

Ins & Outs of the OSHA Whistleblower Program



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By *Ellie Batchiyska*,

It takes a brave individual to seek justice for the wrongs conducted on a worksite. Workers typically become whistleblowers after suffering retaliation from an employer that did not take favorably to being approached about an issue.

In the construction industry, whistleblowing is usually a result of the following wrongdoings as a result of a project:

- Asbestos in school sites
- Excessive air or water pollution as a result of work
- Improper disposal of solid, hazardous, or radioactive waste
- Any form of neglect of standards put in place by the Occupational Safety & Health Act (OSHA) – full list available [here](#)

So as to protect workers from the retaliation of employers, OSHA has set up the Whistleblower Protection Program. However, few know of its workings.

How to File a Complaint

Whistleblowers can file a complaint with OSHA if their employer has retaliated against their report of unethical/unlawful activity. While many workers are hesitant to do this for fear they will lose their jobs or be blacklisted in their industry, OSHA does offer protections against this.

Workers who have been retaliated against should file a complaint with OSHA as soon as possible.

Based on the law that is violated, there may even be a deadline. Complaints must be filed within a certain number of days after the retaliation has occurred, and can be filed either orally or in writing.

An online complaint form is available, but workers can also call their local/regional OSHA office. Note that complaints cannot be filed anonymously, hence the riskiness many employees associate with the task. Once filed, the employer will be given a reasonable time to respond before an investigation takes place.

What to Expect During an Investigation

If OSHA determines that the complaint/allegation is serious enough to warrant an investigation, they will assign someone to the case. This individual will be a neutral party, hired to assess the facts and get each party's side of the story. All parties will be notified in advance of the impending investigation.

Once the investigation has commenced, both parties must provide each other with all submissions they have made to OSHA in regards to the complaint. Each party should also work to provide contact information for witnesses of the issue in question. The accused party will have an opportunity to provide a written defense against the allegations, but the complaint filer will have a chance to rebut these.

Complaint filers should note that whistleblower investigations can take time. While it's always possible that both parties will settle over the course of the investigation, complainants should prepare themselves. Furthermore, if OSHA does not complete its investigation between 180-

210 days, complainants can involve the federal district court.

Once the Investigation is Over

If a case is solved in favor of the complainant, OSHA will do its best to reward that individual under their protection program. Whistleblowers are usually entitled to anywhere between 15-30% of proceeds from a suit. Upon winning a suit, OSHA will do its best to remove that individual from any industry blacklists that prevent them from finding related work.

It is unfortunate that whistleblowers can be met with such widespread indignation within their field. This can make embarking on the process risky unless the individual is willing to seek different/unrelated work in the meantime.

Despite the price there is to pay for pointing out injustice, significant progress in health and safety has been made through whistleblower programs. In turn, workers that have been wrongfully terminated, cast aside for promotions, and had pay withheld (among other retaliatory actions) can typically rely on OSHA's protection program to make things right.

Ellie Batchiyska is a writer for Advance Online, the first web-based training provider to be accepted by the OSHA Outreach Program for DOL OSHA completion cards.

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RIVERSIDE COUNTY TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

STATE ROUTE 60 TRUCK LANES

East of Moreno Valley from Gilman Springs Road to Jack Rabbit Trail (PM 22.1 to PM 26.6)

RCTC Agreement No. 18-31-146-00

FEDERAL AID PROJECT NO. CMLN-0654-090

BID DATE November 29, 2018 @ 2:00 p.m.

Sub & Vendor Bids Due Prior

Sukut Construction, LLC

4010 W. Chandler Avenue, Santa Ana, CA 92704

Contact: Dave Grattan

Phone: (714) 540-5351 • Fax: (714) 545-2003 • Email: estimating@sukut.com

Plans/specs are available for viewing at our office by appointment, via Sukut's FTP site, or may be obtained from Owner. Subcontractors must be prepared to furnish 100% performance and payment bonds and possess current insurance and workers' comp coverage. Sukut Construction will assist Qualified Subcontractors in obtaining bonds, insurance, and/or lines of credit. Please contact Sukut for assistance in responding to this solicitation. Subcontractors/Vendors will be required to sign Sukut's Standard Subcontract/Purchase Order. Copies are available for examination.

Sukut Construction's listing of a Subcontractor in its bid to the agency is not to be construed as an acceptance of all of the Subcontractor's conditions or exceptions included with Subcontractor's price quotes. Quotations must be valid for the same duration as specified by Owner for contract award.

Sukut Construction, LLC
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O.C. Jones & Sons, Inc.

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

Contact: Jason Martin

REQUEST FOR DVBE & SBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

Polyurethane Foam Injection to Raise Settled Pavement

Hwy 37 Novato

Caltrans #04-2J5004

BID DATE: November 28, 2018 @ 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, Treated Wood Waste, Temporary High-Visibility Fence, Clearing & Grubbing, Imported Borrow, Settlement Repair (Polyurethane Foam), Hydromulch, Hydroseed, Compost, Geosynthetic Pavement Interlayer (Paving Grid), AC Dike, Tack Coat, Cold Plane AC, Structural Concrete – Drainage Inlet, Bridge Removal, Underground, Misc. Iron & Steel, Pavement Marker, Object Marker, Midwest Guardrail System, Vegetation Control (Minor Concrete), Transition Railing, Concrete Barrier, Striping & Marking, and Construction Materials

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REQUESTING DVBE COMPANIES
FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT:

PROJECT:

**NEWCASTLE ELEMENTARY
CHARTER SCHOOL –
PHASE 3 EXTERIOR IMPROVEMENTS**

OWNER:

NEWCASTLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT

LOCATION:

**8951 VALLEY VIEW DR & 645 KENTUCKY
GREENS WAY, NEWCASTLE, CA 95658**

BID DATE: NOVEMBER 20, 2018 @ 2:00 p.m.

Bids should be sent to:

estimating@carterkelly.com

and faxed to 530-621-2344

CARTER-KELLY, INC.

P.O. BOX 1477

PLACERVILLE, CA 95667

PHONE: 530-621-0950

FAX: 530-621-2344

CONTACT: JIM CARTER

Carter-Kelly, Inc. is proud to be an EEO and requests quotations from Disabled Veterans, Small Business, Minority and Woman Owned businesses.

**Any questions please call
Robyn Kelly 530-621-0950 or
email: robynk@carterkelly.com**

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California Sub-Bid Request Ads

**Sub-Bids Requested from qualified DBE Subcontractors and Suppliers For:
NORTH CITY WATER RECLAMATION PLANT EXPANSION
EARLY SITE WORK AND OZONE/BAC RELOCATION**

Owner: The City of San Diego

Location: San Diego, CA

Bid Date: November 29, 2018 @ 2:00 P.M.

J.F. Shea Construction, Inc.

667 Brea Canyon Road, Suite 30 • Walnut, CA 91789

Phone: (909) 595-4397 • Fax: (909) 444-4268

Contact: Lori Olivas, lori.olivas@jfshea.com

J.F. Shea Construction, Inc. is soliciting your participation in the preparation of this bid. We are particularly interested in bids from subcontractors/suppliers for the following work items:

Demolition, Geotextiles, Drilled Concrete Piers & Shafts, Aggregates, AC Paving, Ready-Mix Concrete, Reinforcing Steel, Welding, Miscellaneous Metals, Sealants, Painting & Coatings, Signage, Equipment, and Electrical

Plans and Specifications:

You may obtain a free download by visiting the City's website: <http://www.sandiego.gov/cip/>.

