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A&E Contract Outreach
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June 25, 2025

10:30 AM – 12:30 PM

Online WebEx Outreach

Agenda

- General Information Sharing
- Calmentor program
- Office of Civil Rights – Opportunities for DBEs
- DPAC Updates – Procurement Process
- Contract Requirements & Overview
- Wrap Up - Question Submission:
 - Please send questions to EVERYONE in the chat box
 - Official responses to be posted on DPAC website

*The Attendees List (including contact information) will be posted on the website

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General Information

Location: Structure Construction Office K – District 10S, 6

Scope: The Consultant must perform structure construction engineering and inspection services on an as-needed basis

Schedule: Estimated Advertisement September 2025

DBE Goal: Estimate 20%

Contract Amount: Estimated value is \$15-20 Million

Duration: 3 years

Look Ahead Report: 59ANEW1184

General Information

Not Included in the Scope of Work:

Roadway construction services not associated with the structures

Exclusion From Participation:

Throughout the terms of this Contract, the Consultant and its Subconsultants are prohibited to have any financial, business or other relationship with Caltrans which may have a potential conflict of interest with this contract. The Consultant and its subconsultants shall also disclose any financial, business or other relationship with Caltrans throughout the terms of this contract.

Calmentor

Enhancing the growth potential of small business

Jane Yao PE

Senior Transportation Engineer

Caltrans District 4 Office of Consultant Services

Mission

Seeks to increase the pool of qualified small A&E firms available for public sector transportation projects by providing them opportunities to network and partner with established firms.

- Purpose
- To meet Governor's Executive Order S-11-06 requirements.
- To support and implement a small business A&E mentor-protégé program in all Districts.
- To encourage, and whenever possible increase, Small Business participation, including Disadvantaged Business Enterprises in highway and transit-related projects.
- Goal

Facilitates 12-month pairings between Mentors and Protégés that enhance knowledge, qualifications, readiness, and capacity of Protégés to perform work on public transportation sector projects

How The Program Works ?

1. Protégé Firm Membership Qualifications Determination.
2. Complete & Submit Protege Membership Application Form.
3. Review Program Welcome Kit after membership approval.
4. Identify and submit names of 3 potential Mentors to support the goals listed on application form.
5. Attend Quarterly Mixer Events.
6. Take Advantage of Program's Networking & Training Opportunities with other A&E Firms and Public Agencies.
7. Prepare MOU with a Mentor Firm.
8. Work on milestones and goals for a 12-month mentor-protégé relationship.

Program Achievements

- Total Number of membership 137
- Foster Partnership with Local Public Transportation Agencies
- 8 pairings for mentor and Protege
- 55 protégé firms are Disadvantaged Business Enterprise
- 24 Caltrans Contracts valued at \$307M Awarded to Members Since 10/2021
- Graduated 81 protégé Firms.

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WEB RESOURCES

D4 Calmentor website <https://dot.ca.gov/d4-calmentor>

Caltrans Look Ahead Report <https://dot.ca.gov/programs/procurement-and-contracts/ae-contract-information>

Caltrans Division of Procurement and Contracts (DPAC)
<https://dot.ca.gov/programs/procurement-and-contracts>

Caltrans Small Business Program Overview

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Office of Civil Rights

Statewide Outreach Branch

Recognized Certifications

Caltrans recognizes the following certifications:

Small Business (SB) – 25%

Includes Small Business for Public Works (SB-PW) and Micro Small Business (MB)

Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) - 3%

Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) – 21.35%

Get dual or triple-certified! Don't miss out on any opportunities

SB/SB-PW/DVBE Certification Benefits

5% bid preference for SBs

Up to 5% incentive for DVBEs

Exclusive contract opportunities

Prompt Payment

Reciprocity Partners

Work with prime contractors

DBE Certification Benefits

Recognized by sub-recipient local agencies in California.

Firm listed in the CUCP database

California Unified Certification Program (CUCP)

Recognized by Local Agencies

Invitations to Procurement Fairs, Pre-Bids, and other outreach events

Am I eligible?

Small Business (SB) and Small Business Public Works (SB-PW)

Independently owned & operated

Not dominant in the field of operation

Principle office located in California

Owners must live in California

Small Business (SB)

Have 100 or fewer employees; and

Average annual gross receipts of \$18 M or less over the last 3 tax years

Small Business Public Works (SB-PW)

Have 200 or fewer employees; and

Average annual gross receipts of \$43 M or less over the last 3 tax years

Am I Eligible? Cont

Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE)

Must have a service-oriented disability of at least 10%

U.S. Military, naval, or air service

Must be at least 51% owned by one or more disabled veteran

Must reside in California

Must be managed/controlled by a disabled veteran

Am I Eligible? Cont.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)

Must be at least 51% owned by one or more socially & economically disadvantaged individuals

Must be a for-profit small business

Personal net worth of \$2.047 M or less

Must be managed/controlled by a DBE individual & a U.S. Citizen

Average annual gross receipts for the 5 previous fiscal years cannot exceed \$30.72 M

How To Get Certified?

