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California's High-Speed Rail Program Celebrates Progress and Highlights **Next Steps Towards Operations**



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Governor Gavin Newsom, California High-Speed Rail Authority (Authority) CEO Ian Choudri and community leaders, officially kicked off the Authority's Railhead Project in Kern County commemorating the first steps in the track and systems construction process. This work is made possible due to the substantial completion of Construction Package 4 (CP 4), the southernmost segment of high-speed rail construction in California's Central Valley.

In an effort to deliver a southwest regional high-speed rail network, the Authority, Brightline West and the High-Desert Corridor Joint Powers Agency have been working closely, ensuring coordination of technical and operational significance to ultimately enable an interoperable system that connects riders to and from Las Vegas to California's high-speed rail system in Southern California.

About the Railhead Project

Construction of the railhead is a major step in the track and systems process and signifies the next phase of the high-speed rail program bringing it closer to operations. The Railhead Project is necessary for the Authority to receive materials to start construction of temporary freight tracks, which includes de-

livery of major equipment such as track laying machines, track ties, traction power and Overhead Contact Systems (OCS). The work starts with a period of subgrade preparation, readying the site for the eventual laying of ballast ties and rail for the vard, effectively serving as a location to receive materials required to build the Authority's high-speed rail track. The Authority will be issuing a Request for Proposals to procure a contract for Track and OCS construction in 2025.

About Construction Package 4

Construction Package 4 (CP 4)External Link is a 22-mile stretch of the high-speed rail project between Poplar Avenue in Wasco and approximately one mile south of the Tulare/ Kern County line. The Authority contracted with California Rail Builders to construct all high-speed rail structures located within this segment, which includes 11 civil structures comprised of overpasses, underpasses, and viaducts built to take high-speed trains over roadways, waterways, and existing rail lines. Of the more than 14,500 construction jobs created since the start of the high-speed rail project, work in CP 4 generated more than 3,200 jobs that went to residents of the Central Valley, the majority going to workers in Kern County.

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Recession No More: 2025 Construction Economic Forecast Yields Positive Outlook

[Article originally appeared in www.constructionexec.com

By Grace Calengor

On Dec. 11, 2024, Construction Executive presented its final economic webinar of the year. Hosted by Anirban Basu, ABC's chief economist, "Construction Executive's 2025 Construction Economic Forecast" revealed many things for contractors to be on the lookout for next year—and not all of them bad. Comparing poll results from Q3, as well as answering viewers' top questions, Basu discussed the surprising per-

formance of the 2024 construction economy and his equally surprising outlook for 2025.

POLL RESULTS

Which of these is the leading challenge for your company today?

Supply chain and/or materials issues

- Dec. 11: 6%
- Q3: 6%

Skills / worker shortage

- Dec. 11: 52%
- O3: 59%

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Insufficient demand for construction services

Dec. 11: 15%

03: 15%

Availability of financing for projects/project
It has declined slightly work

- Dec. 11: 19%
- O3: 14%

None of the above

- Dec. 11: 6%
- 03: 5%

Over the last three months, how has your company's backlog fared?

It has risen considerably

- Dec. 11: 12%
- Q3: 16%

It has risen slightly

- Dec. 11: 27%
- Q3: 27%

It has remained about the same

- Dec. 11: 26%
- O3: 28%

- Dec. 11: 27%
- Q3: 23%

It has declined considerably

- Dec. 11: 8%

Where do you expect your company's profit margins to be a year from now?

Substantially higher

- Dec. 11: 6%
- Q3: 3%

Slightly higher

- Dec. 11: 34%
- 03: 34%

Vist the link for the full article: https://tinyurl.com/24m8ra4y

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MINORITY BUSINESSES ON THE RISE

California boasts third-highest rate of minority-owned businesses in the U.S.

By www.baldwindigital.ie

California places third in the study, averaging 28.46 minority-owned companies per 1,000 minority residents.

businesses 169,863 of the 278,770 minority-owned businesses statewide.

Wyoming ranks top with 34.53 minorityowned businesses for every 1,000 minority people in the state.

California has the third-highest rate of minority-owned businesses in America, a new study has found.

The experts at Baldwin Digital analyzed data from the 2021 U.S. Census on businesses owned by members of racial minority groups. These figures were compared with non-white population data to reveal which states had the highest rate of minority-owned businesses per 1,000 minority residents.

California takes the third spot overall. For every 1,000 minority people in the Golden State, there are 28.46 minority-owned businesses. Of the 278,770 businesses owned by a minority, more than 60% (169,863) belong to a member of the Asian community. There are 15,014 Black or African American-owned businesses and 9,593 American Indian and Alaska Native-owned businesses.

Wyoming ranks at the top of the study with the highest number of minority-owned businesses per 1,000 minority residents, at 34.53. The state is home to 1,376 minority-owned companies, with more than one in three (or 543) run by a member of the Asian community. American Indians and Alaska Natives have the second-most businesses of any minority race in the state with 152

Florida ranks second in the study, with an average of 31.28 minority-owned businesses per 1,000 minority residents. Approximately 137,804 firms statewide are registered to non-white owners. Asian-owned businesses comprise 34,284 of the total while Black or African American is the race with the secondmost companies (18,502), the highest number nationwide.

New Mexico places fourth for minority-owned businesses, with 26.25 per 1,000 minority residents. Approximately 8,172 businesses are recognized as having an owner from a racial Table: The states with the highest rate of minority-owned businesses

Rank	State	Minority- Owned Businesses	Minority Population (non-White)	Minority-Owned Businesses per 1,000 Minority Population
1	Wyoming	1,376	39,852	34.53
2	Florida	137,804	4,405,906	31.28
3	California	278,770	9,796,587	28.46
4	New Mexico	8,172	311,309	26.25
5	Colorado	17,108	665,679	25.70
6	Texas	140,402	5,866,229	23.93
7	Oregon	12,721	537,509	23.67
8	Idaho	2,817	122,637	22.97
9	Utah	6,302	278,741	22.61
10	New York	109,028	5,321,925	20.49

Image credit / source: https://www.baldwindigital.ie/

minority group, with 1,650 operated by Asian residents and 403 by American Indian and Alaska Native residents.

Colorado rounds out the top five states with the highest rate of minority-owned businesses. For every 1,000 people from a racial minority group, the state is home to 25.70 minority-owned businesses. Asian is the racial minority with the most businesses statewide, with 6,636, followed by Black or African American (1,571).

Ranking sixth overall, Texas averages 23.93 minority-owned businesses per 1,000 minority population. The state has 140,402 businesses in this category, second nationwide only to California. Approximately 62,350 of these companies are owned by a member of the Asian community.

Oregon ranks seventh in the study. Of every 1,000 people from a racial minority, the state averages 23.67 minority-owned businesses. In total, 12,721 minority businesses operate state-wide, with the number comprised of 6,320 Asian-owned firms, 1,570 American Indian and Alaska Native firms, and more.

Idaho has 22.97 minority-owned businesses per 1,000 minority residents, securing the state's eighth-place position. Asian-led companies are the most popular statewide, representing 1,332 of the total 2,817 minority-led

Utah cements its place as ninth overall with 22.61 minority-owned businesses per 1,000 minority population. Asian, American Indian and Alaska Native, and Black or African American are the most popular racial minority businesses in the state.

New York is the final state to be named in the 10 states with the highest rate of minorityowned businesses. Home to 109,028 minority companies, the state averages 20.49 per 1,000 minority population. More than 65% of these businesses (72,840) are Asian-owned, while Black or African American individuals own 13.953 businesses.

Mississippi and South Dakota have the low-

country, with each state averaging 4.65 and 6.18 companies per 1,000 minority residents, respectively.

Mark Baldwin, director and founder of Baldwin Digital Ltd, commented on the study, "The West appears to be the best region for minority-owned businesses, with seven of the 10 states with the highest rates located

"Minority business owners in America can receive support from several avenues to help give their ventures a better chance of success. Support includes government grants, Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) grants, financial consultations, and the National Minority Supplier Development Council's Business Consortium Fund.'

SOURCES:

https://www.baldwindigital.ie/;

Businesses by Race – 2021 Census Race Populations - 2020 Census

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CALIFORNIA SUB-BID REQUEST ADS



Project Name: Construction Management Support Services - Capital Improvement Projects Owner: Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (LACMTA)

RFP No.: AE128436MC085 Bid Date: February 14, 2025

Ghirardelli Associates, Inc. is pursuing the above project as a prime consultant and is actively seeking gualified DBE, SBE, and DVBE firms to participate as subconsultants. In compliance with LACMTA's DBE requirements and as part of our good faith effort for this contract, we are soliciting proposals for the following subconsultant services: Construction Management, Inspection, Office Engineering, Surveying, Systems Safety Certification, Project Controls, Scheduling, Estimating, Geologists, Rail Activation and Environmental Consulting.

Ghirardelli Associates, Inc. 5800 S. Eastern Ave, Ste. 370, Commerce, CA 90040 Contact: Paul Bews - 510-660-7555

For details regarding the proposal plans, specifications, and other documents, please visit the LACMTA website or contact us directly:

siness.metro.net/webcenter/portal/VendorPortal/pages_home/solicitations/o

Interested firms should email firm profile, relevant experience, and certifications by Monday, January 27, 2025 to: Shelby Sanders at ssanders@ghirardelliassoc.com

Note: Ghirardelli Associates, Inc. reserves the right to disqualify and/or reject any proposal or bid at its discretion

AECOM

300 S. Grand Avenue, Suite 900, Los Angeles, CA 90071 • T: 213.593.8100

Request for LA Metro-Certified DBE, SBE, and DVBE Subconsultants AECOM is bidding on the following project as Prime Contractor:

Owner: Los Angeles Metropolitan Transportation Authority (LACMTA)
RFP No. AE128314E0132
Project: Supplemental Engineering Services - Capital Improvement Projects
Bid Date: February 3, 2025

AECOM is seeking qualifications from Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE), Small Business Enterprise (SBE), and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) companies for consideration as part of our team for the anticipated 5-year contract providing supplemental engineering services for capital improvement projects to LACMTA. As part of the requirements of the RFP, interested firms must, at a minimum, be certified by the California Unified Certification Program, as well as the North American Industry Classification System. DBE firms certified through the LACMTA DBE certified list are encouraged to submit information.

Icoming all firms who provide services under the following NAICS codes: 541990, 541330, 541620, 561110, 541370, 541380

And those who provide services under the following UNSPCS codes: 71161610, 81101514, 81100000, 81101500, 81101505, 81101518, 81101508, 81101523, 81101514, 81102201, 77000000, 77100000, 81101505, 77101505, 77101600, 77101601, 77101700, 81111503, 80161500, 80101600, 81151604, 81151901, 81151601, 71171506

This solicitation is in response to LACMTA's DBE, SBE, and DVBE requirements: AECOM will extend opportunities to DBE, SBE. and DVBE firms, and conduct themselves in good faith with firms seeking subcontract opportunities for this contract

Interested businesses should email a firm profile, a listing of NAICS or UNSPCS codes under which the firm provides services, a brief overview of LACMTA or similar experience, and copies of their D/S/DVBE documentation by Monday, January 20, 2025 to Kevin Woodall at kevin.woodall@aecom.com.