Plans may also be viewed at the Dodge Plan Rooms or at our Walnut Office.

J.F. Shea Construction, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer and intends to negotiate in good faith with interested DBE firms and intends to utilize the lowest responsive bidder. J.F. Shea expects potential subcontractors to be bondable. J.F. Shea will pay for up to 1% for subcontractor bond costs. Subcontractors and Suppliers are expected to bid per plans and specifications, including requirements for warranties. Standard manufacturer's warranties, if not in conformance with owner's specifications, will not be accepted.



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-130B

THIS IS AN ACTIVE PROJECT

Please Send Information As Soon As Possible

DBE GOAL: 12%

CONTACT:

Brosamer & Wall, Inc.

1777 Oakland Blvd, Suite 300 • Walnut Creek, California 94596

PH: 925-932-7900 • FAX: 510-553-1130 • Contact: Alison Quincy

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; 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:

Bio-Hazard Cleanup, Waste Cleanup & Related

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 Alison Quincy, 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 and BART have made plans available electronically please email aquincy@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 Alison Quincy at 925-932-7900 or fax us your quote at 510-553-1130. 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.

B&W, INC., IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.



FISHER

Fisher Development, Inc.

We are requesting bids from LBE certified subcontractors and suppliers for the Tenant Improvement of 25,000 sqft of existing office space for the 440 Turk Street project, Contract 10000009329. Scope of work includes finish carpentry, doors, glazing, drywall, flooring, painting, toilet accessories and residential appliances. Construction is approximately from 1/15/19 thru 4/31/2019.

Subcontractors are required to include a minimum of 30% Local Hire and prevailing wage requirements.

Bids due: November 29, 2018 @ 2:00 PM

Fisher Development, Inc.

601 California Street, Suite 300

San Francisco, CA 94108

Phone: 415-228-3060 / Fax: 415-228-3028

Contact Mia Lee at mlee@fisherinc.com or call (415) 228-3043 to access bid documents.

Request For Qualified DBE

Subcontractors, Consultants and Suppliers For:

Caltrans Contract 04-4H0804

Place Temporary Support, Bridge Removal,

RSC Bridge and Miscellaneous Metal

In Alameda County Route 238, Route 580 at

Various Locations

Bid Date: November 29, 2018 at 2:00 PM

Requesting quotes for but not limited to:

Lead Compliance Plan, Construction Area Signs, Striping & Markers Portable Changeable Message Signs, Temporary Railing (Type K), Temporary Alternative Crash Cushion (TL-3), Prepare Water Pollution Control Program, Temporary Cover, Temporary Drainage Inlet Protection, Temporary Fiber Roll, Street Sweeping, Temporary Concrete Wash-out, Water Quality Sampling & Analysis, Remove Thermoplastic Traffic Stripe (Hazardous Waste) & Pavement Markers, Temporary Fencing, Erosion Control, Bar Reinforcing Steel (Bridge), Inject Crack (Epoxy), Miscellaneous Metal (Restrainer-Cable Type), Midwest Guardrail System, Minor Concrete, Concrete Barrier, End Anchor Assembly, Alternative In-Line Terminal System, Remove Guardrail, Materials & Supplies

CEC is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage DBE participation.

Plans and specs are available for viewing at our Pleasanton office.

They may also be viewed and downloaded from the Caltrans Website:

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/des/oe/weekly-ads/all-adv-projects.php>

100 % Payment & Performance Bonds will be required from a single, treasury-listed surety subject to our approval.

CEC will pay bond premiums up to 1.5%. Subcontractors awarded on any project will be on CEC's standard form for subcontract without any modifications. Please call for assistance in bonding, insurance, lines of credit, technical info, equipment and supplies or if any other assistance is needed.

California Engineering Contractors, Inc.

20 Happy Valley Road, Pleasanton, CA 94566

Phone (925) 461-1500 Fax (925) 461-0510

Email: estimator@cecmain.com

Estimator-Jeff Hollfelder

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California Sub-Bid Request Ads

Sub-Bids Requested From Qualified **SBE, MBE, DVBE, DBE, WBE**
Subcontractors & Suppliers

EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

For

INTEGRATED MAIN WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT MASTER PLAN (MWWTP Master Plan)

Location: Oakland, CA

Bid Date: December 5, 2018 @ 4:00 p.m.

Seeking the following services:

- 1) Air Permitting; 2) Architect; 3) Market Research Biosolids;
- 4) Cost Estimating; 5) Environmental Economist

Woodard & Curran, Inc.

2175 North California Blvd., Suite 315 • Walnut Creek, CA 94596

Phone: 925-627-4100 • Fax: 925-627-4101

Contact: Natalie Hardt • Email: nhardt@woodardcurran.com

We will assist interested firms in obtaining bonds, lines of credit
and/or insurance if necessary.



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General Engineering Contractor

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Contact: Jean Sicard

REQUEST FOR DBE
SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

Construct 3 Roundabouts

Hwy 29 Napa

Caltrans #04-2J1004

BID DATE: December 13, 2018 @ 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, Plastic Traffic Drums, Portable Changeable Message Signs, SWPPP, Rain Event Action Plan, Storm Water Sampling & Analysis, Sweeping, Treated Wood Waste, Biologist, Temporary High-Visibility Fence, Clearing & Grubbing, Roadway Excavation (Type R-1 Aerially Deposited Lead), Structure Excavation, Structure Backfill, Cellular Concrete Lightweight Embankment Material (Class II), Subgrade Enhancement Geotextile, Rock Blanket, Planting & Irrigation, Hydroseed, Compost, AC Dike, Tack Coat, Cold Plane AC, Concrete Pavement Grinding, CIDH Concrete Piling, Structural Concrete, Minor Concrete, Textured Asphalt, Concrete Surface Texture, Bar Reinforcing Steel, Furnish & Install Signal Pole, Pedestrian Barricade, Underground, Adjust Utilities to Grade, Culvert Slurry-Cement Backfill, Rock Slope Protection, Minor Concrete Curb & Gutter, Detectable Warning Surface, Pre/Post Construction Surveys, Booster Pump, Misc. Iron & Steel, Pedestrian Activated Warning Beacon System, Electrical, Stacked Rock Slope Protection, Survey Monument, Obliterate Surfacing, Fencing, Delineator, Pavement Marker, Milepost Marker, Object Marker, Roadside Signs, Midwest Guardrail System, Vegetation Control (Minor Concrete), Chain Link Railing, Cable Railing, Transition Railing, Alternative In-Line Terminal System, Concrete Barrier, Thermoplastic Striping & Marking, Painted Striping & Marking, and Construction Materials

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Phone: 510-526-3424 • FAX: 510-526-0990
Contact: Jean Sicard