SB/DVBE

Department of General Services, Cal eProcure website

Apply online & submit documents electronically

DBE

Caltrans CUCP Online Certification website to find the nearest CUCP agencies

Submit your application online at <https://caltrans.dbesystem.com/>

Caltrans Districts and Counties

District-1 - Eureka (Del Norte, Humboldt, Lake, and Mendocino)

District-2 - Redding (Lassen, Modoc, Plumas, Shasta, Siskiyou, Tehama, and Trinity)

District-3 - Marysville/Sacramento (Butte, Colusa, El Dorado, Glenn, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Sierra, Sutter, Yolo, and Yuba)

District-4 - Bay Area/Oakland (Sonoma, Napa, Solano, Marin, San Francisco, Contra Costa, Alameda, San Mateo, and Santa Clara)

District-5 - San Luis Obispo/Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz)

District-6 - Fresno/Bakersfield (Madera, Fresno, Tulare, Kings, Kern)

District-7 - Los Angeles (Los Angeles and Ventura)

District-8 - San Bernardino/Riverside (Riverside and San Bernardino)

District-9 - Bishop (Inyo, Mono, and eastern Kern)

District-10 - Stockton (Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Mariposa, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Tuolumne)

District-11 - San Diego (San Diego and Imperial)

District-12 - Santa Ana (Orange)

Caltrans District Small Business Liaison (DSBL)

Primary Contact for small business-related concerns

Information about Small Business (SB), Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE), and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) certification and programs

Outreach

Community events and activities

Education regarding how to work with Caltrans

Provide 1:1 technical assistance to firms

Advocacy services

Concerns and complaints

Business Resources

Caltrans Website: <https://dot.ca.gov/>

DSBL Contact List: <https://dot.ca.gov/programs/civil-rights/dsbl-contact-list>

Caltrans Outreach Event Calendar: <https://dot.ca.gov/programs/civil-rights/caltrans-events-calendar>

Caltrans Contracting opportunities portal <https://ccop.dot.ca.gov/>

Contractor's Corner: <http://ppmoe.dot.ca.gov/des/oe/contractor-info.html>

Cal eProcure – California's Online Marketplace:
<https://caleprocure.ca.gov/pages/index.aspx>

DBE Website: <https://dot.ca.gov/programs/civil-rights/dbe>

Department of Industrial Relations (DIR): <https://www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/PublicWorks.html>

DGS UNSPSC Resource Page: <https://www.dgs.ca.gov/PD-UNSPSC>

A&E Contract Information <https://dot.ca.gov/programs/procurement-and-contracts/ae-contract-information>

What's Next? Cont.

Attend outreach events

Caltrans Events Calendar - <https://dot.ca.gov/programs/civil-rights/caltrans-events-calendar>

Find Caltrans projects and contracts to bid on

Cal eProcure – <https://caleprocure.ca.gov/pages/index.aspx>

Contractor's Corner - <http://ppmoe.dot.ca.gov/des/oe/contractor-info.html>

Questions can be sent to the AE Customer Service email:
AE.Customer.Service@dot.ca.gov

Websites

New Caltrans website:

<https://dot.ca.gov/>

Caltrans, Division of Procurements and Contracts (DPAC) A&E website:

<https://dot.ca.gov/programs/procurement-and-contracts>

Look Ahead Report:

<https://dot.ca.gov/programs/procurement-and-contracts/ae-contract-information>

STRUCTURE CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING AND INSPECTION SERVICES

Structure Construction Office K – D10 South, D6

Area Construction Manager:

Andy Gill, PE

Senior Bridge Engineers:

Kelvin Low, PE

Nathan Quiroz, PE

Rick Salinas, PE

Issac Kaing, PE

Contract Structure

The structure will be the DES SC On-Call Contract:

Task Orders will be developed for specific needs/activities.

Task Order supplements will be developed on an as-needed basis.

Budget will be managed at the project level.

Positions within the contract include:

Contract Manager, Task Order Manager, Responsible Person

Structure Representative, Assistant Structure Representative, Transportation
Engineering Technician

STRUCTURE CONSTRUCTION District 10S, 6 Significant projects

10-0P924 – Ferguson Avalanche Rockshed

10-0X760 – SR140 Bridge

10-0V690 – MPa Creek Bridge Repl +3

10-1H230 – Hoods Creek Bridge

10-1E280 – SR 132 West Extension

10-1M430 – Modesto MT Station

06-1HT02 – Merced to Madera

06-0W800 – Fresno Rehabilitation

06-48740 – Caldwell Interchange

06-48950 – Rte 137/99 Bridge

06-48468 – SB 99 to WB 58 Connector

06-48468 – Sr 46 Widening Project

SCOPE OF WORK STRUCTURE CONSTRUCTION

Provide professional and technical engineering staff who can perform structure construction field engineering and inspection services.

Structure construction services will include typical Structure Representative tasks, Assistant Structure Representative tasks, and Transportation Engineering Technician tasks.

The Structure Representative, