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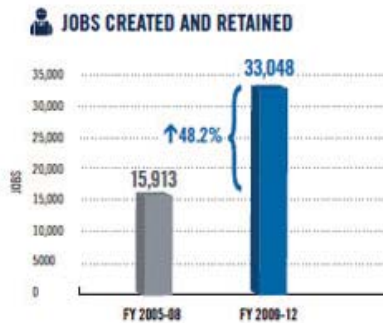
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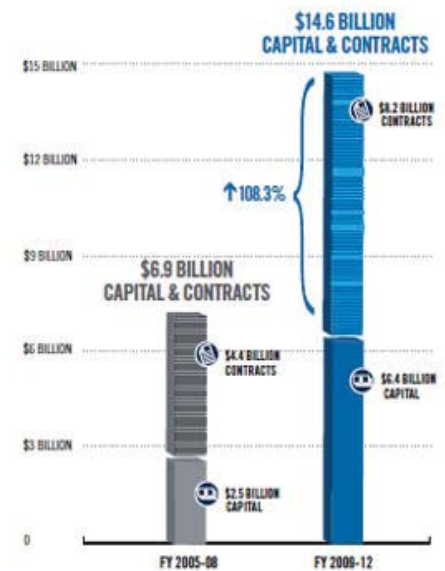
## Another Year of Record Breaking Performance for MBDA

**16,730<sup>†</sup>**

FY 2012 JOBS CREATED AND RETAINED



### TOTAL CONTRACTS AND CAPITAL AWARDED



**Nearly \$100 million in Export Transactions** Includes export transactions for FY 2011-12

The numbers are in and the report is out! Last month, the Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) released its Annual Performance Report for Fiscal Year 2012 and we are proud to report that FY 2012 was another successful year for the Minority Business Development Agency, the U.S. Department of Commerce, and most importantly for the American business owners that we serve. In FY 2012, MBDA helped create and retain 16,730 jobs, the highest level in the 44-year history of the Agency. This was achieved by helping MBDA clients obtain over \$3.6 billion in contracts and capital awards.

In 2012, the agency increased services to minority business owners by adding new MBDA Business Centers in Anchorage, Alaska; Fresno, California; Santa Fe, New Mexico; Bismarck, North Dakota; Tulsa, Oklahoma; and Memphis, Tennessee. In addition, MBDA expanded coverage at select MBDA Business Centers to provide specialty expertise nationwide with the launch of the agency's Federal Procurement Center – the first of its type – in Washington,

DC; the Export Support Business Center located at the University of Texas at San Antonio; and the Atlanta MBDA Business Center that serves as the Advanced Manufacturing and Healthcare Technology Business Center at the Georgia Institute of Technology.

As we look ahead, MBDA will maintain jobs created and retained by clients as its key measurement of performance; however, a new Agency goal will focus on creating and retaining those jobs by generating international contract opportunities. Currently exporting to over 60 nations, minority-owned firms possess skills and relationships that make them one of the most effective exporters in the United States. In FY 2012, MBDA's export support resulted in nearly \$100 million in export transactions, and we plan to generate over \$1 billion in international contract opportunities over the next five years.

I applaud our MBDA Business Center operators and staff for another year of outstanding performance. FY 2012 anchors an Obama

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# REQUESTS FOR BIDS & SUB-BIDS

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DBE Subcontractor/Supplier Bids Requested

**SPECIFICATION NO. CDAEXP3-12-08**  
**CHINO BASIN DESALTER PHASE 3 EXPANSION,**  
**PRODUCT WATER PIPELINE PROJECT**  
**BID SUBMITTAL DATE: 8/16/13**  
**OWNER: CHINO BASIN DESALTER AUTHORITY**

Performance/Payment/Supply Bond May Be Required

THIS ADVERTISEMENT IS IN RESPONSE TO CHINO BASIN DESALTER AUTHORITY DBE PROGRAM. L. H. WOODS & SONS, INC. INTENDS TO CONDUCT ITSELF IN "GOOD FAITH" WITH DBE FIRMS REGARDING PARTICIPATION ON THIS PROJECT. DRAWINGS AND SPECS MAY BE REVIEWED IN OUR OFFICE MONDAY THRU FRIDAY, 8:00 AM TO 4:00 PM. QUOTES ARE REQUESTED BY COB, AUGUST 15, 2013 SO THAT ALL BIDS CAN BE FAIRLY EVALUATED. PLEASE SUBMIT BIDS FOR THE FOLLOWING WORK (BUT NOT LIMITED TO): TRAFFIC CONTROL, SWPPP DESIGN & MONITORING, TRUCKING, AGGREGATES, SURVEY, STEEL PIPE, PAVING, STRIPING, SAW CUTTING, MICROTUNNELING, CHLORINATION AND DISINFECTION.

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

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

**State Highway in San Joaquin County Near Bellota from 0.3 Mile West of Sandstone Creek**  
**Bridge to Shelly Road**  
**Caltrans Contract No. 10-0T1604**  
**DBE Goal: 13%**  
**Engineer Estimate: \$2,470,000 - 100 Working Days**  
**Bid Date: July 23, 2013 at 2:00pm**

**Requesting Sub-quotes for (including but not limited to):** Hydroseeding, Rebar, Striping/Markers, Trucking & Sweepers, Demolition/Bridge Removal, Tack Coat, MBGR, Clear & Grub, Signs-Roadside and Erosion Control.

**Scope of Work:** Curve realignment and replace bridge.

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

Plans and Specs are available to view and copy at our office or from the Caltrans website: [http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/contractor\\_info/](http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/oe/contractor_info/). Contact Derrick Woods 925-606-2400 for any questions, including bonding, lines of credit, insurance, equipment or material suppliers. Subcontractors should be prepared to submit payment and performance bonds equal to 100% of their quotation.

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REQUEST FOR QUALIFIED SBE'S  
SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS  
FOR:

**Civil and Station Improvements Contract,**  
**Santa Clara - Alum Rock Bus Rapid Transit**  
**Project Contract C830 (13058)**

**Owner: SANTA CLARA VALLEY**  
**TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY**  
3331 North First Street, Building A,  
San Jose, CA 95134

**Bid Date: July 30, 2013 @ 3:00 P.M.**

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

**DESILVA GATES CONSTRUCTION -**  
**Estimator: Grant Rhodes - Phone No. 925-829-9220 Fax No: 925-803-4263:**

**CLEARING AND GRUBBING/DEMOLITION, MINOR CONCRETE STRUCTURE, STREET ELECTRICAL, PCC GRINDING, CONSTRUCTION AREA/ROAD SIGNS, SLURRY SEAL, STRIPING, SWPPP, UNDERGROUND, QC/QA, TRUCKING, CLASS 2 AGGREGATE BASE MATERIAL SUPPLIER, CLASS 4 AGGREGATE BASE MATERIAL SUPPLIER, HOT MIX ASPHALT (TYPE A) MATERIAL SUPPLIER, CLASS 3 AGGREGATE BASE MATERIAL SUPPLIER, GEOTEXTILE WRIP SUPPLIER, SURVEY AND COMMUNITY RELATIONS OFFICER**

**ROBERT A. BOTHMAN -**  
**Estimator: Michael Maldonado -**  
**Phone No. 408-279-2277 Fax No: 408-279-2286:**

**SAW CUTTING, DRILLING (PIERS), ELECTRICAL (STATIONS), REBAR, GUARD RAIL/METAL RAILING, CAULKING/SEALANTS, ANTI GRAFFITI/PAINTING, METAL FABRICATION (BUS SHELTERS), TRUCKING, MASONRY, CONCRETE PUMPING, FENCING (ORNAMENTAL FENCING), LANDSCAPING AND CONCRETE READY MIX**

100% Performance and Payment Bonds may be required for full amounts of the subcontract price. Surety company will have to be approved by DeSilva Gates-Robert A. Bothman, A Joint Venture of DeSilva Gates Construction and Robert A. Bothman Inc. will pay bond premium up to 2%. Subcontractors must possess current insurance and worker's compensation coverage meeting DeSilva Gates-Robert A. Bothman 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.

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## Another Year of Record Breaking Performance

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Administration total of \$14.6 billion in contract and capital for MBDA clients, making this the highest 4-year performance in the history of the Agency.