REQUEST FOR DBE
SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

**Install Single Lane Roundabout
Hwy 12 Rio Vista**

Caltrans #04-4G5604

BID DATE: December 18, 2018 @ 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 Delineator, Portable Changeable Message Sign, SWPPP, Rain Event Action Plan, Storm Water Sampling & Analysis, Temporary Hydraulic Mulch, Temporary Silt Fence, Temporary Gravel Bag Berm, Sweeping, Treated Wood Waste, Clearing & Grubbing, Roadway Excavation, Structure Excavation, Structure Backfill, Subgrade Enhancement Geotextile – Class B1, Rock Blanket, Precast Concrete Panel, Electrical, Erosion Control, Hydromulch, Hydroseed, Compost, Lean Concrete Base, Tack Coat, Jointed Plain Concrete, Structural Concrete, Architectural Treatment, Bar Reinforcing Steel, Pipe Culvert, Minor Concrete, Misc. Iron & Steel, Pavement Marker, Roadside Sign, Vegetation Control (Minor Concrete), Transition Railing, Guard Rail, Concrete Barrier Transition, Grated Line Drain, Striping & Marking and Construction Materials

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Contact: Greg Souder

REQUEST FOR DBE
SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

**Replace Slabs, Resurface Shoulder & Ramps
and Construct MBGR & Barrier**

Hwy 580 Oakland/Alameda County

Caltrans #04-270104

BID DATE: December 11, 2018 @ 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, SWPPP, Rain Event Action Plan, Storm Water Sampling & Analysis, Sweeping, Treated Wood Waste, Noise Monitoring, Temporary High Visibility Fence, Clearing & Grubbing, Roadway Excavation (Type Z-2 Aerially Deposited Lead), Irrigation, Compost, Lean Concrete Base Rapid Setting, AC Dike, Tack Coat, Cold Plane AC, Individual Slab Replacement (RSC), Channelizers, Crash Cushions, Fiber Rolls, Pedestrian Barricade, Underground, Concrete Grinding, Detectable Warning Surface, Minor Concrete, Pre/Post Construction Surveys, Drain Inlets, Misc. Iron & Steel, Signal & Lighting, Emergency Vehicle Detection System, Fencing, Pavement Marker, Object Marker, Roadside Signs, Midwest Guardrail System, Vegetation Control (Minor Concrete), Transition Railing, Concrete Barrier, Striping & Marking, Electrical and Construction Materials

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California Sub-Bid Request Ads

Turner

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATION (RFQ) and RFQ's FROM LBABE/LIABE/SBE/VSBE
 RFQ Period: November 6, 2018 – November 21, 2018 @ 2pm

Turner Construction Company (Turner) is seeking RFQs for the following Trade Packages for:

**Oakland International Airport
 Moving Walkway Demolition**
 Approximate Construction Value: \$3,000,000
 Owner: Port of Oakland

This project includes removal of two each moving walkways in Building M-152 and two each moving walkways in Building M-367. Structural slab infill and flooring with provisions for future tenant work to be included. Both locations are located in Airfield Operations Area (AOA).

Only those Subcontractors who meet pre-qualification criteria and are deemed pre-qualified to perform work on their respective trades will be invited to submit a bid. Trade Subcontractors who do not submit the prequalification information and are not pre-qualified will not be allowed to bid the project.

PREQUALIFICATION OF PROSPECTIVE SUBCONTRACTORS:

Prequalifications are to be submitted online via www.turnerconstruction.com. Contact Marlene Guzman, mguzman@tcco.com for more information. Additional to the online Prequalification, the documents listed below will need to be provided by the subcontractor.

(Note: Turner has a 55% LBABE/LIABE goal which includes a 10% SBE/VSBE goal for this project.)

1. Oakland Port Certifications: (Local Business Area Business Enterprise (LBABE), Local Impact Area Business Enterprise (LIABE), Small Business Enterprise (SBE) & Very Small Business Enterprise (VSBE)).
2. Include your Department of Industrial Relations Certificate.

Turner is seeking RFQs for the following Bid Group # 1, trade packages:

BID PKG	TRADE PACKAGE DESCRIPTION	EST VALUE	BID PKG	TRADE PACKAGE DESCRIPTION	EST VALUE
2.0	INTERIOR DEMOLITION	370,000	9.5	ACOUSTICAL CEILING TILE	79,000
3.0	STRUCTURAL CONCRETE	201,000	9.6	FLOORING	166,000
5.1	STRUCTURAL STEEL / METAL DECKING / MISC METALS	355,000	9.9	PAINTING	141,000
8.10	DOORS, FRAMES & HARDWARE	38,000	15.3	FIRE PROTECTION	20,000
8.4	CURTAIN WALL/METAL PANELS/STOREFRONT/WINDOWS	17,000	16.0	ELECTRICAL	103,000
9.2	METAL STUD FRAMING / DRYWALL / PLASTER	505,000	16.4	LOW VOLTAGE / SECURITY / LIFE SAFETY	86,000

Turner has a 55% LBABE/LIABE goal which includes a 10% SBE/VSBE goal for this project. Persons claiming local business status shall apply to the Social Responsibility Division at least seven (7) business days before the bid or proposal due date for certification as a local business and return the application with documentation evidencing its business location, the length of time its business was located and operated in the LIA or LBA. Applications may be downloaded at <http://www.portofoakland.com/srd/>

*Payment and Performance Bonds are not required.

Please direct all questions to Marlene Guzman at 510-267-8105 or mguzman@tcco.com



SKANSKA • TRAYLOR • SHEA

Skanska-Traylor-Shea JV of 5055 Wilshire Blvd, Suite 700, Los Angeles, CA requests sub-bid quotes from certified DBE's for Architecturally Exposed Structural Steel and Miscellaneous Metals on the **Westside Subway Extension Section 1 project. Owner: LACMTA (Metro). Contract No. C1045 RFP No. 074WS and 073WS • Bid Date: November 30, 2018 at 2:00pm.**

Plans & Specs can be viewed at our office Monday - Friday 8am to 4pm (call for appointment) or downloaded free at the following links.

074WS Structural Steel: <https://skanskausa.sharefile.com/ii/d670e87c42749ae8>
 073WS Miscellaneous Metals: <https://skanskausa.sharefile.com/ii/i3dfb7de82364621a>

Should you have any questions or desire to quote on this project, please contact Teresa Maxwell, DBE Coordinator at 213.598.2237 or teresa.maxwell@skanska.com. Assistance in bonding, insurance, lines of credit or obtaining equipment, supplies and materials is available upon request. This advertisement is in response to Metro's DBE program. Skanska-Traylor-Shea JV intends to conduct itself in good faith with DBE firms regarding participation on this project.

More info about this project is available at www.skanska-traylor-shea.com.

Skanska-Traylor-Shea JV is an EEO/AA/Vet/Disability Employer.

Construction employment rises from October 2017 to October 2018 in 44 states and D.C.; 36 States, D.C. Add construction jobs since September

Texas Has Biggest Annual Job Increase While New Jersey Continues Losses; Iowa, Florida and California Have Largest One-Month Gains as Mississippi and Louisiana Trail

Forty-four states and the District of Columbia added construction jobs between October 2017 and October 2018, while 36 states and D.C. added construction jobs between September and October, according to an analysis by the Associated General Contractors of America of Labor Department data released today. Association officials said that firms in most parts of the country are adding staff to keep pace with growing demand for construction, but cautioned that rising labor and materials costs could undermine future demand.

“Construction activity continues to expand at a steady clip, with employment growing by more than ten percent during the past year in five states and by more than five percent in another 18 states,” said chief economist Ken Simonson. “As contractors pay more for labor and most of the materials they use to build, construction costs will climb, potentially dampening future demand for their services.”

