1M Auto Liability; \$5M Excess/Umbrella and \$1M Workers Comp. Endorsements and waivers required are the Additional Insured End., Primary Wording End., and a Waiver of Subrogation (GL & WC). Other insurance requirements may be necessary per scope. Subcontractors may be required to furnish performance and payment bonds in the full amount of their subcontract by an admitted surety and subject to approval by Skanska. Skanska will pay bond premium up to 1%. Quotations must be valid for the same duration as specified by the Owner for contract award. Conditions or exceptions in Subcontractor's quote are expressly rejected unless accepted in writing.

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<http://transbaycenter.org/tjpa/doing-business-with-the-tjpa/project-labor-agreement>. Skanska is signatory to the Operating Engineers, Laborers, Cement Masons, Carpenters Unions and Teamsters. Subcontractors must provide weekly, one original and one copy of all certified payrolls, including non-performance and fringe benefit statements if required by law or by the Prime Contract. Subcontractor scope (including any conditions or exceptions) is required 24 hours prior to bid deadline to allow proper evaluation.

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Skanska Estimating Department: Phone: (951) 684-5360, Fax: (951) 788-2449

SBE Coordinator: Jackie Guilfucci - jackie.guilfucci@skanska.com

Estimating: Tom Evans - tom.evans@skanska.com

**Treasure Island / Yerba Buena Island –
 Opportunity to Provide Landscape Architect Consultant Services**

Treasure Island Community Development, (TICD), master developer of the Treasure Island / Yerba Buena Island Redevelopment Project is requesting qualified, interested landscape architecture design firms to respond to a request for proposals. Information is available through the City and County of San Francisco's Treasure Island Development Authority (TIDA) website: www.sftreasureisland.org/contracting

Respondents are encouraged to check this website regularly for updates.

Proposals must be submitted by
February 6, 2014.



Arntz Builders, Inc.

19 Pamaron Way • Novato, CA 94949
 415-382-1188 • Fax: 415-883-7529

Contact: Kathy Rowen
 bid@arntzbuilders.com

REQUESTS QUOTATIONS FROM ALL
 CERTIFIED DVBE/SBE/DBE/WBE/MBE/LBE
 and ALL QUALIFIED

SUBCONTRACTORS & SUPPLIERS
FOR ALL TRADES FOR THE FOLLOWING
 PROJECTS:

**SUNNYSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUNGALOW
 REPLACEMENT & MODERNIZATION**

**SAN FRANCISCO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SAN FRANCISCO, CA**

BID DATE: FEBRUARY 4, 2014 at 2:00 pm
ESTIMATE: \$8,500,000

**PHILLIP & SALA BURTON HIGH SCHOOL
 MODERNIZATION**

**SAN FRANCISCO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SAN FRANCISCO, CA**

BID DATE: FEBRUARY 11, 2014 at 2:00 pm
ESTIMATE: \$21,375,000

BONDING, INSURANCE, TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE. PLANS AVAILABLE IN GC'S PLAN ROOM. SUCCESSFUL SUBCONTRACTORS WILL BE REQUIRED TO SIGN ARNTZ BUILDERS INC STANDARD SUBCONTRACT AGREEMENT WHICH INCLUDES THE RIGHT FOR ARNTZ BUILDERS INC TO REQUIRE SUBCONTRACTORS TO PROVIDE A 100% FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS OF THE SUBCONTRACT PRICE FROM A TREASURY LISTED SURETY COMPANY ACCEPTABLE TO ARNTZ BUILDERS. BOND PREMIUM TO BE INCLUDED IN BID AS A SEPARATE ITEM. SUBCONTRACTORS WILL BE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE A WAIVER OF SUBROGATION ENDORSEMENT TO THEIR WORKERS COMPENSATION INSURANCE.

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THIS PROJECT HAS A PROJECT LABOR AGREEMENT

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FINE LINE CONSTRUCTION

Is Requesting Sub-Bids from Certified DVBE Subcontractors and Suppliers for:

Starr King E. S. Modernization

BID DATE: January 28, 2014 @ 2:00 PM

Est. Cost: \$8,000,000

Plans and Documents are available at:

Fine Line Construction

42 Dore Street • San Francisco, CA 94103

Phone: (415) 512-7677 • Fax (415) 512-7688

Contact: Estimating Department

Bid Bonds and/or Payment & Performance Bonds maybe required. 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.

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BIDDING OPPORTUNITIES

SKANSKA

Sub-Bids Requested From Qualified DBE, LBE, SBE Subcontractors & Suppliers

Transbay Transit Center – Exterior Awning Project
Transbay Joint Powers Authority/ Webcor Obayashi Joint Venture
Contract No.: Bid Build – 08-04-CMGC-000, pkg. no. TG08.02
DBE/SBE/LBE Goal: 20%

Subcontractor Quote Due Date: January 29, 2014 @ 8:00 AM

Skanska is interested in soliciting in Good Faith all subcontractors as well as certified D/L/SBE companies for this project. All interested subcontractors, please indicate all lower tier D/L/SBE participation offered on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. Please call if we can assist you in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies. Skanska will also review breaking out scope packages and adjusting schedules to help permit maximum participation.