More details about the MBDA's performance, including the sizes and industries of firms assisted, sources of contracts and capital, and state-level performance and export data, can be found in the full report on the Agency's website - [www.mbd.gov/main/budget-performance](http://www.mbd.gov/main/budget-performance)

Source: The Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA)

# REQUESTS FOR BIDS & SUB-BIDS

## BIDDING OPPORTUNITY

### DBE'S CERTIFIED BY THE CALIFORNIA UNIFIED CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CUCP)

In response to the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transit Authority's DBE requirements, we are inviting qualified contractors, specifically DBE's certified by the California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) to contact us regarding subcontracting opportunities in connection with the following project.

#### Regional Connector Transit Corridor Design/Build Project Contract C0980

**Construction of the underground stations, guideways and tunnels from Alameda and First Streets in Little Tokyo to the existing Metro Center Station located at 7th and South Flower Streets in Los Angeles.**

**BID DATE: JULY 29, 2013 AT 2:00 PM**

Opportunities to participate exist in the following specific areas of: soil and rock excavation, hauling, excavation support systems, structural steel, engineering, survey, instrumentation and monitoring services, materials testing, demolition and site preparation, environmental investigation, utility relocation, paving, curb and sidewalk, fencing, landscaping, geotechnical and structural instrumentation, asbestos and hazardous materials handling and disposal, secant piles, soldier piles, shoring, traffic decking, traffic control, cast-in-place concrete structures, reinforcing steel, ground stabilization, tunnel construction, crosspassage construction, directional grout hole drilling, soil-nails, rock-bolts, steel dowels, steel arch support, shotcrete fiber and non-fiber, concrete pumping, placing and finishing, concrete sealants, masonry, waterproofing, service utilities, grouting, electrical services, mechanical, plumbing and fire protection, architectural finishes, doors and hardware, track works, signals, pest control, IT Services, waste disposal and cleaning services.

Any business seeking to participate as a DBE for this Contract must be DBE certified by the California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) or by a certifying agency in the CUCP in accordance with 49 CFR Part 26-Subpart D Certification Standards as followed by the CUCP. DBE certification status of listed DBE may be verified by contacting Metro Certification Unit via email at CertificationUnit@Metro.net or by calling the DEOD hotline at (213) 922-2600. A copy of the current active DBE certification letter must be provided for each DBE firm listed in the Proposal. **All DBE bids/proposals should be sent to Shea/Walsh/PTG Joint Venture no later than July 10, 2013.**

The Joint Venture has established an FTP site where interested firms can view all plans and specifications for their convenience. Please contact Candice Gill at (909) 594-0990 or Jim Honeycutt at (909) 444-4260 to receive instructions on accessing the FTP Site.

### Shea/Walsh/PTG Joint Venture

will provide an equal opportunity to DBEs and will conduct dealings with DBE firms in Good Faith.  
**(J.F. Shea Construction, Inc./Walsh Construction Company/Parsons Transportation Group, Inc.)**  
667 Brea Canyon Road, Suite 22; Walnut, CA 91789  
Phone 909-594-0990, Fax 909-869-0827

Please visit our website: <http://www.shea-walsh-ptg-regionalconnector.com>

## IBI Group

### REQUEST FOR BIDS & NOTICE OF INTEREST

**IBI Group is bidding on the following project as a Prime Contractor:  
AS-Needed Architectural and Engineering Design and/or Design Review Services for the County of Los Angeles, Dept of Public Works.**

IBI Group is seeking certified **Community Business Enterprise (CBE)** firms interested in submitting qualifications as sub-consultants as part of the IBI team. All CBE firms including **disabled veterans, disadvantaged business enterprises, and minority-women-and other owned business enterprises** may submit information for the following disciplines: Landscape Architecture, Mechanical/HVAC/Plumbing, Structural, Civil, Electrical, Low-voltage Electrical, Cost Estimation, Geotechnical, Elevator, Hardware, Food Services, LEED/Sustainability, Building Commissioning, Specification, Security, Signage/Graphics, Supplemental Specialized Technical Services; Environmental, Surveyor, Acoustical, Fire Protection/Code.

This proposal is in alignment with the L.A. County Community Business Enterprise (CBE) Program. In addition, the IBI group can provide assistance to interested CBE's in obtaining the required bonds, lines of credit, and/or insurance. IBI Group intends to conduct itself in good faith in regards to all CBE firms.