Texas added the most construction jobs during the past year (49,900 jobs, 6.9 percent). Other states adding a large number of new construction jobs for the past 12 months include Florida (43,400 jobs, 8.5 percent), California (30,000 jobs, 3.6 percent), Georgia (21,600 jobs, 11.6 percent), Arizona (18,000 jobs, 12.1 percent) and New York (15,600 jobs, 4.1 percent). Arizona added the highest percentage of new construction jobs during the past year, followed by Georgia, Nevada (11.4 percent, 9,500 jobs), Oregon (10.5 percent, 10,400 jobs), New Hampshire (10.3 percent, 2,800 jobs) and Florida. Construction employment reached a record high in five states: Massachusetts, New York, Oregon, Texas and Washington.

Six states shed construction jobs between October 2017 and 2018. The largest declines and steepest percentage losses occurred in New Jersey (-3,800 jobs, -2.5 percent), followed by South Carolina (-1,700 jobs, -1.7 percent), Oklahoma (-500 jobs, -0.6 percent), Hawaii (-300 jobs, -0.8 percent) and Mississippi (-300 jobs, -0.7 percent).

Among the 36 states with one-month job gains be-



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McCarthy Building Companies

Seeking SLBE and ELBE Subcontractors and Suppliers for:

CITY OF SAN DIEGO - PLAZA de PANAMA – BALBOA PARK – HARD BID
PARKING STRUCTURE – SITE IMPROVEMENTS & STRUCTURES – BRIDGE - PIPELINES

SLBE / ELBE Pre-bid Meeting: Monday November 19, 2018 at 1:00 pm

McCARTHY SAN DIEGO OFFICE – 9275 SKYPARK COURT #200, SAN DIEGO, CA 92123

RSVP via this link - <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/6CZPXF> or email kquintanilla@mccarthy.com

RFI Deadline: Wednesday November 21, 2018 before 11:00 am

Subcontractor Pricing Due: Tuesday December 4, 2018 before 11:00 am

McCarthy Building Companies is requesting bid proposals from qualified subcontractors and suppliers for this project. **Please submit your RFI's and proposals per above deadline.**

ADDENDA A, B, C & D HAVE BEEN ISSUED. PLEASE FOLLOW THE LINK BELOW.

This project includes a new parking structure, cast in place bridge and campus wide site work. Major trades include Shoring, Demolition & Earthwork, SWPPP, Site Utilities, Site Concrete, AC Paving, Pavers, Pavement Markings, Landscaping, Fountains, Structural Concrete, Reinforcing & PT, Masonry, Miscellaneous Metals, Rough Carpentry, Waterproofing, Sheetmetal, Doors, Frames & Hardware, Overhead Doors, Metal Studs & Plaster, Glazing, Painting, Parking Equipment, Elevators, Fire Protection, Plumbing, HVAC, and Electrical.

Assistance is available to **Small Local Business Enterprise (SLBE)** and **Emerging Local Business Enterprise (ELBE)** companies in obtaining necessary equipment, supplies & materials as well as in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, or insurance.

Please include your bonding company information and bond rate along with your company's EMR for the last 3 years. This is a **Prevailing Wage** job. Please hold your bid for 120 days.

Bidding Documents: The bidding documents can be viewed and downloaded for free - now through BuildingConnected and through the McCarthy Box webpage:

<https://mbc.box.com/s/snd4696f8e2mjs5q2ljhswiifpfz2ibs>

RFI's: RFI's are to be directed to Spencer Yoder, syoder@mccarthy.com

Please do not contact the owners or their consultants directly. Failure to follow this requirement may disqualify your proposal.

We are looking forward to receiving your proposal and encourage you to contact us with any questions or comments.

TAFT ELECTRIC COMPANY

1694 EASTMAN AVENUE, VENTURA, CA 93003

Phone: (805) 642-0121 • Fax: (805) 644-1542

Contact: Arnold Tostado • Email: atostado@taftelectric.com

Invites sub-bids from qualified **DVBE** businesses for the following project:

Agency: STATE OF CALIFORNIA • DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Install Traffic Signal, Metal Guardrail System, Signs & Striping

Contract # 07-4T8604 / 07-Ven-118-12.6/13.7

Location: Ventura County Near Somis and Moorpark at Various Locations

BID DATE: November 28, 2018

Trades Seeking:

Lead Compliance Plan, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control, Guardrails, Portable Changeable Message Signs, Job Site Management, Water Pollution Control Program, Temporary Concrete Washout, Striping Markings & Signage, Roadway Excavation, Vegetation Control (Minor Concrete)

We are an Equal Opportunity Employer and intend to seriously negotiate with qualified Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise subcontractors and suppliers for project participation.

Payment and performance bonds may be required. Please contact us at the above listed number for further information regarding bidding on this project. To the best of our abilities we will help with bonds/insurance/credit. Plans are available for viewing at our office.

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**Barnard Bessac Joint Venture
DBE Opportunities**

Barnard Bessac Joint Venture, an Equal Opportunity Employer, is seeking quotes from interested and qualified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE's) and other subcontractors and suppliers for the following:

PROJECT:

**Gravity Pipeline Progressive Design Build Project
OWNER: Silicon Valley Clean Water**

Initial Publish Date: August 30, 2018

Proposal Deadline: October 1, 2018

Firms that are certified by one of the following programs are qualified: Entities owned and/or controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals, MBE, WBE, SBE, SBRA, LSAF and HUB.

OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDE

(For October 1, 2018 Deadline):

Shaft - Slurry wall; Jet Grout; Earth Pressure Balance Tunnel Boring Machine fabrication & delivery; Concrete foundations (flat work); Concrete demolition & off-haul (shallow structures); Site clearing & grading; Site fencing; Trucking (spoils off-haul & disposal); Office Janitorial services; Office Supplies; Security; Quality control testing and other laboratory testing services; Trucking of materials & equipment; Equipment rental (Loaders, Skidsteers, Excavators, Manlifts, Forklifts); Raw material supply (iron/steel, consumables, fluids); Fabrication; Jobsite supplies (PPE, tools, etc...); Printing services (plotting / signs / banners); Traffic control supply and/or services; Utility relocation; Trench excavation and shoring; Potholing; Geotechnical investigation (Borings, CPT's); Instrumentation & Monitoring; Pre-condition surveys (buildings, roadways, utilities); Rebar supply and/or installation; Ready-Mix concrete supply; Street sweeping / cleaning; Utility inspections; Water treatment systems; Concrete pumping and placing; and Dimensional lumber supply.

Please contact either of the following names to get your name on the bidders list:

Shannon Cozino:

shannon.cozino@barnard-inc.com (site office)

Brittany McNamee:

brittany.mcnamee@barnard-inc.com (HQ office)



California Sub-Bid Request Ads

Pankow

BID NOTICE MBE/DBE FIRMS

Pankow requests interest to bid from qualified and certified Minority and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MBE/DBE) firms for the Hollywood Park MU4 Project, located in the City of Inglewood, California, in the Hollywood Park Project Area. The project consists of constructing three core & shell structures – (1) seven (7) level office tower of approximately 395,000 SF; (1) two (2) level 46,000 SF Studio Support Space; and (1) 25,000 SF Studio building. All structures are constructed from concrete. The site consists of approximately 6 acres and will include approximately 76,000 square feet of landscaping, driveways, walkways, drive lanes, loading docks, trash enclosure as well as service yard and equipment.