Quotes requested for contractors, suppliers and service providers include, but are not limited to:

Subcontracting: Steel Fabrication & Erection, Bearings, Expansion Joints, Studs, Stay-In-Place Forms, Welding, Painting/Steel Touch-Up, Traffic Control

Vendors: Pipe Supplier, Fencing, Traffic Control, Safety Equipment

Services: Geotechnical & Vibration Monitoring, Janitorial, Office/Yard Rentals, Parking, QC/QA Testing, Sanitation, Jobsite Security, Sound Monitoring, Staffing, Survey, Sweeping, Vibration

Trucking: Flatbed Trucking, On-site Hauling, and Material off haul.

Instructions for bidders: For information on plans and specs and/or receive an Invitation to Bid, please submit your information to john.papagiannakis@skanska.com. Plans and Specs are also available at several locations throughout California. Refer to page A1-2 – A1-6 of the RFQ for instructions on how to submit their bids and submit to (951) 788-2449 or email to john.papagiannakis@skanska.com

Subcontracting Requirements:

Skanska's insurance requirements are Commercial General Liability (GL): \$1M ea. occ., \$1M personal injury, \$2M products & completed operations agg. and general agg.; \$1M Auto Liability; \$5M Excess/Umbrella and \$1M Workers Comp. Endorsements and waivers required are the Additional Insured End., Primary Wording End., and a Waiver of Subrogation (GL & WC). Other insurance requirements may be necessary per scope. Subcontractors may be required to furnish performance and payment bonds in the full amount of their subcontract by an admitted surety and subject to approval by Skanska. Skanska will pay bond premium up to 1%. Quotations must be valid for the same duration as specified by the Owner for contract award. Conditions or exceptions in Subcontractor's quote are expressly rejected unless accepted in writing.

There is a PLA agreement for this job. It can be found at:

<http://transbaycenter.org/tjpa/doing-business-with-the-tjpa/project-labor-agreement>. Skanska is signatory to the Operating Engineers, Laborers, Cement Masons, Carpenters Unions and Teamsters. Subcontractors must provide weekly, one original and one copy of all certified payrolls, including non-performance and fringe benefit statements if required by law or by the Prime Contract. Subcontractor scope (including any conditions or exceptions) is required 24 hours prior to bid deadline to allow proper evaluation.

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Skanska Estimating Dept: Ph: (732) 366-7213 • Fax: (732) 366-7001

Email: john.papagiannakis@skanska.com

REQUEST FOR DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

Hwy 101-Install TOS, Ramp Metering an Ramp Widening

Santa Clara County - Caltrans #04-153304

BID DATE: February 4, 2014 @ 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, SWPPP, Rain Event Action Plan, Storm Water Sampling & Analysis, Storm Water Annual Report, Sweeping, Asbestos Compliance Plan, NOA Burial Location Report, ADL Burial Location Report, Noise Monitoring, Dust Control Plan (Naturally Occurring Asbestos), Cold Plane AC, Clearing & Grubbing, Temporary & Permanent Erosion Control, Roadway Excavation (Type Y-1 Aerially Deposited Led), Planting & Irrigation, Hydroseed, AC Dike, Tack Coat, CIDH Concrete Pile, Minor Concrete (Minor Structure), Sign Structure, Roadside Signs, Minor Concrete (Misc.), Misc. Iron & Steel, Delineator, Object Marker, Midwest Guardrail System, Striping & Marking, Lighting, Sign Illumination, Traffic Operation Systems and Construction Materials

O.C. Jones & Sons, Inc.

1520 Fourth Street • Berkeley, CA 94710 • Phone: 510-526-3424 • FAX: 510-526-0990

Contact: Greg Souder

100% Performance & Payment Bonds may be required. Worker's Compensation Waiver of Subrogation required. Please call O.C.J. for assistance with bonding, insurance, necessary equipment, material and/or supplies. O.C.J. 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.

SKANSKA

Sub-Bids Requested From Qualified DBE Subcontractors & Suppliers

Cold Plane Overlay, Near Big Bear Lake
Caltrans Contract No.: 08-0G6204

District 08 on Route 38

DBE Goal: 5%

Bid Date: January 30, 2014 – 2:00PM

Plans and Specifications are available for view at our main office in Riverside or on the Caltrans website: http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/weekly_ads/index.php

Quotes requested for contractors, suppliers and service providers include, but are not limited to:

asphalt concrete material & paving, bridge removal, fencing, imported borrow, reinforcing steel, traffic control system, AC Dike, Aggregate base, Biologist monitoring, CIDH piling, Concrete Barrier, construction area signs, Erosion Control, Fish protection, Hydro-seeding, Isolation Casing, Joint Seal, Metal beam guard rail, Minor concrete, Precast Girders, Roadway Excavation, Rock Slope protection, Steel Bridge Railing, Storm drainage, Structure excavation, Temporary & permanent striping, Temporary signal system, Trucking, Waterproofing.