All interested firms should **email a two-page firm overview including resumes and a recent project list in, SF330 form, that is similar in scope to the County of L.A., Dept of Public Works, As-Needed Architectural and Engineering Design and/or Design Review Services Request for Proposals, and certification documentation no later than EOD on July 31, 2013 to [kirk.shimazu@ibigroup.com](mailto:kirk.shimazu@ibigroup.com).**

A copy of the RFQ can be provided upon request by contacting Ms. Carolyn Smith at 213-250-7440. Specific questions regarding this RFQ may be emailed to [kirk.shimazu@ibigroup.com](mailto:kirk.shimazu@ibigroup.com)

## IBI Group

### REQUEST FOR BIDS & NOTICE OF INTEREST

**IBI Group is bidding on the following project as a Prime Contractor:  
AS-Needed General Engineering Consultant Services for the County of Los Angeles, Dept of Public Works.**

IBI Group is seeking certified CBE firms interested in submitting qualifications as sub-consultants as part of the IBI team. All CBE firms including **disabled veterans, disadvantaged business enterprises, and minority-women-and other owned business enterprises** may submit information for the following disciplines: Civil, Structural, Mechanical/HVAC/Plumbing, Electrical, Low-voltage Electrical, Environmental (Hazardous Waste/Civil) Engineering; Surveyor; Landscape Architect; Acoustics Designer; Cost Estimator, Geotechnical, Elevator, Signage/Graphics Designer, Food Services, Building Commissioning, Fire Protection/Code, Security, Specification and Hardware Consultant.

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## REQUEST FOR SBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

**Civil and Station Improvements, San Jose Santa Clara-Alum Rock Bus Rapid Transit Project Contract C830(13058)  
Santa Clara Valley Transit Authority  
REVISED BID DATE: July 30, 2013 @ 3:00 PM**

**We are soliciting quotes for (including but not limited to):** Trucking, Traffic Control, SWPPP, Cold Plane AC, Roadside Signs, Electrical, Import Borrow, Geotextile Wrap, Minor Concrete, Striping & Marking, Object Marker, Paint Curb, Fencing, Cobble Median, King Road Decorative Concrete Pavement, Import Topsoil, Landscaping & Irrigation, Underground, Adjust Utilities, Ticket Vending Machine, Card Reader, Concrete Grinding, Adjust Manhole & Valves, QC/QA Material Testing, Tree Removal, Concrete Demolition, Slurry Seal, Fencing & Railings and Construction Materials

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Contact: Jean Sicard or Dan Palmer

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# REQUESTS FOR BIDS & SUB-BIDS

Sub-Bids Requested From Small, Minority, Womens, and Disadvantaged Businesses  
Subcontractors & Suppliers for:

**Auburn Lake Trails Water Treatment Plant**  
**Owner: Georgetown Divide Public Utility District**  
**Location: Georgetown, CA**  
**Bid Date: July 25, 2013 @ 3:00 PM**

**TRADES:** Demolition, Earthwork, Paving, Manholes/Catch Basins, Irrigation, Fencing and Gates, Landscaping, Grouting, Concrete Masonry, Misc. Metal, Waterproofing, Insulation, Roofing, Sealants and Caulking, Metal Doors & Frames, Overhead Doors, Waste Pump Station, Painting, Polymer Feed System, Pumps Mixers Blowers, Chemical Storage Tank, Aluminum Doors/Windows, Fiberglass Grating/Enclosures, Water Clarifications/Filtration Treatment Units, Electrical, Mechanical, Welded Steel Chlorine Tank, Trucking.

## SYBLON REID

P.O. BOX 100 • Folsom, CA 95763  
Phone: (916) 351-0457 • Fax: (916) 351-1674  
Contact: **Karen Reichenberger**

If a portion of the work is too large for you to handle, contact us and we will try and break it into smaller portions

Plans and specs are available for review at Syblon Reid office and upon request will provide assistance with drawings and specifications.

Subcontractors and suppliers must be licensed to conduct business in the state of California. Must be able to provide payment and performance bonds. Upon approval of surety company SRC will pay bond premium up to 1.5% of subcontract amount and will assist with insurance compliance. SRC will work with subcontractors on joint check agreements. Plans and specs are available for viewing at our Folsom office and upon request will provide assistance with plans and specifications or help meet other requirements.



## SWINERTON BUILDERS

Requesting sub bids from all qualified subcontractors, material suppliers and trucking firms including Small Businesses (SBEs) and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises (DVBE).