REQUEST FOR Sub-Proposals from Certified DBE Firms Project Name: San Onofre to Pulgas Double Track Phase 2 Contract Number: 4250093 Owner: SANDAG DBE Goal: 19.6%

Subcontractors/Subconsultants/Vendors wanted for:

(Subcontractors): Fencing & Railing, Street Sweeping, Clear & Grub, Electrical, Hydroseed, Landscape/Planting, CIDH Piles, Waterproofing, Asphalt, Bridge/Structural Steel, Railroad Signal Communications, Railroad Track, Directional Drilling, Dry Utilities, Reinforcing Steel, Trucking, Steel Coating, Minor Concrete – Minor Structures, Retaining Wall, CFA (Auger) Piles, Shoring, Surveying, Signage & Striping, Quality Control and Job Coordinator.

(Suppliers): Ready Mix Concrete, Aggregates, BMP Materials, Topsoil, Rock Slope, Waterworks, RCP, Structural Backfill, Structural Steel, Railroad Ties, Sound Barrier, Bearing Pads, Miscellaneous Metals and Signage

The Base Bid scope of work consists in general of grading, a new bridge, embankment, construction of drainage ditches, culverts, and retaining wall construction within the limits of MP 216.6 to MP 217.7 on a portion of the LOSSAN commuter rail corridor within Camp Pendleton in San Diego County. An Additive Alternate is included in the scope that includes the construction of 1.1 miles of second main track within the project limits.

Work includes track construction; construction of a new single-track bridge; embankment and retaining wall construction; construction of drainage ditches, culverts, associated structures; site work and track bed preparation (including site clearing, grading, ballast, and sub-ballast, maintenance access roads, utility relocation and hydroseeding), in addition to procuring all materials and performing all other work necessary to complete the work in accordance with the Contract Plans and Special Provisions.

REVISED BID DATE: January 23rd, 2025 at 2:00PST/PDT

REYES CONSTRUCTION, INC. State License Number 507561 1383 South Signal Drive, Pomona, CA 91766 Phone: 909-622-2259 Ext. 108 • Fax: 909-622-3053 Contact: Christina Ramos - Fri 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Assistance will be available in obtaining bonds, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, supplies, materials or related technical assistance.

By submitting a proposal, Respondent/Bidder acknowledges that they have performed a thorough review of the terms and conditions contained in our standard subcontract/purchase order (Contract). Respondent/Bidder quotes, including terms and conditions contained therein, will not be included in subcontracts/purchase orders issued for the project. Respondent/Bidder shall submit, in writing with their proposal/quote, any exceptions to the RCI Contract terms and conditions

Note: RCI may disqualify and reject the respondent's proposal/bid based on the exceptions submitted.

For information on the availability of scope of work, plans and specifications, and requirements of the contract please contact our office.

Plans, Specifications, and Contract requirements can be viewed online at no cost here:

1) Via iSqFt – please send an email request to <u>estimating@reyesconstruction.com</u> idnet Direct - <u>https://www.bidnetdirect.com/private/solicitations/4497717210/abstract</u>

3) Via Sharefile – please send an email request to estimating@reyesconstruction.com

Please e-mail Quotes to: Estimating@reyesconstruction.com

Ames Construction, Inc. is seeking certified and qualified *SB subcontractors and suppliers to meet the*SB Requirements for the following:

PROJECT: BF Sisk Dam SOD Modifications, Phase 2 OWNER: Bureau of Reclamation REVISED BID DATE/TIME: January 27th, 2025 @ 12:00 PM

SB/HUBZONE/SB/SDB/WOSB/VOSB/SDVOSB/ANCS & INDIAN TRIBES Subs/Suppliers required include but are not limited to: Asphalt Paving, Asphalt Striping, clearing and grubbing, aggregates, misc. site work, blasting, dewatering, erosion control, drainage material, dust palliative, e-fence, temporary fencing, permanent fencing, instrumentation, metal fabrication, project monitoring, quality control, reinforcing steel, site security, surveying, traffic control, wildlife management, archeologist, biologist, environmental surveying, geotextilles, landscaping, misc. metals, noise survey and plan, pavement markings, trucking and construction supply. Ames Construction, Inc. will work with subcontractors and suppliers to breakdown items into economical feasible packages and to establish delivery/construction schedules to allow for maximum *SB participation.

Ames will require bidders to provide performance and payment bonds for the full amount of the Subcontract values. Ames will require bidders to provide performance and payment bonds for the full amount of the Subcontract values. Costs of the bonds are to be provided as a separate line item. Please call to discuss how Ames Construction can assist you in your bonding, credit and/or insurance needs. Also, let us know if you need assistance in obtaining necessary equipment, supplies, materials or related assistance or services for this project. Please contact us for more information. Ames' Subcontract terms and conditions will apply to any contracts resulting from this request. The Subcontractor, by submission of its bid, agrees to the "Terms and Conditions" including all Exhibits and Attachments of Ames Subcontract Agreement. Ames reserves the right to accept or reject any or all quotations. For questions about plans, specifications and other contract requirements please contact our office. Contact info provided below. Bids submitted to Ames in response to this RFQ shall remain open and valid until the contract is executed. Ames Construction, Inc. is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

 $Our contact for this project is Jason Filarey at \\ \underline{jasonfilarey@amesco.com} \text{ and Matthew Adams at } \\ \underline{MatthewAdams@amesco.com} \text{ or (951) 356-1275}. Please fax quotes to (951) 549-9003 or email them to CABID@amesco.com.}$

Plans and specifications can be viewed and downloaded at: https://ames.sharefile.com/d-sf0f2ac2ae48347579f4294480f96d796 *SB includes HUBZone SB, SDB, WOSB, VOSB, SDVOSB, ANCS AND INDIAN TRIBES)



Project Name: 1123 Sutter GMP Bid Request Location: San Francisco, California

Labor Requirements:

Prevailing Wage

Project Schedule: Est. Start - March 24, 2025 Project Duration: 24 Months

Nibbi Brothers has been selected as the General Contractor for the 1123 Sutter project in San Francisco. We are in receipt of the Bid Set and are currently requesting bid proposals from qualified subcontractors for selected trades. Subcontractors received an email notification via Building Connected to access and download associated files. Proposals are due no later than 5:00 PM on Monday, January 27th online via the Building Connected website. Project duration is 24 months. Pre bid RFIs

due January 20,2025

This new mixed-use development will be located at1123 Sutter on an approximately 29,700sf site, currently occupied by two structures: an auto repair shop with public garage (at 1101Sutter) and a mortuary(at 1123 Sutter). At the west side of the site, the mortuary will be removed for new construction of a 22-storyhigh-rise tower. This high-density development will utilize the individually requested state density bonus program to increase the number of code-permitted units from 149 to 286. In total, the pair of buildings will provide 303 new homes, including 38below-market-rate units. These new units will be offered on a rental basis. The building is set back from the alley at various distances to accommodate the entry court, an outdoor area for the child-care center, private terraces and balconies, and access to the garage and loading entries. Midway up the tower, on the 7th floor, the building steps back ~40 feet on the west side, to provide a shared landscaped area at this seback. At the 21th floor, another step back is incorporated to create an outdoor landscaped terrace. Additionally the top (22nd) floor provides shared viewpoints, a number of building services, and a community room with associated outdoor roof deck.

For any questions on accessing the bidding documents, please contact Hannah Austin, Precon &Estimating Coordinator via

For any questions on accessing the bidding documents, please contact Hannah Austin, Precon &Estimating Coordinator via email, HannahA@nibbi.com For project specific questions please contact Anastasia Scorsone, Estimator, via email, AnastasiaS@nibbi.com. Please copy Senior Project Manager, Chris Brown (ChrisB@nibbi.com), when submitting questions.

Sub-Bids Requested from qualified DBE Subconsultants for:

PROGRESSIVE DESIGN-BUILD SERVICES FOR THE **ADVANCED WATER PURIFICATION FACILITY AT RP-4 PROJECT EN25070.00**

Owner: Inland Empire Utilities Agency Location: Rancho Cucamonga, CA Bids Due Date: January 20, 2025 @ 3:00 P.M.
Proposal Date: February 20, 2025 @ 3:00 P.M.



667 Brea Canvon 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 subconsultants for the following work items: Survey, Geotechnical Engineering, Geotechnical Drilling, Architectural Design, Structural Design, Electrical Design, Civil Design, Surge Analysis, Corrosion Control Design, Permitting, Potholing, Utility Locating with Ground Penetrating Radar.

Plans and Specifications: Please email your request to lori.olivas@jfshea.com. Project Documents may also be viewed 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 $bidder.\,J.F.\,Shea\,expects\,potential\,subconsultants\,to\,be\,bondable.\,J.F.\,Shea\,will\,pay\,for\,up\,to\,1\%\,for\,bond\,costs.$ Subconsultants are expected to bid per the Project Documents, including requirements for warranties

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DBE Subcontractor/Supplier Bids Requested For:

City of Palo Alto Local Advanced Water Purification System (Local AWPS)
IFB No. 193197 BID DATE: Friday, January 31st, 2025 at 3pm
Project Location: Palo Alto, CA

Email quotes to jmiranda@shimmick.com

ck Construction Company, Inc. is requesting quotes from certified DBE subcontractors and suppliers in the follow scopes of work, including, but not limited to

Subcontractors: Traffic Control System; Construction Signs; Existing Highway Facilities (Reset, Adjust Roadway Items; Cold Planing); Clear & Grub; Earthwork (Roadway Excavation; Embankment Construction); Erosion Control (Hydroseeding; Irrigation System; Landscape); Finishing Roadway; Pipeline, Drain Inspection; Aggregate Base and Subbase; Concrete Pumping; Asphalt Concrete; CIDH Concrete Piling; Concrete Structure (Furnish Precast Concrete Deck Unit; Erect Precast Concrete; Masonry Block Sound Wall; Joint Seal); Reinforcing Steel; Waterproofing; Steel Structures; Lumber; Subsurface Drain (Filter Fabric; Permeable Material); Downdrain; Plastic Pipe; Welded Steel Pipe; Welding Contractor; Sever Manhole; Concrete Curb & Sidewalk; Pumping Plant Electrical Equipment; Well (Develop, Test, Drill, Maintain Wells); Saw Cutting; Paint/Stain Concrete; Painting Structures; Permanent and Temporary Fencing; Metal Railing; Concrete Barrier; Materials Testing; Land Surveyor; Construction Staking; SWPPP Planning; Roofing; Plumbing; Fire Protection; Door Installation; Heating & Air Conditioning; Insulation; Coring; Cutting; Trucking (Super Dump Truck 4-Axle; Bottom Dump; Transfer Dump; Super 10 Dump; Flat Bed; Water; End Dump; Street Sweeping)

Suppliers: Safety Equipment; Landscaping & Nursery; Sand & Gravel; Rock, Cobbles, Boulders; Asphalt; Pilings; Concrete & Cement; Rebar; Steel; Doors & Frames; Lumber; Roofing, Siding & Insulation; Pipe; Draining Systems; Storm Water Systems; Fencing; Guard Railings & Barriers; Pavement Markers; Electrical & Signals; Building Materials; Tools; Staking; Traffic Striping, Marking & Materials: Construction and Heavy Equipment Rental

Plans are available to download after registration on OpenGov: https://projects/133236. You may also contact Jamie Miranda at jmiranda@shimmick.com for a download link to view plans and specifications or to schedule an appointment via Teams to discuss the documents. Meetings are held during regular

Should you require assistance with your bid, please contact our lead estimator Matt Harris at mharris@shimmick.com

All items of work listed above are made available, even items of work normally performed by Shimmick. Please contact the lead All items of work listed above are made available, even items of work normally performed by Shimmick. Please contact the lead estimator listed above for assistance with breaking down items of work into economically feasible units, with assistance obtaining equipment, supplies, materials, bonding, insurance, estimating, or related assistance. 100% Performance and Payment bonds with a surety company subject to approval of Shimmick Construction Company, Inc. are required of subcontractors for this project. Shimmick Construction will pay bond premium up to 1.5%. Subcontractors will be required to abide by terms and conditions of the AGC Master Labor Agreements and to execute an agreement utilizing the latest SCCI Long Form Standard Subcontract incorporating prime contract terms and conditions, including payment provisions. Shimmick Construction's listing of a Subcontractor is not to be construed as an acceptance of all of the Subcontractor's conditions or exceptions included with the Subcontractor's price quote. Shimmick Construction requires that Subcontractors and Suppliers price quotes be provided at a reasonable time prior to the bid deadline to enable a complete evaluation. For assistance with bonding, insurance or lines of readit contact Amanda Mobley at a manda mobley. credit contact Amanda Mobley at amanda.mobley@shimmick.com.

This project will be funded by and is subject to the requirements of the State Water Resources Control Board's (SWRCB) Clean Water State Revolving Fund (CWSRF) program and the United States Bureau of Reclamation (USBR) Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation Act (WIIN). This project is subject to the requirements of Build America Buy America (BABA) Public Law 117-58, the requirements of Davis-Bacon Act and use of current wage determinations required by Davis Bacon Act, and requirements of the California State Water Resources Control Board's Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE).



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all Business (SB), Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB), Historically Underutilized Business Zone (HUBZone), Indian Small Business Economic Enterprises (ISBEE), Service-Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business (SDVOSB), Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB) and Minority Owned (MBE) Subcontractor/Supplier Bids Requested For:

Bureau of Reclamation, Mid-Pacific Region Arroyo Canal Fish Screen/Sack Dam Fish Passage Project Solicitation No. 140R2024R0017 REVISED BID DATE: Monday, February 3rd, 2025 at 5pm Project Location: Madera and Fresno Counties, CA Email quotes to jmiranda@shim nick.com

Shimmick / CEC Joint Venture is requesting quotes from certified SB, SDB, HUBZone, ISBEE, SDVOSB, WOSB, and MBE subco tractors and suppliers in the following scopes of work, including, but not limited to:

Subcontractors: Architectural; Clear & Grub; Cellcrete; Concrete Building; Dewatering; Earthwork; Electrical; Environmental; Erosion Control: Fencing: Flatwork: Instrumentation: Insulation: Landscape: Marine: Masonry: Mechanical: Painting: Piles: Struc tural Precast; Rebar; Roofing; Shoring; Signs; Structural Steel; Survey; Trucking; Utility Work; Waterproofing; Welding

Suppliers: Aggregate; Architectural Items; Doors; Expansion Joints; Fabric; Falsework Material; Joint Seal; Lumber; Mechanical Equipment; Misc. Metal; Pipe Pile; Sheet Pile; Copper Stainless Pipe; Steel Pipe; Structural Precast; Precast Utility; Ready Mix; Steel Fabrication; Trashracks; Plastic Utility Pipe; Valves & Fittings

Plans are available to download on Sam.gov by searching for solicitation ID no. 140R2024R0017. You may also contact Jamie Miranda at jmiranda@shimmick.com for a download link to view plans and specifications or to schedule an appointment via Teams to discuss the documents. Meetings are held during regular business hours.

Should you require assistance with your bid, please contact our lead estimator Roxanna Kharrazi at rkharrazi@shimmick.com.

All items of work listed above are made available, even items of work normally performed by Shimmick / CEC Joint Venture. Please contact the lead estimator listed above for assistance with breaking down items of work into economically feasible units, with assistance obtaining equipment, supplies, materials, bonding, insurance, estimating, or related assistance. 100% Performance and Payment bonds with a surety company subject to approval of the JV are required of subcontractors for this project. The JV will pay bond premium up to 1.5%. Subcontractors will be required to abide by terms and conditions of the AGC Master Labor Agreements and to execute an agreement utilizing the latest Long Form Standard Subcontract incorporating prime contract terms and conditions, including payment provisions. The JV's listing of a Subcontractor is not to be construed as an acceptance of all of the Subcontractor's conditions or exceptions included with the Subcontractor's price quote. The JV requires that Subcontractors and Suppliers price quotes be provided at a reasonable time prior to the bid deadline to enable a complete evaluation. For assistance with bonding, insurance or lines of credit contact Amanda Mobley at amanda.mobley@shimmick.com.

DESILVA MGATES

11555 Dublin Boulevard • P.O. Box 2909 • Dublin, CA 94568-2909 Phone: (925) 829-9220 / Fax: (925) 803-4263 / Website: www.d ESTIMATOR: DAVID CZECH An Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action Employer

DeSilva Gates Construction (DGC) is preparing a bid as a Prime Contractor for the project listed below

ROUTE 12 - FOR CONSTRUCTION ON STATE HIGHWAY IN SOLANO COUNTY NEAR SUISUN CITY FROM 0.2 MILE EAST OF LAWLER RANCH PARKWAY TO 0.5 MILE EAST OF SHILOH ROAD Contract No. 04-205504. Federal-Aid Project ACNH-P012(132)E Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Goal Assigned is 22%

OWNER: STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 1727 30th Street, MS 43, Sacramento, CA 95816

REVISED BID DATE: January 22, 2025 @ 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, Bridge Deck Resurfacing, Bridge, Clearing and Grubbing/Demolition, Cold Plane, Concrete Barrier, Construction Area Sign, Emulsion Supplier, Erosion Control, Hazardous Material, Lead Compliance Plan, Metal Beam Guardrail, Minor Concrete, Roadside signs, Rumble Strip, Slurry Seal, Striping, SWPPP Prep/ Water Pollution Control Plan Prepare, Temporary Erosion Control, Testing, Traffic Control Systems, Underground, Vegetation Control, Trucking, Water Trucks, Street Sweeping, Hot Mix Asphalt (Type A) Material, and Rubberized HMA (Gap Grade) Material.

Plans and specifications may be reviewed at our offices located at 11555 Dublin Boulevard, Dublin, CA or 3855 N Freeway Blvd Suite 100, Sacramento, CA 95834, or at your local Builders Exchange, or reviewed and downloaded from the dropbox site at https://www.dropbox.com/sh/5rvdc1bwfbasgl9/AABbrd0ba51_kN3GtAESfBUoa?dl=0 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 or email to dgcestimating@desilvagates.com to the attention of Estimator David Czech. 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 condit. This will be a PREVAILING WAGE JOB. DGC is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.



Gallagher & Burk, Inc. 344 High Street • Oakland, CA 94601 Phone: (510) 261-0466 • FAX (510) 261-0478
Estimator: Jack Shewmaker • Website: www.gallagherandburk.com

Gallagher & Burk, Inc. (GBI) is preparing a bid as a Prime Contractor for the project listed below: PROJECT 1007574 CITYWIDE PAVEMENT REHABILITATION 2024C Oakland Certified Local Business Requirement is 20%

OWNER: CITY OF OAKLAND - 1 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Room 101, Oakland, CA 94612

REVISED BID DATE: JANUARY 16, 2025 @ 2:00 P.M.

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

ADJUST IRON, CLEARING AND GRUBBING/DEMOLITION, COLD PLANE, CRACK SEALING, MINOR CONCRETE, ROADSIDE SIGNS, SLURRY SEAL, STRIPING, SURVEY/STAKING, SWPPP/WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PLAN PREPARATION, TRAFFFIC CONTROL SYSTEMS, TRUCKING, WATER TRUCKS, STREET SWEEPING, HOT MIX ASPHALT (TYPE A) MATERIAL.

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Fax your bid to (510) 261-0478 to the attention of Estimator Jack Shewmaker. 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 L/SLBE support services and assistance in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies or related 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). GBI is willing to breakout portions of work to increase the expectation of meeting the L/SLBE goal.

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With SBE you can:

Subcontractors, Vendors, and Suppliers

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Contact us at 800-800-8534 or sbe@sbeinc.com

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CALIFORNIA SUB-BID REQUEST ADS



Mountain Cascade Inc. 555 Exchange Court, Livermore, CA 94550 (925) 373-8370, Fax (925) 373-0940

Project: Harvest Water Elk Grove Transmission Pipeline Project - Segment 1 Contract No. 6034

Owner: Sacramento Area Sewer District Revised Bid Date: January 29, 2025 @ 1:00 P.M.

*****PLEASE NOTE MCI IS REQUESTING ALL QUOTES TO BE SUBMITTED NO LATER THEN 10AM ON BID DAY
TO ENSURE QUOTE HAS BEEN RECEIVED AND REVIEWED*****

We are requesting quotes from all qualified DBE Subcontractors and Suppliers but not limited to:

AGGREGATES, ASPHALT, CONCRETE MATERIAL, SLURRY, LOW DENSITY CELLULAR GROUT, PIPE & VALVES SUP-PLERS, PRECAST MATERIALS, AC OILS, ASPHALT GRINDING, CATHODIC PROTECTION, MICRO-SURFACING/ PLERS, PRECAST MATERIALS, AC OILS, ASPHALT GRINDING, CATHODIC PROTECTION, MICRO-SURFACING/
CHIPSEAL/SLURRY SEAL, CONSTRUCTION AREA SIGNS, ELECTRICAL, ELECTRICAL-STEET LIGHTS/TRAFFIC
SIGNALS/LOOPS,ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, EROSION CONTROL, ENVIRONMENTAL FENCING, GEOTECH
ENGINEERS, HYDROSEEDING, FUSIBLE HDPE PIPE, K-RAIL, LANDSCAPING/IRRIGATION,MICROTUNNELING,
REINFORCING STEEL, SAWCUTTING, SHORING SUBS, STRIPING, SURVEYING, SWPPP, TRAFFIC CONTROL, VIBRATION MONITORING, WELDED STEEL PIPE, TRUCKING, PAINTING/COATINGS, FIELD WELDING FOR STEEL

Project Description: Construction approximately 1.6 miles of large diameter (66") recycled water pipeline.

Project information, including plans & specifications can be found by contacting:

www.publicpurchase.com/gems/srcsd,ca/buyer/public/home

estimating@mountaincascade.com

Please feel free to contact Mountain Cascade, Inc. at 925.373.8370 with any questions concerning bonding, insurance, lines of credit, and job overview. We look forward to your respons

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Mountain Cascade Inc. 555 Exchange Court, Livermore, CA 94550 (925) 373-8370, Fax (925) 373-0940

Project: Local Advanced Water Purification System (Local AWPS) ITB Number: 193197 CIP: WO-19003

Owner: City of Palo Alto
Bid Date: January 31st ,2025 @ 3:00 p.m.

We are requesting quotes from all qualified DBE Subcontractors and Suppliers but not limited to:

Pipe Suppliers, Precast Materials, Steel Tanks, Bypass Pumping, CIDH Piles, Demolition, Electrical-Building, Fencing, Hydroseeding, Landscaping, Reinforcing Steel, Painting/Coatings, Concrete Repair, Concrete, FRP Grating, Crack Repair, Pre-engineered buildings, Misc. Metals, Valves/Water Main/ Temp Facilities, Steel Pipe, Strainers, Insulation, Generators/Switch Gear, Drainage Pumping Equipment, Pumping Plant Electrical Equipment

Description of Project: The Local AWPS project consist in two Phases. This IFB is for Phase that will produce 1.125 MGD of RO permeate and will include housekeeping pads for future skids and pipe headers sized enough to accommodate expansion. Phase I Motor Control Centers will also accommodate for Phase II electrical loads. The permeate produced from the project will be blended with the existing tertiary-treated recycled water to achieve an instanta-neous TDS concentration of 400 to 500 mg/L. The Local AWPS will be constructed without interruption to the current treatment operations, except as allowed under special circumstances, such as piping and utility tie-ins. The electrical service, potable water service and fire water supply will be independent from the RWQCP service. New service connections will be made with City of Palo Alto Utilities (CPAU).

Engineers Estimate: \$53.5 Million

Project information, including plans & specifications can be found by contacting:

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Project: CONSTRUCTION ON STATE HIGHWAY IN SOLANO COUNTY NEAR SUISUN CITY FROM 0.2 MILE EAST OF LAWLER RANCH PARKWAY TO 0.5 MILE EAST OF SHILOH ROAD.

Contract No. 04-2Q5504

Owner: Caltrans

Bid Date: January 22nd, 2025 @2:00 PM ELECTRONIC BID DBE Goal: 22%

We are requesting quotes from all qualified DBE Subcontractors and Suppliers but not limited to:
AGGREGATES, ASPHALT, CONCRETE MATERIALS, SLURRY, PIPE SUPPLIERS, DRAINING SYSTEMS PIPE SUPPLIERS, STROM WATER SYSTEMS PIPE SUPPLIERS, AC DIKES, AC OILS, ASPHLIT GRINDING, BRIDGE-CONCRETE, BRIDGE-STEEL, CONCRETE PAVEMENT, CONCRETE STRUCTURES, CONSTRUCTION AREA SIGNS, EROSION CONTROL, GEOTECH ENGINEERS, GUARDRAIL, SAWCUTTING, STRIPING, SURVEYING, SWPP PLAN ONLY, TRAFFIC CONTROL,

TRUCKIGN. GRINDER, SEGMENT CORRECTION

Project Description:

The project includes, RHMA overlay, replace culverts, bridge rails, and median barriers.

Engineers Estimate: \$25,000,000 Plans and specs can be obtained at:

.dot.ca.gov/des/oe/weekly-ads Or contact: estimating@mountaincascade.com

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Requesting bids from CERTIFIED UNION SBE Subcontractors for ALL REMAINING TRADES (EXCEPT Sprinklers, Shoring, Piers, Structural Concrete, EBM, Elevators, MEPS, Crane)

850 TURK 850 Turk Street, San Francisco, CA 94102

LABOR REQUIREMENTS:

ALL TRADES UNION / Local Hiring

BID DATE: 2/5/25 @ 2 PM BID DOCUMENTS:

All documents on BuildingConnected.

Contact estimating@cahill-sf.com, 415-677-0611 for invitation/info

CAHILL

Requesting bids from CERTIFIED OAKLAND SLBE/ LBE Subcontractors for ALL APPLICABLE TRADES

2700 INTERNATIONAL: 2700 International Boulevard, Oakland, CA 94601

LABOR REQUIREMENTS:

Prevailing Wage / Union Labor Required for Work Claimed by the Carpenters, Laborers, and Operating Engineers Unions / Local Hiring

BID DATE: 01/31/25 @ 2 PM

BID DOCUMENTS:

All documents on BuildingConnected. Contact estimating@cahill-sf.com, 415-677-0611 for invitation/info.



Mountain Cascade Inc. 555 Exchange Court, Livermore, CA 94550 (925) 373-8370, Fax (925) 373-0940

Project: Brackney Landslide Area Pipeline Risk Reduction Project CWO # 2020-003 **Owner: City of Santa Cruz**

Bid Date: February 7th ,2025 @ 2:00 p.m.

We are requesting quotes from all qualified DBE Subcontractors and Suppliers but not limited to:

Aggregates, Asphalt, Concrete Material, Slurry, Low Density Cellular Grout, Pipe Suppliers, Analytical Testing, Directional Drilling, Geotech Engineers, Striping, Surveying, Vibration Monitoring, Trucking, Hazmat, Valves/Water Main/

Project Description:

The Work of this Contract includes the construction of the Newell Creek Pipeline in the Brackney Landslide area in Felton, CA between Glen Arbor Road and Brackney Road. The Brackney Landslides Area Pipeline Risk Reduction project will relocated approximately 2,250 feet of the Newell Creek Pipeline to increase the resiliency and reliability of water supply from the Loch Lomond reservoir. The project area is at particular risk of geotechnical hazards with approximately 2,700 linear feet new 24-inch inside diameter (ID) carrier pipeline, including an approximately 1,685 foot long portion to be installed by horizontal directional drilling (HDD). HDD through deep bedrock formation was

determined to be the most cost-effective method to avoid landslide hazards. The projectwill require new easements for realignment. Due to limited access and construction staging, the project will require close coordination with neighbors and other utility owners, and the County of Santa Cruz.

Engineers Estimate: \$10 Million

Project information, including plans & specifications can be found by contacting:

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555 Exchange Court, Livermore, CA 94550 (925) 373-8370, Fax (925) 373-0940

Project: Linda Manor and Old Florin Town Septic to Sewer Conversion Contract no. 6035

Owner: Sacramento Area Sewer District Revised Bid Date: Jan. 28th, 2025 @ 11:00 a.m.

We are requesting quotes from all qualified DBE Subcontractors and Suppliers but not limited to: Low density cellular grout, Pipe suppliers, Bore & Jack, Bypass pumping, Concrete structures, Dewatering, Environmental services, Cast-In-Place Concrete Pipe, manholes, Shoring Subs, Surveying, SWPPP, Plumbing, Trucking.

Project Description: The work includes but not limited to: approximately 9,485' of 8" VCP by open cut; approximately 55' of 21" RCP by bore & jack; approximately 13,475' of 4" & 6" HDPE by open cut and/or HDD; 114 service laterals to existing septic plumbing on private property; sewer bypass system and removal /replacement of sewer manholes.

Engineers Estimate: \$9 Million

Project information, including plans & specifications can be found by contacting: http://www.publicpurchase.com or: estimating@mountaincascade.com

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CALIFORNIA SUB-BID REQUEST ADS



O. C. Jones & Sons, Inc. 1520 Fourth Street • Berkeley, CA 94710 Phone: 510-526-3424 • FAX: 510-526-0990

REQUEST FOR DVBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

Increment 2 Building Construction
New Laurelwood Elementary School
Bid No. 1160
Santa Clara, CA
Santa Clara Unified School District

REVISED BID DATE: January 28, 2025 @ 2:00 PM

We are soliciting quotes for (including but not limited to): Trucking, Temporary and Permanent Hydroseed and Erosion Control Measures, QC/QA Testing, Striping, Sealcoat, Erosion Control, Portable Toilets, Furnish Aggregate Base, Furnish HMA, and Construction Materials

QC/QA Testing, Striping, Sealcoat, Erosion Control, Portable Toilets, Furnish Aggregate Base, Furnish HMA, and Construction Materials Donat Galicz (510-809-3498 declarge-googloops.com) is the estimator on this project and is available to provide assistance or answer questions regarding the project scope of work including bid requirements, break out of bid items, plan or spec interpretation, bonding or insurance requirements, and other bid assistance. Plans and specs are available to review at our Berkeley office or can be sent out via Building Connected. PDF format quotes should be emailed to the estimator or faxed to 510-526-0990 prior to 12:00 PM on the date of the bid. Quotes from DVBE Subcontractors, Suppliers and Truckers are highly encouraged. OCJ is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage DVBE participation. Subcontractors must possess a current DIR, Contractors License, and insurance and workers compensation coverage including waiver of subrogation. OCJ may require Performance and Payment bonds on subcontracts. OCJ will pay the bond premium up to 2% of the contract value. Please contact OCJ for any assistance required by your firm in obtaining bonding or insurance. The US Small Business Administration may also assist you in obtaining bonding - please see the following site for information: http://www.sba.gov/content/contractors. Visit the California Access to Capital Program Financing Solutions website for additional resources for your small business-http://www.calbizfinance.org/cal_cert_biz_program.html. OCJ is available to help obtain necessary equipment, material and/or supplies. All subcontractors are required to execute OC Jones' standard subcontract agreement, comply with all insurance requirements, and name OCJ as additional insured. Copies of our agreement and insurance requirements are available upon request. OCJ is a Union contractor, and we are signatory to the Operating Engineers, Laborers, Teamsters, and Carpenters. OCJ is an Equal Op



O. C. Jones & Sons, Inc. Fourth Street • Berkeley, CA 94710 510-526-3424 • FAX: 510-526-099 1520 Fo

REQUEST FOR DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR: RHMA overlay, replace culverts, Bridge rails, and median barriers Hwy 12 Rio Vista near Suisun City Solano County - CT 04 005554 Solano County - CT 04-2Q5504

BID DATE: January 22, 2025 @ 2:00 PM

BID DATE: January 22, 2025 @ 2:00 PM

We are soliciting quotes for (including but not limited to). Trucking, Temporary and Permanent Hydroseed and Erosion Control Measures, QC/QA Testing, Lead Compliance Plan, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control System, Portable Radar Speed Feedback Sign, Portable Changeable Message Sign, SWPPP, Storm Water Sampling, Analysis, and Annual Report, Temporary Creek Diversion Systems, Treated Wood Waste, Invasive Species Control, Temporary High-Visibility Fence, Roadway Excavation (Type Z-2 Aerially Deposited Lead), Structure Excavation, Structure Backfill, Clearing, Crack Treatment, Prime Coat, Data Core, AC Dike, Tack Coat, Cold Plane AC, Structural Concrete, Minor Concrete, Drill and Bond Dowel, Bar Reinforcing Steel, Rapid Setting Concrete, Prepare Concrete Bridge Deck Surfacing, Bridge Removal, Bioretention, Concrete Pipe, Adjust Utilities, Rock Slope Protection, Guard Rail Systems, Pavement Marker, Roadside Signs, Wildlife Passage Way, Crash Cushion, Concrete Barrier, Striping & Marking, Rumble Strip, and Construction Materials

Signs, Wildlife Passage Way, Crash Cushion, Concrete Barrier, Striping & Marking, Rumble Strip, and Construction Materials

Bill Jensen (510-809-3488 bjensen@ocjones.com) is the estimator on this project and is available to provide assistance or answer questions regarding the project scope of work including bid requirements, break out of bid items, plan or spec interpretation, bonding or insurance requirements, and other bid assistance. Plans and specs are available to review at our Berkeley office or can be sent out via Building
Connected. Plans are also available under the Advertised Projects tab at the Caltrans website at: http://ppmoe.dot.ca.gov/des/oe/contract-awards-services.html. PDF format quotes should be emailed to the estimator or faxed to 510-526-0990 prior to 12:00 PM on the date
of the bid. Quotes from DBE Subcontractors, Suppliers and Truckers are highly encouraged. OCJ is willing to breakout any portion of work
to encourage DBE participation. Subcontractors must possess a current DIR, Contractors License, and insurance and workers compensation coverage including waiver of subrogation. OCJ may require Performance and Payment bonds on subcontracts. OCJ will pay the bond
premium up to 2% of the contract value. Please contact OCJ for any assistance required by your firm in obtaining bonding or insurance. The
US Small Business Administration may also assist you in obtaining bonding - please see the following site for information: http://www.sba.
gov/content/contractors. Visit the California Access to Capital Program Financing Solutions website for additional resources for your small
business - http://www.calibractions.corg/cal_cert_biz_program.html. OCJ is available to help obtain necessary equipment, material and/or
supplies. All subcontractors are required to execute OC Jones' standard subcontract agreement, comply with all insurance requirements,
and name OCJ as additional insured. Copies of our agreement and insurance requirements are available upon request. OCJ is a Union
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REQUEST FOR CITY OF RICHMOND LBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR:

Shields-Reid Park Field Renovation Project City of Richmond REVISED BID DATE: January 28, 2025 @ 2:00 PM

We are soliciting quotes for (including but not limited to): Trucking, Temporary and Permanent Hydroseed and Erosion Control Measures, QC/QA Testing, Cast-in-Place Concrete, Site Furnishings, Survey, Lime Treatment, Fencing, Planting & Irrigation, Electrical, and Construction Materials

and Construction Materials

Jason Martin (510-809-3432 jmartin@ocjones.com) is the estimator on this project and is available to provide assistance or answer questions regarding the project scope of work including bid requirements, break out of bid items, plan or spec interpretation, bonding or insurance requirements, and other bid assistance. Plans and specs are available to review at our Berkeley office or can be sent out via Building Connected. PDF format quotes should be emailed to the estimator or faxed to 510-526-0990 prior to 12:00 PM on the date of the bid. Quotes from LBE Subcontractors, Suppliers and Truckers are highly encouraged. OCJ is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage LBE participation. Subcontractors must possess a current DIR, Contractors License, and insurance and workers compensation coverage including waiver of subrogation. OCJ may require Performance and Payment bonds on subcontracts. OCJ will pay the bond premium up to 2% of the contract value. Please contact OCJ of or any assistance required by your firm in obtaining bonding or insurance. The US Small Business Administration may also assist you in obtaining bonding - please see the following site for information: http://www.sba.gov/content/contractors. Visit the California Access to Capital Program.html. OCJ is available to help obtain necessary equipment, material and/or business - http://www.calbizfinance.org/cal_cert_biz_program.html. OCJ is available to help obtain necessary equipment, material and/or supplies. All subcontractors are required to execute OC Jones' standard subcontract agreement, comply with all insurance requirements, and name OCJ as additional insured. Copies of our agreement and insurance requirements are available upon request. OCJ is a Union contractor, and we are signatory to the Operating Engineers, Laborers, Teamsters, and Carpenters. OCJ is an Equal Opportunity Employer.



ANVIL BUILDERS INC. 1550 Park Ave. Emeryville, CA 94608 Phone: 415-285-5000 • Fax: 415-285-5005

Request for for DBEs, MBEs, WBEs, SBEs, SBA MBEs, & HUBZone Subcontractors and Suppliers for Project: City of Palo Alto - Local Advanced Water Purification System (Local AWPS)

Contract No: IFB193197
Bid Date: 1/31/2025 • Bid Time: 3:00 PM

The Project will construct a new odor control structure, membrane filtration, reverse osmosis system, a new permeate storage tank, blending station, new chemical storage facilities, electrical, instrumentation and control systems. Site work includes pile foundation, concrete slab, yard piping, replacement of a sewer line, paving, grading, landscaping, a metal canopy, a pre-engineered electrical building and a perimeter wall.

Seeking all trades (but not limited to): Demo, Concrete, Rebar, Piles, Asphalt, Fencing, Misc Metals, HVAC, Fire Sprinklers, Landscaping.

Plans, specifications, and requirements can be viewed at our office or by reaching out to us at estimating@anvilbuilders.com. By submitting a proposal your company agrees to Anvil Builders Inc standard subcontract. For assistance with bonding, lines of credit, insurance, or anything else regarding bidding on this project, contact Anvil Builders via phone or email.

Will you be bidding this project? Please email or fax your response to estimating@anvilbuilders.com / 415-285-5005.



4930 E La Palma Ave. Anaheim. CA 92807 • Phone: 866-416-4214 Email: rricard@ Contact: Ryan Ricard

> City of Banning Project: Well C-8 Site Equipping BID DATE: January 27th, 2025 @ 11:59 PM

An Equal Opportunity Employer & Complies with the Standard Federal Equal Employment Specifications

All Qualified AND/OR Certified DBE Subcontractors and Material/Equipment Suppliers are requested to forward quotes for the

Caliagua Inc. is seeking qualified subcontractors and suppliers for the following: Erosion and Sediment Control, Concrete Reinforcing, Masonry, Misc. Metals, Metal Roofing and Soffit Panels, Sealants, Metal Doors and Frames, Louvers, Painting, HVAC, Electrical, Earthwork, Fences and Gates, Precast Concrete Structures, Process Piping, Valves, Instrumentation, Vertical

 $\textbf{Project Documents:} \underline{\text{https://procurement.opengov.com/portal/banning-ca/projects/130270}$

Free access to the project documents can be furnished upon request. Caliagua Inc. is signatory to the Operating Engineers, Laborers, Cement Masons and Carpenters Unions. Subcontractors must possess a current contractor's license, DIR Registration, insurance and workers compensation coverage per project requirements. Subcontractors and Suppliers are expected to hid per plans and specifications. Quotes need to be submitted at a reasonable time prior to the hid date

AMOROSO

Project: Hayward WPCF Administration Building roject: Hayward MPCF Administration Buildi Location: Hayward, CA Project Bid Date: 1/28/2025 2:00P.M. Please Submit Bids by: 1/28/2025 1:00P.M. Owner: City of Hayward Estimator: Billy-Joel Celeste

Est. Budget: \$36,600,000

We are actively pursuing compliance with the DBE business goals and would appreciate your bid on this project.

Project Description:

Construction, startup, and commissioning of the 21,347 sf WPCF Administration Building, including all engineering, labor, materials, and equipment as required by the Contract Documents, including but not limited to selective demolition and salvaging of existing facilities and systems; site paving and grading; landscaping and other site improvements; yard piping and electrical systems; structural and architectural work; plumbing and heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems; laboratory; fire alarm and suppression systems; power supply systems; instrumentation and control systems; and all other items necessary for a complete and functional

A non-mandatory pre-bid conference will be held on Tuesday December 17, 2024 @ 10 am

*** Pre-Bid RFI/Technical questions shall be submitted via Bidnet Direct by COB January 21st by 4:00 pm. Please use www.bidnetdirect.com to submit such questions by the deadline.

*** Davis-Bacon Requirements/Prevailing wage rates are required

*** CWA Requirement: This contract is subject to the Community Workforce Agreement (CWA) approved by the Hayward City Coun cil. The successful bidder and all subcontractors, at any tier, will be required to sign an Agreement to be Boi in Attachment C in the Specifications as a condition precedent to entering into any contract for this project. nent to be Bound which can be found

***All bidders must hold their bid pricing for 60 days.

***Bid documents are available through Building Connected or from Amoroso's Box site at: https://sjamoroso.box.com/v/HaywardWPCFadministration

S.J. Amoroso Construction Co., LLC (Amoroso) may require subcontractors to provide 100% Payment & Performance Bonds, from a California admitted surety with an AM Best rating of A-VII or better, as a condition of contract. Amoroso is signatory to the Carpenter's Collective Bargaining Agreement. Amoroso strongly encourages the use of qualified M/W/D/O/S/DVBE subcontractors and vendors. Please include the use of qualified M/W/D/O/S/DVBE suppliers and lower tier subcontractors where applicable. It is the subcontractor's responsibility to review the Owner's General and Special Conditions for this project, as they will be binding. is the subcontractor's responsibility to review the Owner's General and Special Conditions for this project, as they will be binding. Subcontractors will also be required to execute Amoroso's standard Subcontract Agreement and comply with Amoroso's standard insurance requirements and safety requirements, all without modification, should we both be awarded this project. These documents can be found on our website, www.sjamoroso.com. Amoroso's listing of a subcontractor is not to be construed as an acceptance of all of the sub's conditions or exceptions included with the price quote. Per California Labor Code 1771.1: A contractor or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, subject to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, as defined in this chapter, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5. Subcontractor's must provide their CA License & DIR Certification numbers with proposals.

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REQUESTS QUOTATIONS FROM ALL STATE OF CALIFORNIA DGS CERTIFIED DVBE SUBCONTRACTORS & SUPPLIERS and ALL QUALIFIED SUBCONTRACTORS & SUPPLIERS FOR ALL TRADES FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT:

MATTIE WASHBURN TK LEASE-LEASEBACK WINDSOR, CA

BID DATE: January 29, 2025 @ 2:00pm ESTIMATE: \$4,500,000

Trades needed but not limited to: Site Building Demolition, Electrical Safe-Off, Grading & UG Utilities, Paving, Site Concrete, Structural Concrete, Structural Rebar, Below Grade Waterproofing, Electrical, PC Shade Structure – Install Only, Landscape, Playground Equipment, Synthetic Turf, Poured In Place Playground Surface, Structural Steel & Metal Decking, Site Fencing & Gates, Metal Stud & Drywall, Wood Ply, Windows, Self Adhered Sheet Membrane, Door & Hardware, Casework, Display Surfaces, Acoustic Wall Panels, Acoustic Ceilings, FRP Wall Panels, Flooring, Ceramic Tile, Epoxy Floor, Plaster, Weather Barriers, Insulation, Signage, Painting, Roller Shades, Fire Extinguisher Cab, Plumbing, HVAC, Roofing & Gutters, SM Flashing & Trim, Joint Sealants, Erosion Control, Scaffolding, Pave Marking, Electrical Safety Wire, UG Firewater, Ceramic Waterproofing, Backerboard, Fire Stopping, Expansion Joint Covers, Survey, Trench Drain, Toilet Accessories

All contractors shall be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5 to be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal (submitted on or after March 1, 2015) or be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project (awarded on or after April 1, 2015). In addition, they are subject to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code.

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BUSINESS TOOLKIT

10 Key strategies for effective construction management in 2025

[Article originally appeared in www.fieldwire.com]

By Rose Morrison

Subcontractors are the specialists responsible for delivering quality work on time and within budget. However, with the jumbling pressures of tight deadlines, complex designs and constantly changing regulations, staying on top of everything can feel overwhelming — even for the most experienced in the industry.

Fortunately, the latest advancements in technology are transforming how you can manage construction projects efficiently. Discover 10 critical strategies you can implement to make innovative technologies your ultimate ally in 2025.

1. Efficient task delegation

One person can't do everything themselves, so you must master delegation. However, this isn't simply instructing people on what they should do. Instead, it's about ensuring they are knowledgeable and capable of carrying it out.

Without an efficient system for delegating tasks, work can easily pile up and team members may not know what they're supposed to prioritize when bombarded with lengthy to-dos. This lack of structure can lead to missed deadlines, duplication of efforts or even safety risks. Automation tools can help you delegate more effectively as they enable assigning tasks, tracking progress and receiving notifications when work is completed.

Additionally, augmented reality (AR) systems allow you to give workers detailed virtual guides for tasks, reducing confusion and ensuring things are completed accurately the first time.

2. Strategic project planning

Poor planning is the bane that causes project delays and cost overruns. Without a clear roadmap for how things should go, it's challenging to stay on schedule and within budget.

Tech such as project management apps can dramatically improve your project planning. New cutting-edge trends and tools are on the horizon, like IoT-integrated smart cities, 3D printing and green construction. These provide subcontractors with powerful ways to create detailed timelines, manage budgets and track resources in real time. You can use digital scheduling tools to track progress in one unified platform. This makes it easier for everyone involved in the project to view and adjust as needed, ensuring you never miss a crucial deadline.

3. Effective time management

Wasted time is also among the problems that construction projects suffer from — whether due to miscommunication, inefficient scheduling or slow progress monitoring. Solutions include time-tracking software and drones for site analysis. Various apps allow you to monitor worker hours, helping to avoid overtime costs and keep projects on schedule.

In addition, drones equipped with imaging technology allow for ultra-precise aerial surveys,

helping you monitor project progress without wasting time on manual site inspections.

4. Systematic contract organization

Keeping track of important documents such as project contracts is crucial from beginning to end. Read these documents carefully to ensure you know which obligations to fulfill and that your understanding of the project follows the specifications and scope of work. Misunderstanding or missing important details can lead to errors, disputes or costly delays.

Building information modeling (BIM) is essential for managing contract documents. BIM allows you to view detailed 3D models of the project, including all architectural, structural and mechanical details. This leads to a more accurate and thorough understanding of reducing task execution delays.

5. Effective communication

According to one study, having a clear communication plan contributes to at least 70% of a project's timely success. Without proper systems in place, messages can easily get lost, forgotten or misunderstood.

Collaboration tools can facilitate real-time communication between you and your teams. These platforms allow for quick exchanges like file sharing and direct messaging, lessening the chances of miscommunication. AR/VR technologies also enable immersive experiences that allow teams to virtually walk through designs and communicate their vision, leading to fewer misunderstandings during construction.

6. Digital systems automation

Modern problems require modern solutions, and you can't be successful in today's construction industry without going digital. Manual processes are time-consuming and prone to human error. Transitioning to digital construction management systems allows you to keep up with the demands of modern construction. Cloud-based platforms let you store and process documents and collaborate with stakeholders remotely.

7. Persuasive negotiations

Subcontractors are often caught in the middle, negotiating with general contractors and suppliers. Without accurate data, it will be challenging to secure favorable pricing or terms, which might leave you vulnerable to cost overruns or thin margins.

Data analytics and cloud-based project management tools can empower you by providing a clear-cut view of costs, timelines and labor needs. By understanding labor costs, material price fluctuations and potential risks, you can approach negotiations armed with precise numbers and make better-informed decisions.

Imagine being able to show a general contractor how a proposed material substitution could save time and money, backed by data from your coftware

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TECHNOLOGY INDUSTRIES NEWS

Biden-Harris Administration Awards Additional \$210 Million Tech Hub Grants

[Article originally appeared in www.commerce.gov]

The U.S. Department of Commerce's Economic Development Administration (EDA) announced today that it plans to award approximately \$210 million in implementation grants, ranging between approximately \$22 million and \$48 million, to six Tech Hub Designees as part of a new round of funding from Congress. In addition, EDA intends to partner with the U.S. National Science Foundation (NSF) to extend tailored resources and personalized support to Tech Hubs. This builds on the July 2024 announcement of \$504 million for 12 Tech Hubs across America, bringing the total to more than \$700 million for 18 centers of excellence focused on jobs and industries of the future.

The six latest Hubs selected for implementation grants are among the 31 Tech Hubs designated in October 2023 by President Biden to scale up the production of critical technologies, create jobs in innovative industries, strengthen U.S. economic competitiveness and national security, and accelerate the growth of industries of the future in regions across the United States.

"To out-innovate and out-build the rest of the world, we need to ensure we're investing in America's talent and workforce to succeed in a 21st century economy – that's how America maintains its competitive edge," said U.S. Secretary of Commerce Gina Raimondo. "The Tech Hubs Program and this latest allocation of funds are the result of bipartisan cooperation in Congress – I hope that good-faith work will endure so we can continue to invest in these centers of excellence across the nation, which in return, are providing good-paying jobs in industries of the future and helping to strengthen U.S. economic and national security."

"We are so pleased that bipartisan support in Congress for the Tech Hubs Program will allow us to make even more impactful investments in the future of America's economy and national competitiveness," said Cristina Killingsworth, Acting Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development. "This implementation funding will empower the six Tech Hubs to spur technology commercialization, create jobs, attract private investment, and fortify their regional economy as a global leader in their respective technology focus."

These new awardees, all designated Tech Hubs that have not previously received Tech Hubs implementation funds, made a strong case that with targeted investment they can advance a critical technology important to American economic

and national security. This new round of awards is funded by new appropriations from the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025 National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA). The NDAA also includes a provision that could provide the Tech Hubs Program additional funding of up to \$280 million in the coming years.

American Aerospace Materials Manufacturing Tech Hub (Washington, Idaho)

Lead Agency: American Aerospace Materials Manufacturing Center

Technology Focus: aerospace materials manufacturing

Estimated Award Amount: \$48 million

Birmingham Biotechnology Hub (Alabama)

Lead Agency: Southern Research Institute

Technology Focus: equitable AI-driven biotechnology

Estimated Award Amount: \$44 million

Corvallis Microfluidics Tech Hub (Oregon)

Lead Agency: Oregon State University **Technology Focus:** microfluidics

Estimated Award Amount: \$45 million

Critical Minerals and Materials for Advanced Energy (CM2AE) Tech Hub (Missouri)

Lead Agency: University of Missouri System **Technology Focus:** critical mineral processing

Estimated Award Amount: \$29 million

Forest Bioproducts Advanced Manufacturing Tech Hub (Maine)

Lead Agency: Maine Technology Institute

Technology Focus: sustainable wood biomass

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Estimated Award Amount: \$22 million

Vermont Gallium Nitride Tech Hub (Vermont)

Lead Agency: University of Vermont

Technology Focus: gallium nitride-based semi-

conductors

Estimated Award Amount: \$23 million

The funding for each coalition listed above is approximate, with awards to be signed later in the

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California's High-Speed Rail Program Celebrates Progress

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About the collaboration between the High-Speed Rail Authority, Brightline West, and High-Desert Joint Powers Agency

The Authority, High-Desert Corridor Joint Powers Agency and Brightline West have been working together in close collaboration to develop the U.S. Southwest region high-speed rail network. Once fully built and interconnected, the three high-speed rail systems will pave the way for Californians to travel from Northern California through Central Valley to Southern California, as well to Las Vegas. The three parties continue to collaborate on protocols and standards for interoperability between systems.

In California's Central Valley, there are 25 active construction sites, more than 60 miles of guideway completed and nearly five miles of bridges and other structures in place, making it possible to begin the track laying construction process. In addition, 463 of 494 miles have been fully environmentally cleared for the high-speed rail project between the Bay Area and Los Angeles County.

High-speed rail is a key part of Governor Newsom's Build More, Faster agenda, delivering infrastructure upgrades and creating jobs throughout the state.

For the latest on high-speed rail construction, visit: www.buildhsr.com

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Governor Newsom, CEO Choudri, partners, and community leaders pound spikes to kick-off the Railhead Project.

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GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE HIGHWAY & TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transportation District (District) is soliciting bids from qualified firms for Contract No. 2024-BT-029, Novato Bus Facility Dispatch and Fuel Island Building Roof Rehabilitation and Building Exterior Improvements. Bids must be uploaded to the District's Procurement Portal: https://ggbhtd.bonfirehub.com by February 20, 2025, at 2:00 p.m., Pacific Time, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read online.

Hard copy submissions will NOT be accepted. Hard copies received will be returned (unopened) to Bidders without consideration.

The bid opening will be conducted online only, and the District will be utilizing Microsoft Teams to conduct the meeting. Below is the Microsoft Teams Meeting information for Bidders who wish to participate in the bid opening. If you have not used Microsoft Teams before, please refer to the link: Join a Meeting in Teams prior to the meeting to ensure that you are able to join without technical difficulties. On the date and time of the meeting, press Ctrl+Click on the hyperlink, "Join Bid Opening." This meeting is specifically for the bid opening relative to the above Contract. Bidders may also call the telephone number and enter the Conference ID number provided below.

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Dial in by phone

+1 628-212-0729,,87276721# United States, Corte Madera

Phone conference ID: 872 767 21#

Join on a video conferencing device Tenant key: goldengate@m.webex.com Video ID: 117 403 149 5

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This public works project consists of, in general, roof rehabilitation and building exterior improvements at the District's Novato Bus Facility Dispatcher and Fuel Island Buildings located at 4 Golden Gate Place, Novato, CA, 94945.

The scope of work includes cleaning and repairing of existing metal decking roof as necessary for installation of Sprayed Polyurethane Foam Roofing system

including replacement of necessary edge metal, stacks and vents; removing and replacing six existing roof skylights; removing and replacing ten exterior windows; cleaning and preparing exterior walls, overhang soffits, doors including roll-up doors, rain gutters, downspouts, vents and louvers to receive the exterior paint coating system; furnishing and installing a quick connect Generator Connection Switchboard system including all necessary connection to the existing PG&E Main Switchboard, and all other related work items as required to complete the project titled Novato Bus Facility Dispatch and Fuel Island Building Roof Rehabilitation and Building Exterior Improvements, as shown on the Contract Plans and as specified in the Contract Documents.

A pre-bid conference will be held on January 29, 2025, at 10:00 a.m., Pacific Time, at the Novato Bus Facility Dispatcher Building, 4 Golden Gate Place, Novato, CA 94945. A job walk through will be conducted immediately after the meeting. While this conference is not mandatory, the District highly recommends you attend.

Bidders bidding as the prime contractor shall possess a valid State of California Class A, General Engineering Contractor's License and Class C-22, Asbestos Abatement Contractor License with a minimum experience of three similar projects with public agencies in the past five years at the time of Contract award. All subcontractors, if any, shall be properly licensed by the State of California to perform specialized trades and shall have a minimum experience of three similar projects with public agencies in the past five years at the time of Contract award. Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 4104, each Bid Proposal must include the name and location of the place of business of each subcontractor who shall perform work or service, or install work for the prime contractor in excess of one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) of the bid price using. List of Subcontractors, included with the Bid Documents.

Bids must be accompanied by a deposit either in the form of cash, a certified or cashier's check, or Bidder's Bond, as described in the Contract Documents, which shall be applied to damages sustained by the District if the successful Bidder fails or refuses to enter into a contract awarded to it.

Bids shall be submitted on the District's **Proposal Forms, including all attachments,** and uploaded to the District's Procurement Portal: https://ggbhtd.bonfirehub.com and plainly marked with Bidder's name.

The District reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bid or in the bidding procedure. No Bidder may withdraw its bid for a period of ninety (90) days after the date of opening bids. Within two (2) working days of bid opening, a summary of Bidders' quotes will be

available at the District's Procurement Portal website. To review the bid results, go to the District's Procurement Portal website: https://ggbhtd.bonfirehub.com

and look for Contract No. 2024-BT-029. Each Bidder will be notified of award, if award is made.

The successful Bidder shall furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond in amounts equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the total price of the Contract. Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 22300, the successful Bidder may submit certain securities in lieu of the District withholding funds from progress payments (retention) during the Project.

The District hereby notifies all Bidders that it is the policy of the District to ensure nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the award and administration of contracts.

Bidders are strongly encouraged to obtain Disadvantaged and Small Business Enterprise (DBE/SBE) participation on this Project. In order to achieve such participation, the District has developed procedures to remove barriers to DBE participation in the bidding and award process and to assist DBEs to develop and compete successfully outside of the DBE Program. These procedures include the establishment of a SBE Element of the District's Diversity Program for Contracts. The District has evaluated subcontracting opportunities for this Contract and determined that such opportunities exist and has established an SBE contract-specific goal of 8.5%. Bidders must meet the contract-specific SBE goal or demonstrate good faith efforts to do so. All bidders must document their efforts to achieve this goal. Bidders are encouraged to attend the pre-bid meeting to better understand the applicable DBE/SBE requirements. For DBE/SBE assistance, contact Artemisé Davenport, Manager of DBE and Workforce Inclusion, at (415) 257-4581.

Contractor and all lower-tier subcontractors and suppliers performing covered work shall be required to submit certified payroll and labor compliance documentation to the District electronically using LCP Tracker software.

In accordance with Section 1720 et seq. of the Labor Code, the general prevailing wage rates, as established by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations, will apply to this Contract. Information about prevailing wage rates for this Project is set forth in the Special Provisions. The prevailing wage rates established by the California Department of Industrial Relations are available at http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/PWD. Hard copies can be viewed at the District's Engineering Office or requested by mail, addressed to: Prevailing Wage Unit, Division of Labor Statistics and Research, Department of Industrial Relations, P.O. Box 420603, San Francisco, CA 94142.

Should the general prevailing wage rates not specify a wage determination for a particular craft classification or type of worker, attention is directed to 8 C.C.R. 16202(b) regarding petitioning the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations for a special wage determination. The District has made no request for such determination, as the District does not know the specific craft classifications or type of workers intended by Contractor for this Project.

Contractor and subcontractors must be registered with the California Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5. This Contract is subject to monitoring and enforcement by the DIR pursuant to Labor Code Section 1771.4. The Contractor must post job site notices, as prescribed by regulation. The Contractor shall furnish the records specified in Labor Code Section 1776 directly to the Labor Commissioner, monthly in a format prescribed by the Labor Commissioner

Bidders' attention is directed to the requirements of the California Division of Occupational Safety and Health (Cal/OSHA). Bid documents are available at no charge on the District's Procurement Portal at https://ggbhtd.bonfirehub.com. In order to download and respond to posted solicitations, Bidders are required to register on the District's Procurement Portal. Once registered the documents may be downloaded. Click on the "Open Public Opportunities" page, click View Opportunity next to the desired project.

Any revision to the Bid Documents will be made by a written addendum and be available on the District's Procurement Portal for download at no charge. Such addendum will become a part of the Bid Documents and be binding on all Bidders. Bidder's receipt of the addendum shall be acknowledged and so noted by each Bidder in the space provided on the Proposal Form. It is the responsibility of Bidder to check the District's Procurement Portal website for any Addenda that may be issued relative to this Contract.

Questions regarding technical information and clarifications shall be submitted in the District's Procurement Portal by clicking on the Opportunity Q & A tab of the message section of the project page. Such submissions shall be sent no later than eight calendar days before bid opening. Note that only written clarifications issued by the District are binding on the District. The District will post all pre-bid questions and the District's responses on the District's Procurement Portal website under Reference Number 2024-BT-029. Bidders are encouraged to check the procurement portal website regularly.

John R. Eberle, P.E., District Engineer Dated at San Francisco, this 16th day of January 2025 1/16, 1/23, 1/30/25

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SMALL BUSINESS EXCHANGE

California's Workforce Is Diverse, but Many Occupations Are Not

[Article originally appeared in www.ppic.org]

Despite California's highly diverse workforce, many types of jobs are predominantly filled by people from a specific demographic group, making them almost homogenous. In fact, this phenomenon—sometimes known as occupational segregation—is so widespread in California that it is a major feature of even the largest occupations. Moreover, many occupations outside of the top ten are even more homogenous. Here we highlight the jobs in California where occupational segregation is most extreme, particularly along the intersecting lines of gender and race/ethnicity.

Some of the most demographically skewed occupations are uneven by gender: in manual trades like carpentry and plumbing, practically all workers are men. Pre-K teaching and child-care work are similar, but in reverse, with the

former skewing toward white women and the latter toward women of color.

Meanwhile, for racial/ethnic groups, about 90% of workers in some agricultural and landscaping jobs are Latino, and 75% or more of other agricultural workers, as well as maids and house-keeping cleaners, are immigrants.

White workers also see heavy overrepresentation in some fields, but to a lesser extent: producers and directors, firefighters, and CEOs and legislators are about twice as likely to be white as the overall workforce (60 to 68% in these jobs are white, compared to about 33% of full-time, full-year workers).

Racial/ethnic groups that make up smaller percentages of California's workforce—Black, Asian/Pacific Islander, and other categories—experience as much or more overrepresentation in certain jobs as white and Latino workers do in others, even if they never make up 90% of

an occupation. Security guards and personal care aides are more than twice as likely to be Black as the average full-time worker (24% and 12% of those occupations, respectively, but just 5% of all full-time workers), and software developers are more than twice as likely to be Asian/Pacific Islander (57% of this job, but 18% overall).

Notably, not all jobs are so heavily skewed. For example, sales supervisors and compliance workers are similar to the overall workforce in racial/ethnic composition, and managers (the state's largest job category) are representative in terms of gender.

Skills and education factor into the jobs that Californians take on, and higher education in particular continues to lead to higher paid work; addressing race- or gender-based disparities in access to education could thus make some occupations less homogenous. At the same time, as we have noted elsewhere, demographic over-

and underrepresentation in jobs also reflect disparities in areas like labor market opportunities and social supports that are tied to historical raceand gender-based discrimination. These factors collectively contribute to the fact that workers who are Black, Latino, "other race," female, or immigrants typically earn lower hourly wages. Given the problem's long roots, addressing barriers to job access is complex but could benefit individuals seeking upward mobility as well as businesses in search of a skilled workforce.

Building skills and educational attainment could widen Californians' job choices, and according to the November 2023 PPIC Statewide Survey on Californians' economic well-being, educational policies are quite popular: 81% of Californians support job training programs and about seven in ten favor making public college tuition-free (68%).

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENTS

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s): **DCK Software** 1939 21st Avenue San Francisco, CA 94116 Full Name of Registrant #1 **David Lee** Address of Registrant #1 1939 21st Avenue San Francisco, CA 94116

This business is conducted by an individual

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 08-08-2024

Signed: David Lee

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **01-03-2025**

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Filed:

Mariedyne Nadonza Deputy County Clerk 01/03/2025

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s): Fog City Lens Address

1543 Sloat Blvd #551 San Francisco, CA 94132 Full Name of Registrant #1 **Ellen Tam** Address of Registrant #1 1543 Sloat Blvd #551 San Francisco, CA 94132

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Signed: Ellen Tam

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Signed: Renée Baustista

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San Francisco, CA 94114

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Signed: Elena Viana

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Melvin Galvez Deputy County Clerk 01-06-2025

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s): **Helivibes Solutions**

Address 1590 Green Street #102 San Francisco, CA 94123 Full Name of Registrant #1 Talbert Dsouza Address of Registrant #1 1590 Green Street #102 San Francisco, CA 94123

This business is conducted by an individual.

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Signed: Talbert Dsouza

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Mariedyne Nadonza Deputy County Clerk 12/20/2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):

K&M Import and Export International
Trading Company
Address
837 Broadway #1
San Francisco, CA 94133
Full Name of Registrant #1
Ken K Chung

Ken K Chung
Address of Registrant #1
837 Broadway #1, San Francisco, CA 94133

This business is conducted by an individual.

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Signed: Ken K Chung

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **12-23-2024**

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Filed:

Maribel Jaldon Deputy County Clerk 12/23/2024

12/26/24 + 01/02/25 + 01/09/25 + 01/16/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s): Metropolitan Properties

2261 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94114
Full Name of Registrant #1 Nina Geneson
Address of Registrant #1
2261 Market Street
San Francisco, CA 94114

This business is conducted by an individual.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 05-12-2008

Signed: Nina Geneson

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Maribel Jaldon

Deputy County Clerk 12-12-2024

01/16/25 + 01/23/25 + 01/30/25 + 02/03/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2024-0405198

Fictitious Business Name(s):
Mollie Stone's Grand Central Market

2435 California Street 2435 California Street
San Francisco, CA 94115
Full Name of Registrant #1
Albeco Inc. (CA)
Address of Registrant #1
150 Shoreline Hwy Bldg D
Mill Valley, CA 94941

This business is conducted by a corporation.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **02-26-2007**

Signed: Michael J. Stone

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on 12-18-2024

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Filed:

Melvin Galvez Deputy County Clerk 12/18/2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2025-0405352

Fictitious Business Name(s): **Nob Hill Inn**

Address 1000 Pine Street San Francisco, CA 94109 Full Name of Registrant #1 Boutikia LLC (CA) 1000 Pine Street, San Francisco, CA 94109

This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **01-01-2025**

Signed: Ningxiao Yan

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **01-07-2025**

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Filed:

Melvin Galvez Deputy County Clerk 01-07-2025

01/16/25 + 01/23/25 + 01/30/25 + 02/03/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s):

Nymph San Francisco

Address
60 Sussex Street
San Francisco, CA 94131-3012
Full Name of Registrant #1
Nymph San Francisco LLC (CA)
Address of Registrant #1
60 Sussex Street

San Francisco, CA 94131-3012

This business is conducted by a limited liability company (CA)

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **12-07-2017**

Signed: Virginia Mabel Blanco

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **12-09-2024**

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Filed: **Melvin Galvez**

Deputy County Clerk 12/09/2024

01/09/25 + 01/16/25 + 01/23/25 + 01/30/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2024-0405218

Fictitious Business Name(s):

Studio Banaa

Address
2169 Folsom Street #S106
San Francisco, CA 94110
Full Name of Registrant #1
Bunton Mousavi Architecture, Inc. (CA)
Address of Registrant #1
118 Precita Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94110

This business is conducted by a corporation.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 12/06/2016

Signed: Dane William Bunton

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on 12-20-2024

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Maribel Jaldon Filed:

Deputy County Clerk 12/20/2024

12/26/24 + 01/02/25 + 01/09/25 + 01/16/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s): Sunset Commons

Address
1600 Irving Street, San Francisco, CA 94122 Full Name of Registrant #1
Carmen Luk Ventures LLC

Address of Registrant #1
1252 16th Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94122 This business is conducted by a limited liability company (CA)

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on Not Applicable.

Signed: Steven Lee

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **12-30-2024**

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Melvin Galvez Deputy County Clerk 12/30/2024

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Fictitious Business Name(s): **The Butter Block** 1501 Cortland Avenue San Francisco, CA 94110 Full Name of Registrant #1 Heidi April Lee Address of Registrant #1
161 Chenery Street
San Francisco, CA 94131

This business is conducted by an individual.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **11-21-2024**

Signed: Heidi Lee

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **11-21-2024**

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Filed:

Giselle Romo Deputy County Clerk 11/21/2024

12/26/24 + 01/02/25 + 01/09/25 + 01/16/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2024-0405277

Fictitious Business Name(s): 1.) Bitframe
2.) EvoCut
Address Address
548 Market Street, Unit 52407
San Francisco, CA 94104
Full Name of Registrant #1
Bitframe Media LLC. (CA) Address of Registrant #1
548 Market Street, Unit 52407 San Francisco, CA 94104

This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on 08-01-2023

Signed: Fli Bottom

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **12-31-2024**

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Filed:

Liana Diep-Lee Deputy County Clerk 12-31-2024

01/16/25 + 01/23/25 + 01/30/25 + 02/03/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2024-0405188

Fictitious Business Name(s): Ed's Garden Service 266A Carl Street San Francisco, CA 94117 Full Name of Registrant #1 Edward Holman Address of Registrant #1 266A Carl Street San Francisco, CA 94117

This business is conducted by an individual.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **Not Applicable.**

Signed: Edward Holman

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on 12-17-2024

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Filed:

Giselle Romo Deputy County Clerk 12/17/2024

12/19/24 + 12/26/24 + 01/02/25 + 01/09/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

Honey

555 Sutter Street #304, San Francisco, CA 94102 Full Name of Registrant #
Samantha Bass

Address of Registrant #1
555 Sutter Street #304, San Francisco, CA 94102

This business is conducted by an individual.

merced to transact business under the fictitious business name(s) listed above on **01-02-2025**

Signed: Samantha Bass

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on **01-13-2025**

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Maribel Osoria Deputy County Clerk 01-13-2025

01/16/25 + 01/23/25 + 01/30/25 + 02/03/25

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. 2024-0405160

Fictitious Business Name(s):

KITTOS

200 Capp Street, San Francisco, CA 94110

Full Name of Registrant #1 **The Wobbly Wheel LLC (CA)**Address of Registrant #1 **834 5th Avenue, Suite 1, San Francisco, CA 94901**

This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

The registrant(s) commenced to transact business ut the fictitious business name(s) listed above on ${\bf N/A}$

Signed: Kaushik Dattani

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Filed:

Giselle Romo Deputy County Clerk 12/12/2024



ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

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

Pizza Squared
Located at 885 Brannan Street, San Francisco, CA 94103

This fictitious business name was filed in the County of San Francisco on 11/14/2017 under file A-0377946-00

Name and address of Registrants

Full Name of Registrant #1 Soma Slice, LLC 1233 19th Street San Francisco, CA 94107

This business was conducted by a A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of San Francisco County on

Melvin Galvez Deputy County Clerk 12-11-2024

01/02/25 + 01/09/25 + 01/16/25 + 01/23/25

Mayor Daniel Lurie to welcome JP Morgan Healthcare Conference back to San Francisco



[Article originally appeared in www.sf.gov]

Conference generates tens of millions of dollars for city's economy

Mayor Daniel Lurie will welcome more than 8,000 visitors to San Francisco at the JP Morgan Healthcare Conference, kicking off his first full week in office.

The conference marks a key moment for the city's revitalization - last year's edition reportedly generated more than \$90 million in economic impact for the city. It is also the first of these major moments in Mayor Lurie's tenure, with NBA All-Star Weekend coming to San Francisco next month. Mayor Lurie's work to end the three-month hotel workers strike was critical to enabling the conference to move forward in the city as planned.

In his remarks, Mayor Lurie will discuss his work to provide public safety and clean streets, kickstarting San Francisco's revitalization, and urge conference attendees to be active participants. "San Francisco is open for business," he will say. "I'm inviting you, as industry leaders, to not just witness our comeback, but to be part of it."

Below are key excerpts from Mayor Lurie's

"It's hard to believe there was ever a debate about this conference being here. San Francisco has long shaped the future of healthcare and technology.

"Yes, we've faced challenges recently. We own that. But this past November, San Franciscans made it clear that we're ready for change.

"It's a new day in San Francisco.

"Under my administration, we are facing our issues head-on, with urgency, and an unapologetic focus on results.

That's how we ended the longest hotel strike in city history and got San Franciscans back to work and the hotel industry up and running in time for you to join us here today.

"Government can learn from successful private-sector leaders like you all. I am bringing these lessons to my administration—from structure, to metrics, to driving for clarity.

"Instead of having almost 60 department heads operating in silos, I have restructured the mayor's office and created four new policy chiefs directly accountable to me. These policy chiefs will ensure city departments work toward the same objectives and key results in the crucial areas. Those include public safety, housing and economic development, homelessness, and infrastructure.

"You can already feel the difference.

"San Francisco is open for business. I'm inviting you, as industry leaders, to not just witness our comeback, but to be part of it.

"My administration is building the foundation for a safe urban core that is thriving and inviting. We are engaging local artists and once again becoming a destination for worldclass events and tourism, just like this conference and the NBA All-Star Game coming in February.

"We had 25,000 people in Chinatown last Wednesday night—art galleries, restaurants, and bars were full. People were literally dancing in the streets—it's happening already.

"There are green shoots everywhere, but my standard for success is sky-high.

"San Francisco has always solved problems others can't or won't. We lead in technology, medicine, and social progress. We're the birthplace of innovation and the center of venture capital because we embrace failure, learn from it, and deliver the change the world

"The last few years, we've risked taking that for granted. It's my job to ensure we create the conditions for success once again.

"The greatest breakthroughs—the greatest investments—come from seeing potential where others don't. You know this.

"At this very moment, San Francisco is at an inflection point. And in this new era, our potential has no ceiling."

SOURCE: https://tinyurl.com/2buewwsp

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SUCCESS STORIES

Lopes Family Farms



Bruce and Christopher Lopes

[Article originally appeared in https://calosba.ca.gov]

Location: Northern California | Glenn County | Princeton

Business Type: Agriculture

Bruce and Christopher Lopes realized they needed to pivot from their old business model to something that could sustain the family long into the future because the rising costs of farming, unpredictable weather and wildly fluctuating commodity prices were leading them towards going out of business. The father and son team adapted their new practice from the Japanese style of duck rice farming due to its potential for sustainability.

The Lopes started their business out of their 113-year-old rice farm with the goal of entering the direct-to-consumer market and spreading awareness of their regenerative/organic farming practice. They had a great idea for how to turn things around, but they began to feel stuck and unsure of how to best proceed.

They connected with ChicoSTART, and Eva Shepherd-Nicoll, who wasted no time in helping the duo define their next steps. After a one-on-one consultation, Christopher said they had," a better perspective on what we should be prioritizing, funding opportunities available and comfort in knowing that there is so much support for struggling entrepreneurs trying to build a business in our area. We left the meeting feeling so much more con-

fident that we were on the right track and that we had the support we needed to reach our goals. Eva helped us recognize risks and opportunities we weren't even aware of and did an amazing job of providing guidance and advice to navigate them."

The Lopes figured the best way to accomplish their goals was to sell in bulk to school districts who were looking for CA grown, organic and sustainable sources. The Lopes Family Farms also offer to do in-class presentations to help educate students and staff on where their food comes from, the benefits of duck rice – which include substantial water savings, healthier soil, lower seed costs, and selling the ducks as a secondary crop.

"We've found that the school system is very excited for the opportunity to have farmers educating the kids about regenerative farming especially with the Farm to School movement growing rapidly," said Christopher. "It's been very rewarding hearing feedback from the school districts about how well our rice has been received and their excitement for creating a deeper connection with the kids, where their food comes from, and the regenerative practices being used to grow it."

If you're interested in regenerative farming and want to learn more about the Lopes, contact them through their website: Lopes Family Farms

SOURCE: https://calosba.ca.gov/lopes-family-farms/

Small Business Award Winner CoolCalifornia.org Quick Mount PV Simple steps for a sustainable future Walnut Creek, California

Systems that "A-Mount" to High Sustainability Standards

Quick Mount PV was founded in 2006 to bring cost-effective, code-compliant, waterproof rooftop mounting systems to the solar industry.

Quick Mount PV is committed to integrating sustainable practices into the daily operations of their 90,000 square foot facility in Walnut Creek. They are a Bay Area Certified Green Business and have replaced the floodlights in their parking lot with low-wattage LEDs and de-lamped light fixtures throughout the compound (saving \$14,000 annually). They also re-optimized the HVAC schedules to conserve energy, started on-site composting, established a company garden and implemented a comprehensive Environmental Management System.

As much as possible, they use recycled content aluminum because it requires only 5 percent of the energy needed to produce aluminum from virgin sources and can be recycled indefinitely. Stainless steel raw materials are used in their products when essential to quality and their average recycled content across all metals is 68 percent.

The firm purchased all-electric vehicles for business-related travel, and employees carpool or take public transportation to work. In case they are missing any possible opportunity for improvement, Quick Mount PV management holds quarterly staff meetings to review their sustainability progress.

Contact Information:

Jason Hannigan Sustainability Director 2700 Mitchell Dr., Building 2 Walnut Creek, CA 94598 (925) 478-8819 iason.hanigan@quickmountpv.com www.quickmountpv.com

Business Snapshot:

Quick Mount PV manufactures waterproof rooftop solar panel mounting systems for the solar industry.



Green Actions:

- Provide an employee garden to promote healthy, locally grown food
- Provide on-site compost bins in the kitchen and two more outside in the company's garden
- Purchase 80 percent recycled cardboard
- De-lamped light fixtures throughout the compound
- Replaced floodlight bulbs with low-wattage LEDs
- Use recycled aluminum and recycled-content metals

Total Savings:

\$14,000 annually



Quick Mount PV has an employee garden with two compost bins.

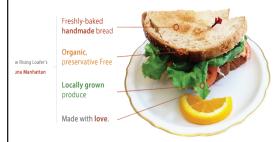
Small Business Award Winner CoolCalifornia.org Simple steps for a sustainable future Small Business Award Winner The Rising Loafer Lafayette, California

Rising to the Challenge

The Rising Loafer Café and Bakery's mission is to "contribute to the well-being of their community." Their breakfast and lunch menus are prepared with locally grown ingredients to help reduce the business' carbon footprint and support the local economy. They also started a back-business garden and are a certified Bay Area Green Business.

The Rising Loafer Café and Bakery has reduced their waste over 80 percent by recycling, reusing, and refurbishing materials. They banned Styrofoam™ products and use "real" plates and silverware instead. All animal fats, plastics, cardboard, cans and glass are recycled and tables are made out of old doors. The Rising Loafer installed low flow faucets and toilets and uses energy and water efficient appliances. They also replaced light bulbs with energy saving units and installed timers on equipment.

The owners are recognized leaders in sustainability and regularly share their green restaurant knowledge and experience with other businesses in the community. They are also training young adults in environmentally-friendly operation of restaurants by partnering with the Job Corp of America and the Berkeley Youth Alternative to offer internships.



Business Snapshot:

The Rising Loafer is an eco-minded café and bakery serving traditional sandwiches and Mediterranean specials.



Green Practices:

- Banned Styrofoam® products
- Recycling practices have reduced trash by 80 percent
- Tables are made from old doors
- Eliminated the use of toxic cleaning products and clean all sinks, grill, hood with white vinegar and baking soda



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