Current subcontracting scopes of work are as follows:

****ALL APPLICABLE TRADES****

Pankow will be hosting a Pre-Bid Meeting on Thursday, November 28, 2018 from 9-11am. This meeting will be held at Rogers Park Auditorium, located at 400 West Beach Avenue in Inglewood.

Project Name: Hollywood Park MU4 Office-Studio Project

Estimated Cost: \$100,000,000

Participation Goal: 30% Minority Business Enterprise (MBE Certified) or Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE Certified)

Local Hire Participation Goal: 30% of the labor hours for required journeyman and foreman positions for the construction

Developer: Wilson Meany

General Contractor: Charles Pankow Builders, Ltd.

Project Requirement: Hollywood Park Development Project Labor Agreement (PLA)

Project Duration: February 2019 through September 2020

Bid Interest Notice Due Date & Time: **TBD**

*** All bidders interested in bidding will need to participate in pre-qualification measures prior to receiving a formal invitation to bid.**

For information on the availability of plans, specifications, and the Bidder's policy, please submit a request to Pankow Estimating at HPMU4@pankow.com.

Pankow Builders is an Equal Opportunity Employer and encourages the participation of MBE/WBE firms.

**Project: State Hwy near Wheeler Ridge Route 5/99 Separation
Project # 06-0T20U4**

OWNER: CALTRANS – DBE GOAL 12%

BID DATE: DECEMBER 6TH, 2018 • BID TIME: 2:00 P.M.

****Please respond by 5:00 p.m., DECEMBER 5TH, 2018****

Coffman Specialties, Inc. (CSI) is requesting quotes from all qualified subcontractors and suppliers for the following items of work, including but not limited to:

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| • TRUCKING / IMPORT BORROW, BASES ASPHALT | • STREET SWEEPING |
| • EQUIPMENT RENTAL | • DISPOSAL OF SOILS, PAVEMENTS & DEBRIS |
| • LEAD COMPLIANCE PLAN / ADL WORK | • CONCRETE / MINOR CONCRETE |
| • SWPPP / WPC | • ASPHALT / ASPHALT PAVING / ASPHALT DIKE |
| • SURVEY / QC | • COLD PLANING / PULVERIZING |
| • CONSTRUCTION AREA & ROADSIDE SIGNS | • CLEAR & GRUB |
| • PAVEMENT MARKING / STRIPING | • ELECTRICAL |
| • TRAFFIC CONTROL | • LANDSCAPING |
| • WATER TRUCK | • AGGREGATE SUPPLY / AGGREGATE BASE |
| • EARTHWORK / GRADING / ROADWAY EXCAVATION | • CONCRETE BARRIER |
| • EROSION CONTROL | • REBAR |
| • METAL BEAM GUARD RAIL (MBGR) / FENCING | • DRAINAGE / PIPE SUPPLY |
| • CONCRETE SAWCUT & SEALING | |

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/Materials and/or supplies. ****Subcontractors must provide a current contractor's license number and Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) current registration number with their quote.**

Plans and specs are available at no cost to interested firms. Please contact our office @ (858) 536-3100, email us: estimating@coffmanspecialties.com or you can visit our San Diego Office. We are an EOE & seriously intend to negotiate with qualified firms.

**Please send quotes via email to estimating@coffmanspecialties.com or via fax to (858) 586-0164

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact Gus Rios or Marty Keane @ (858) 536-3100



9685 Via Excelencia, Ste 200 • San Diego, CA 92126

Phone: (858) 536-3100 • Bid Fax: (858) 586-0164

e-mail inquiries to: estimating@coffmanspecialties.com



Kiewit

Kiewit Infrastructure West Co.

4650 Business Center Drive Fairfield, CA 94534

Attn: Victor Molina • norcal.bids@kiewit.com

Fax: 707-439-7301

Requests sub-bids from qualified California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE), Subcontractors, Consultants, and/or Suppliers seeking to participate in the Construction of Downtown/Riverfront Streetcar Civil, Track, Structures, Stations and Systems Project in Sacramento.

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/obeo/index.html>

Subcontractors and Suppliers for the following project:

Sacramento Streetcar Project

Bid Document No: S030.08.01

Control No: 2018094

Owner: Sacramento Regional Transit District

Bid Date: December 20, 2018 at 2:00 P.M.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs)

wanted for the following scopes, including, but not limited to:

Aggregates, AC Paving, AC Milling/Cold Plane, Bus Shelter/Canopy, Cathodic Protection, CIDH, Clearing and Grubbing, Concrete Pumping, Concrete Reinforcement, Concrete Supply, Cast in Place Concrete Structures/Pavement, Demolition, Detectable Warning Surface, Earthwork, Electrical & Communications, Erosion Control, Equipment Rental, Fencing & Gates, Flashbutt Welding, Grind Existing Bridge Deck, Grind Existing Concrete Pavement, Groundwater Treatment, Guardrail, Hydraulic Mulch and Dry Seed, Joint Seal, Landscaping, Lighting, Message Signs, Minor Concrete, Misc. Metals, OCS/TPSS, OCS Foundations, Pavers Brick & Granite, Painting & Coating, Pavement Markings, Piping & Valve Supply, Precast Concrete, Quality Control, Movable Bridge Balancing, Traffic Control, Traffic Signals, Track Rail & OTM, Special Track, Steel Ties & Encapsulation, Sawcutting/Coring, Security, Signage/CMS, Site Furnishings, Sheet Metal, Shoring, Slurry Seal, Structural Steel, SWPPP, Survey, Trucking & Hauling, Temp Facilities, Sweeping, Utilities, Utility Bypassing, Utility Locating, Vehicle Maintenance & Storage Facility, Wayside Signaling & Highway Rail Road Crossing Warning Systems, Wood Ties, Water Trucks.

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 certified, DBE 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 Scores are due

December 14, 2018 and Quotes

NO LATER THAN December 19, 2018 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 will be required for subcontractors

Davis-Bacon Act Applies

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DIR # 1000001147



California Sub-Bid Request Ad

nibbi GUZMAN JOINT VENTURE

Project Name:
490 South Van Ness Joint Trench Bid
Location: San Francisco, California
Bid Date: Monday, December 10, 2018 @2pm
Pre-Bid Meeting:
November 27, 2018 @ 10:30AM
Location: Nibbi Office, 1000 Brannan St., Suite 102
Labor Requirements: Prevailing Wage
Project Schedule: October 2018 – May 2020

NIBBI/GUZMAN Joint Venture team has been selected as the General Contractor for the 490 South Van Ness project in San Francisco, CA. We are in receipt of the Issued for Construction Set Dated 8/15/18 and are currently requesting bid proposals from qualified subcontractors including those certified with SLBE's for **JOINT TRENCH**. The **Contract Monitoring Division (CMD)** has set the **SBE participation goal for this project at 20%**. For more information about the San Francisco SBE program as it relates to this solicitation, please see Exhibit A and/or contact Mr. Ian Fernando at (415) 581-2307 or ian.fernando@sfgov.org at the City and County of San Francisco Contract Monitoring Division. The project consists of new construction of 81 housing units in San Francisco with a total of 78,958 gross square feet. The 7-story type I-B Construction building is publicly funded 100% affordable housing residential building with ground floor public community flex space; one partial basement level for storage and building services.

To get access to the bid documents, please contact Kristin Medwick, Senior Precon & Estimating Coordinator via email, kristinm@nibbi.com.

For specific questions regarding this project, please contact Chris Brown, Project Manager via email, chrisb@nibbi.com.



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ethnic and gender lines as well as traditional
industry segments.

nibbi

Project Name: Pier 70 E2 Design-Build MEPF
Location: San Francisco, California

Bid Date: Monday, December 7, 2018 @2pm

Pre-Bid Meeting: November 16, 2018 @ 1PM

Location: Nibbi Office, 1000 Brannan St., Suite 102

Labor Requirements: This project is subject to a Project Stabilization Agreement (Labor Agreement) and Prevailing wage provisions.
Project Schedule: June 2019 – June 2021

Nibbi Brothers has been selected as the General Contractor for the Pier 70 Building E2 project in San Francisco, CA. We are in receipt of the 50% DD Set and are currently requesting bid proposals from subcontractors and suppliers including those certified with the San Francisco Contract Monitoring Department (CMD) as local business enterprises (LBE's) DIV 15 and 16. **Please note that All Subcontractors will be required to comply with the following requirements by the Port of San Francisco:**

1. 17% LBE Disadvantaged Business (LBE) goal.
2. The Project is subject to MBE/WBE/VBE participation goals in accordance with the Developer's Diversity Program with a goal of 10% participation.
3. 30% of total construction hours performed by SF residents.
 - Consistent with Local Hire Program.
 - Contractor agrees to work with the Office of Economic and Workforce Development (OEWD) and local partner Young Community Developers (YCD).
4. 50% new hires for employment opportunities in the construction trades and any Entry-level Position.
 - Contractor agrees to work in Good Faith with the Office of Economic and Workforce Development (OEWD).
5. Pier 70 desires to engage contracting teams that reflect the diversity of our City and include participation of both businesses and residents from the City's most disadvantaged communities including, but not limited to, the neighborhoods in the 94107, 94124, and 94134 zip codes.

The project consists of new construction of Type III-A fully sprinkler construction for 5 stories of R-2 residential over 2 story Type IA above grade group R-2 residential, Group M Retail and A-2 Restaurant in San Francisco with a total of 244,502 gross square feet. Includes one floor of below grade parking for 105 automobiles, retail space at ground floor, and 7 Story residential building containing 275 dwelling units.

To get access to the bid documents, please contact Kristin Medwick, Senior Precon & Estimating Coordinator via email, kristinm@nibbi.com.
For specific questions regarding this project, please contact Jordan Drake, Project Manager via email, jordand@nibbi.com.

To get access to the bid documents, please contact Kristin Medwick, Senior Precon & Estimating Coordinator via email, kristinm@nibbi.com.

For specific questions regarding this project, please contact Jordan Drake, Project Manager via email, jordand@nibbi.com.

DESILVA GATES CONSTRUCTION

11555 Dublin Boulevard • P.O. Box 2909
Dublin, CA 94568-2909
(925) 829-9220 / FAX (925) 803-4263
Estimator: **VICTOR LE**
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 580 ON
STATE HIGHWAY IN ALAMEDA COUNTY FROM
ROUTE 580/ROUTE 238 SEPARATION TO
BOSTON AVENUE UNDERCROSSING**

CONTRACT NO. 04-270104

**Federal Aid Project No. ACSB1M-580-1(076)E
Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Goal
Assigned is 18%**

OWNER

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

BID DATE: December 11th, 2018 @ 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, Concrete Barrier, Construction Area Signs, Electrical, Erosion Control, Fencing, Hazardous Material, Landscaping / Irrigation, Lead Compliance Plan, Metal Beam Guardrail, Minor Concrete, Minor Concrete Structure, PCC Grinding, LCB, RSC Paving, Roadside Signs, Rumble Strip, Sign Structure, Striping, Survey/Staking, SWPPP Prep/Water Pollution Control Plan Prepare, Temporary Erosion Control, Traffic Control System, Underground, Vegetation Control, Trucking, Water Trucks, Street Sweeping, Class 2 Aggregate Base Material, Hot Mix Asphalt (Type A) Material, Rubberized HMA (Gap 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 and password is f7pa55wd) 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 Victor Le. 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.



California Sub-Bid Request Ad

SKANSKA

REDLANDS PASSENGER RAIL PROJECT MAINLINE CONSTRUCTION

IN SAN BERNARDINO AND REDLANDS

Invitation for Bids (IFB) 17-1001705

Bid Date: December 5, 2018 2:00 PM

Skanska USA Civil West California District Inc. is interested in soliciting in Good Faith all subcontractors, material suppliers, professional services, consultants and vendors; especially DBE subcontractors related to the scopes of work below for the Redlands Passenger Rail Project Mainline Construction in San Bernardino and Redlands.

All Quotes are due by Friday, November 30, 2018 by 5:00 pm so that all bids/proposals can be fairly evaluated.

Quotes requested include but are not limited to the following work categories:

Traffic Control Devices, Construction Area Signs, Signage, Striping, Equipment Rental or Lease, Safety Equipment, Surveillance Systems, Minor Concrete, Concrete Ditch, Electrical, Earthwork, Asphalt Paving, Asphalt Milling, Fence, Landscape, Handrail, Mechanical, Plumbing, Canopies, Site Furnishings, Masonry, Painting, Land Survey, Quality Control Testing, SWPPP, BMP Materials, Clear and Grub, Bridge Demolition, Aggregate Materials, Rip Rap, Reinforcing Steel, Ready-mix Concrete, Structural Steel, Precast Girders, Steel Piling, CIDH Piling, Waterproofing, Joint Seal Assembly, Bearing Pads, Cellular Concrete, Ground Improvement (Deep Soil Mix), Metal Decking, Miscellaneous Metals, MSE Wall Panels, Articulated Concrete Block, RCP, CMP, HDPE, Waterline Pipe and related.

Assistance: Skanska will assist qualified subcontractors, vendors, & suppliers in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies. If you are a DBE Company, please provide your certification letter with your proposal. If you are a non-DBE, please indicate all lower-tier participation on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. In order to assist DBE subcontractors and suppliers, we will divide total requirements into smaller packages, tasks or quantities & establish delivery & construction schedules which will permit maximum participation when feasible. We will also review breaking out scope packages and adjusting schedules to assist permit maximum participation.

Plans and Specifications are available for view at our main office in Riverside (Please call or email for appointment). In order to view the documents for this project you must sign a **Sensitive Security Information (SSI) form must be signed and returned by Email: bids.social@skanska.com prior to being granted access to the plans and specifications.**

Once your signed SSI form is returned, you will receive a bid invitation via Building Connected.

Subcontracting Requirements: Skanska's insurance requirements are Commercial General Liability (GL): \$1M ea. occ., \$1M personal injury, \$2M products & completed operations agg. & general agg; \$1M Auto Liability; \$5M Excess/Umbrella and \$1M Workers Comp. Endorsements and waivers required are the Additional Insured Endorsement, Primary Wording Endorsement, & a Waiver of Subrogation (GL & WC).

Other insurance requirements may be necessary per scope or RFP requirement. Subcontractors may be required to furnish performance & payment bonds in the full amount of their subcontract by an admitted surety & subject to approval by Skanska. 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. 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.

Skanska is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer

EEO/AA/Vet/Disability Employer

Estimating Department - 1995 Agua Mansa Rd, Riverside, CA 92509

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

Email: bids.social@skanska.com • Estimating Contact: Joe Sidor



McCarthy Building Companies, Inc.

20401 S.W. Birch Street, Newport, CA. 92660
Phone (949) 851-8383 Fax (949) 756-6841
Stephanie Monsen – smonsens@mccarthy.com

Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise - Invitation to Bid

**Project: Santa Ana College -
Johnson Student Center**

Number: E-1806

Bids Due: Nov 5, 2018 - 12:00PM PST

**Location: 1530 West 17th Street,
Santa Ana, CA, 92706**

Expected Start: December 2018

Expected Finish: November 2020

Project Size: 63,000 sq. ft.

Architect: HPI Architecture

Description:

The project is located at the Santa Ana College Campus, 1530 West 17th Street, Santa Ana, CA 92706. This project will demolish an existing two-story concrete building and to construct a new 62,424 GSF two-story building. The new building is a steel framed building with steel buckling-restrained braced frames. The building will house the Campus Store, Café, Grab-n-Go Food; Health Center; Disabled Students Program & Services ("DSPS"); Extended Opportunity Programs and Services ("EOPS"); International Students Program; Student Activity Center ("The Spot"); Student Government; Student Life; Student Financial Services; Student Support Services Program ("SSSP"); Financial Aid; Conference Rooms; Quick Copy; Warehouse/Receiving; Publications; and support spaces.

The project includes three packages:

1. Building demolition – Non-DSA project
 - a. Scope generally includes the hazardous material abatement and demolition of existing building.
 2. Underground demolition and earthwork – DSA #04-116810 INC 1 (DSA Approved)
 - a. Scope generally includes partial removal of existing deep foundation and site preparation for new building (earthwork, over-excavation, placement of engineered fill and re-compaction of soil).
 3. New building – DSA #04-116810 INC 2 (DSA Approved)
 - a. Scope generally includes new building, site improvements, utilities, landscaping, irrigation, road improvements, and custom fabric shade structure.
- Documents can be found at - <https://mbc.box.com/v/JohnsonStudentCenter>

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**CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

**Contract No. 1000011500
TURK & HYDE MINI PARK
RENOVATION PROJECT**

Sealed bids will be received at 1155 Market Street, 4th Floor, San Francisco, California 94103 until **2:30:00 p.m. on December 5, 2018**, after which they will be publicly opened and read. Digital files of Bid Documents, Plan Holders Lists, and Addenda may be downloaded at no cost from the Public Works Electronic Bid Documents Download site at www.sfpublishworks.org/biddocs. Please visit the Contracts, Bids and Payments webpage at www.sfpublishworks.org for more information (click on Resources > Contractor Resources). Notices regarding Addenda and other bid changes will be distributed by email to Plan Holders.

The work to be done under this contract is located at Turk and Hyde Playground at Turk Street and Hyde Street, San Francisco, California, consists of site improvements with demolition; grading; drainage; soil improvement; utility work; play equipment; synthetic turf; trellis swing; concrete paving; walls and curbs; new planting and irrigation; lighting; fencing; all as shown on the drawings and as specified in these Specifications. The time allowed for completion is 210 consecutive calendar days. The Engineer's estimate is approximately \$1,290,000. For more information, contact the Project Manager, **Michael DeGregorio** at (415) 581-2575.

On July 1, 2014, the registration program under section 1725.5 of the California Labor Code went into effect. The program requires that all contractors and subcontractors who bid or work on a public works project register and pay an annual fee to the California Department of Industrial Relations ("DIR").

No contractor or subcontractor may be listed in a bid or awarded a contract for a public works project unless registered with the DIR as required by Labor Code section 1725.5 [with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1(a)].

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

Pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code ("Administrative Code") Section 6.25 and Chapter 25 of the Environment Code, "Clean Construction" is required for the performance of all work.

This Contract is subject to the requirements of Administrative Code Chapter 12X, which prohibits the City from entering into any Contract with a Contractor that has its United States headquarters in a state with laws that perpetuate discrimination against LGBT populations ("Covered State") or where any or all of the work on the contract will be performed in any of those states. A list of states on the Covered State List can be found at: <https://oag.ca.gov/ab1887>.

The Specifications include liquidated damages. Contract will be on a Lump Sum Bid Items basis. Progressive payments will be made.

The Contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible responsive bidder.

A bid may be rejected if the City determines that any of the bid item prices are materially unbalanced to the potential detriment of the City.

Bid discounts may be applied as per Administrative Code Chapter 14B. LBE Subcontracting Participation Requirement is **12%**. Call Diane Mai-Tran at (415) 581-2310 for details. In accordance with Administrative Code Chapter 14B requirements, all bidders shall submit documented good faith efforts with their bids, except those who exceed the above stated LBE Subcontracting Participation Requirement by 35%.

Bidders must achieve 80 out of 100 points to be deemed responsive. Bidders will receive 15 points for attending the pre-bid conference, if scheduled. Refer to CMD Form 2B.

A pre-bid conference will be held on **November 16, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.** at 201 Hyde Street, San Francisco, CA 94102.

For information on the City's Surety Bond and Finance Program, call 415-986-3999 or bond@imwis.com.

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

Class "A" license required to bid.

In accordance with Administrative Code Chapter 6, no bid is accepted and no contract in excess of \$600,000 is awarded by the City and County of San Francisco until such time as the General Manager of the Recreation and Park Department recommends the contract for award, and the Recreation and Park Commission then adopts a resolution awarding the Contract. Pursuant to Charter Section 3.105, all contract awards are subject to certification by the Controller as to the availability of funds.

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

This Project is subject to the requirements of the San Francisco Local Hiring Policy for Construction ("Policy") as set forth in Administrative Code Section 6.22(g). Bidders are hereby advised that the requirements of the Policy will be incorporated as a material term of any contract awarded for the Project. Refer to Section 00 73 30 of the Project Manual for more information.

Bidders are hereby advised that the Contractor to whom the Contract is awarded must be certified by the Contract Monitoring Division as being in compliance with the Equal Benefits Provisions of Chapter 12B of the Administrative Code within two weeks after notification of award.

If a bidder objects on any ground to any bid specification or legal requirement imposed by this Advertisement for Bids, the bidder shall, no later than the 10th working day prior to the date of Bid opening, provide written notice to the Contract Administration Division, San Francisco Public Works, setting forth with specificity the grounds for the objection.

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

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SMALL BUSINESS EXCHANGE

EPA Awards \$300K to California Small Businesses to Develop Innovative Technologies

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) announced \$300,000 in funding to three small businesses in California to develop new technologies that protect the environment while growing the American economy. About \$1.7 million was awarded to 16 small businesses nationwide.

"EPA is providing small businesses with financial support to develop innovative technologies that will address urgent environmental and public health needs across the nation," said EPA Acting Administrator Andrew Wheeler. "This year, we are encouraging the development of a variety of new technologies, including innovations to help address PFAS and improve water quality nationwide."

The contracts announced today are funded through EPA's Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program, which encourages the development and commercialization of novel technologies that support EPA's mission to protect human health and the environment. The small businesses that are being funded are working on a wide range of topics including water quality, air quality, land revitalization, homeland security, manufacturing, and construction materials.