### PROJECT INFO:

Project Name: Jordan High School Redevelopment Project

### OUTREACH GOALS

25% Small Business Enterprises and 3% Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises

### DESCRIPTION

Project scope, consists of two new three-story classroom buildings, a new practice gymnasium, a new on grade parking lot, and the conversion of the existing administration and multi-purpose buildings to accommodate new functions, plus utility and lighting upgrades, landscaping and associated site work. Buildings will be constructed to LEED and CHPS standards. Construction is expected to start in late 2013 with completion in February 2016.

### Swinerton Builders is seeking qualified contractors for the following trades:

furnishing all labor, materials, transportation, storage equipment, tools, etc. for the purchase, fabrication and installation of earthwork, concrete, steel, metal stud framing, plaster, drywall, roofing, painting, interior finishes and specialties, elevators, plumbing, HVAC, fire sprinklers, electrical and low voltage systems.

All subcontractors will be required to provide one hundred percent 100% performance and payment bonds from US Treasury listed Surety. Premium cost to be included in a separate line item.

Assistance in helping subcontractors obtaining bonds, lines of credit and/or insurance will be provided. Please contact Charles "Rick" Moore at 415.984.1289.

### BID DOCS

Plans and specifications are available for review and take off at Swinerton's LA Office located at 865 S Figueroa St Ste 3000 Los Angeles, CA 90017 or online via [www.smartbidnet.com](http://www.smartbidnet.com). Should you have any questions, please contact Nancy Figueroa at [nfigueroa@swinerton.com](mailto:nfigueroa@swinerton.com) or 213.869.3400.

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**SBE and Micro SBE Subcontractors**  
**Contract #C0591,**  
**Santa Clara Valley Water District,**  
**Rinconada Water Treatment Plant Residuals Management Project, Project # 93294051**  
**and Treated Water Values Upgrade Project,**  
**Project # 93294056,**  
**Bids 7/24/13**

**Services needed:** This is a treatment plant project with the typical items of work associated. Myers and Sons Construction is requesting quotes from all qualified subcontractors, trucking firms and suppliers including certified Small Business and Micro Small Business firms for the following types of work, including but not limited to: Operations and Maintenance Documents, Internet Based Project Management Work Flow System, NPDES Permit Compliance, Migratory Bird, Dusky Footed Woodrat, Environmental Training Awareness, Clearing and Grubbing, Control of Water, Booster Pumps and Discharge Values, Clearwell Treated Water Inlet and Outlets with Values, Clearwell Isolation with Values Manual Operator and Couplings, Values with Hydraulic and Electric Actuators, Filter Backwash Bypass with Electric Actuator, Plant Water Main Header Isolation Value with Manual Operator, Magnetic Flow Meter, Chemical Storage Structure Retrofit and Shoring, Baffle Wall Demolition and Repairs, Reservoir Cleaning Washdown and disinfectant, Clearwell Stairway Entrance and Handrail, Anionic Polymer Demolition in Control Building, Gravity Thickeners, Centrifuge Feed Pump Station, Centrifuge Building and Load-Out Structure, Centrifuge and Conveyor Systems, Washwater Recovery Basin Improvements, Belt Press Building Improvements, Connector Road, Office Trailer, Concrete, Mechanical, Earthwork, Foundations, Electrical, Building Trades.

Requirements: 100% Performance and payment bonds may be required for the full amount of the subcontract price. Subcontractors must possess a valid contractor's license, current insurance and worker's compensation coverage meeting Myers and Sons Construction's requirements. Subcontractors will be required to sign the standard Myers and Sons Construction Subcontract Agreement. Quotations must be valid for the one hundred and twenty (120) days after the specified Contract Award Date by the Owner. Plans and Specifications are available for viewing at our Sacramento office. Please call if you need assistance in obtaining bonding, insurance, equipment, materials and/or supplies or visit our website at our website [www.myers-sons.com](http://www.myers-sons.com) for more information. Myers and Sons Construction intends to work cooperatively with all qualified firms seeking work on this project. Myers and Sons Construction is signatory to the Laborers, Carpenters, Cement Masons and Operating Engineers. Myers and Sons Construction is an equal opportunity employer

## Myers and Sons Construction, LP

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Contact: **Clinton Myers**

Email: [cwmyers@myers-sons.com](mailto:cwmyers@myers-sons.com)

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