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NOTICE INVITING PREQUALIFICATION OF GENERAL BUILDING "B" AND/OR GENERAL ENGINEERING "A" CONTRACTORS

Prequalification Questionnaires will be received by the **University of California, Irvine (UCI)** from General Building "B" and/or General Engineering "A" contractors wishing to serve as General Contractors (GC) and submit DESIGN BUILD proposals for the **MESA COURT TEMPORARY DINING UTILITIES, PROJECT NO. 996296**.

Prequalification questionnaires will be accepted from GCs teamed with MEP design firms that have completed comparably sized design-build projects as described in the questionnaire.

DESCRIPTION:

Install new underground site electrical, gas, sanitary sewer, and water utilities from various existing points of connection located within the Mesa Court housing community to Parking Lot 5 – location of new temporary dining facilities. Construction of temporary dining facilities will be under separate contract. Electricity shall be

tied-in to existing UCI site power distribution; gas shall be tied-in to existing site gas piping; sanitary sewer shall be tied-in to existing site sanitary sewer; and water shall be tied-in to existing site water. New underground utilities shall include piping, safety valves, meters, etc. Work also includes the installation of a grease interceptor and selective demolition of existing site lighting and bollards.

Project completion time: 7 Weeks

PROJECT DELIVERY: Design Build

ESTIMATED DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION COST: \$500,000 – \$600,000

PROCEDURES: Prequalification questionnaires will be available electronically at **2 PM on 1/15/14** from UCI Design & Construction Services.

Mandatory Prequalification Conference begins promptly at **8:30 AM on 1/22/14** at UCI Mesa Court Housing, Multi-Purpose Room, 4057 Mesa Road, Irvine, CA 92697. Permit parking in Lot 14.

Prequalification questionnaires must be received by **2 PM on 1/31/14** only at UCI Design

& Construction Services, 101 Academy, Ste. 200, Irvine, CA 92697.

UCI reserves the right to reject any or all responses to this notice, to waive non-material irregularities, and to deem Contractors prequalified to submit proposals for the project. To prequalify, Contractors must agree to comply with all proposal conditions including state prevailing wages, 10% bid bond, 100% payment and performance bonds, and insurance reqs. A contract will be awarded to the contractor/MEP team ("design builder") who offers UCI the best value. General Building "B" and/or General Engineering "A" California Contractors License req'd.

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.

Contact Brenda Duenas (949) 824-9586, blduenas@uci.edu for the questionnaire. For other opportunities: www.designandconstruction.uci.edu

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 are invited for the following work:

Long Hospital L-361/L-370 CT Replacement & Neuro Angio Equipment Replacement, Project Number: 11-623 Contract Number: L00161

Description of Work: This project scope includes the removal of a CT Scanner and replacement with a GE Discovery CT750. Renovation of existing room, control room, corridors and adjacent storage spaces. Removal of Biplane Angio Scanner and conversion of existing space into new reading room. Removal of existing reading room and renovation of existing space to provide for installation of new Siemens Artis Zee Biplane Angio Scanner. Wall upgrades at new scanner rooms and adjacent corridors to provide lead shielding and 1 hour fire separation up to existing deck. Wall upgrades encompassing these areas to create new 1 hour rated suite. Upgrade of existing men's / women's toilet and dressing rooms to new accessible men's / women's staff toilets and staff locker room. Installation of University purchased Custom Air Handling Unit. The University has entered into a separate equipment Purchase Order with a vendor for the Custom Air Handling Unit, using a standard university form Purchase Order. The University will assign this Purchase Order to the General Building Contractor upon award of this contract. Project is sequenced to maintain operation of rooms at different times. S/MEP modifications to accommodate the new equipment upgrades will be code compliant.

Estimated construction cost range: \$2M – 2.5M

BIDDER 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. Bidders must submit qualification documents in a sealed envelope on **Friday, February 7, 2014 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.

Procedures: Bidding documents will be available on **Tuesday, January 21, 2014 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 must attend a **mandatory** pre-bid conference on Thursday, January 30, 2014 beginning promptly at 2:00 PM. For details, see above website address. The Warm-Air Heating, Ventilating & Air-Conditioning (HVAC) Contractors must also attend the mandatory Pre-Bid Conference and Pre-Bid Job Walk. Only sub-

contractors of the trade C20 who attend the Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference & Pre-Bid Job Walk shall be able to submit a bid to the General Contractors.

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, February 27, 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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