EPA is awarding phase I contracts to the following three small businesses in California for up to \$100,000 for six months:

- Seacoast Science Inc., Carlsbad, Calif., to develop innovative broad-spectrum analysis methods for Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) that will simplify PFAS analysis, reduce cost-per-sample, and allow portability to remediation sites.
- Altex Technologies Corporation, Sunnyvale, Calif., to create a process to produce renewable, toxic-free, low-energy, low cost bioplastics.
- Intelligent Optical Systems Inc., Torrance, Calif., to create greener, degradable plastics with a high heat tolerance, produced from bio-based feedstock.

Nationwide, EPA awarded 17 phase I contracts to 16 small businesses for up to \$100,000 for six months. Phase I recipients are eligible to apply for a phase II contract, which will help commercialize the technology that was conceptualized in phase I. A phase II contract can fund these companies with up to \$300,000 to develop their environmental technology for the marketplace.

For a full list of the SBIR contracts funded, please visit: https://cfpub.epa.gov/ncer_abstracts/index.cfm/fuseaction/recipients.display/rfa_id/644/records_per_page/ALL

More information about EPA's SBIR program can be found at: www.epa.gov/sbir



Public Legal Notices

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE MEDICAL CENTER

NOTICE INVITING GENERAL CONTRACTOR PREQUALIFICATION

Prequalification Questionnaires will be received by the University of California, Irvine Medical Center (UCIMC) from general contractors wishing to submit bids for a lump sum contract for the:

B1, DH44, Increase Douglas Hospital Inpatient Capacity, Project No. 994651

PREQUALIFICATION: The University has determined that bidders must be prequalified for this project.

DESCRIPTION OF WORK: This project will convert the overflow Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (DH44 Unit) into a new Medical-Surgical and/or Telemetry bed unit on the 4th Floor of the Douglas Hospital. Scope of works include renovate approximately 11,300 square feet of space on the 4th Floor of Douglas Hospital to provide 16 additional inpatient beds, two ADA staff restrooms/locker rooms (1 for each gender), clean and soiled utility rooms, equipment storage, three offices and support space, lounge and an EVS closet. Additional work includes new paint, flooring, finishes, case-work, lighting, MEP, structural framing, fire suppression, medical gas and equipment.

PROJECT COMPLETION TIME: 180 - 240 days.

ESTIMATED COST: \$8,000,000+

PROCEDURES: Prequalification Questionnaires available Tuesday, November 6, 2018, 2:00 PM. Contact Kim Kerwin, (714) 456-5735, khau@uci.edu

MANDATORY PREQUALIFICATION CONFERENCE: Tuesday, November 13, 2018 at UCIMC, Building 22A (Library Auditorium), Room 2107, 101 The City Drive South, Orange, CA 92868, beginning promptly at 10:00 AM.

QUESTIONNAIRE DUE DATE: Questionnaires must be received by Tuesday, November 27, 2018 at 4:00 PM only at UCIMC, Planning Administration, Building 27, Room 136, 101 The City Drive South, Orange, CA 92868.

BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS: Must meet license, insurance, bonding, safety, financial and claims history requirements. Must have completed a minimum of four projects in the last five years with a minimum construction cost of \$1,000,000 as follows: Two (2) projects requiring infection control constructed in a fully operational/occupied hospital or outpatient facility; and two (2) Interior renovation or facility expansion projects constructed in or adjacent to patient care areas of an OSHPD 1 facility. Bidders not meeting the requirements of the prequalification questionnaire will not be eligible to bid.

LICENSE REQUIREMENT: Current and active California CSLB "B" General Contractor's license.

Prequalification is solely for the purpose of determining bidders who are deemed capable of successful performance of the type of work included in this project. A contract will be awarded to the prequalified bidder submitting the lowest responsive bid.

The University 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 bid conditions including state prevailing wages, 10% bid bond, 100% payment and performance bonds, and insurance requirements. All information submitted for prequalification evaluation will be considered official information acquired in confidence, and the University will maintain its confidentiality to the extent permitted by law.

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 Proposer may be required to show evidence of its equal employment opportunity policy.

No contractor or subcontractor, regardless of tier, may be listed on a Bid for, or engage in the performance of, any portion of this project, unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 and 1771.1.

This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

The successful Bidder shall pay all persons providing construction services and/or any labor on site, including any University location, no less than the UC Fair Wage (defined as \$13 per hour as of 10/1/15, \$14 per hour as of 10/1/16, and \$15 per hour as of 10/1/17) and shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local working condition requirements.

For other opportunities, please visit <http://www.ucirvinehealth.org/planning-administration>

THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
November 2, 2018



REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE TERMINAL 2 SPECIALTY RETAIL CONCESSION LEASE NO. 2 AT SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

The Airport Commission has commenced the Request for Proposals (RFP) process for the Terminal 2 Specialty Retail Concession Lease No. 2. The specialty retail store comprises of approximately 765 square feet. Concepts excluded are sunglasses, news, electronics and candy.

The proposed minimum financial offer is \$200,000.00 with a term of seven years. Rent for the retail store shall be the higher of the Minimum Annual Guarantee or the sum of the percentage rent structured as follows: 12% of Gross Revenues achieved up to and including \$500,000.00; plus 14% of Gross Revenues achieved from \$500,000.01 up to and including \$1,000,000.00; plus 16% of Gross Revenues achieved over \$1,000,000.00.

An **Informational Conference** will be held on **Thursday, November 15, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.** at the Aviation Museum at San Francisco International Airport. This is a time when Staff will discuss desired concepts, minimum qualification requirements, address any questions relating to the Lease and receive comments from participants. Small, local and disadvantaged businesses are encouraged to participate.

Please see <http://www.flysfo.com/business-at-sfo/current-opportunities> for additional information or call Clarissa Mamaril, Principal Property Manager, of Revenue Development and Management Department, at (650) 821-4500.

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Construction employment rises from October 2017 to October 2018 in 44 states and D.C.; 36 States, D.C. Add construction jobs since September

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tween September and October, Florida (3,000 jobs, 0.5 percent) and California (3,000 jobs, 0.4 percent) had the largest gains, followed by Arizona (2,500 jobs, 1.5 percent), Georgia (2,500 jobs, 1.2 percent), Washington (2,500 jobs, 1.2 percent) and New York (2,500 jobs, 0.6 percent). Iowa added the highest percentage of construction jobs for the month (2.0 percent, 1,600 jobs), followed by Wyoming (1.9 percent, 400 jobs) and Rhode Island (1.6 percent, 300 jobs).

From September to October, construction employment declined in 12 states and was unchanged in Connecticut and Maine. Louisiana lost the most construction jobs (-1,900 jobs, -1.3 percent), followed by Oklahoma (-900 jobs, -1.2 percent) and Michigan (-900 jobs, -0.5 percent). Mississippi lost the highest percentage of construction jobs in October (-1.6 percent, -700 jobs), followed by Montana (-1.4 percent, -400 jobs), Louisiana and Oklahoma.

Association officials said widespread construction employment gains are a sign of strong demand for construction services in most parts of the country. But they cautioned that without new investments in career and technical education, immigration reform and swift resolution of trade disputes, labor and materials costs will continue to climb.

"Firms in many parts of the country are hiring as fast as they can find qualified workers to bring onboard just to keep pace with demand," said Stephen E. Sandherr, the association's chief executive officer. "But at some point, the increasing costs of labor and construction materials are going to drive construction prices to the point where many customers reschedule or rethink their projects."

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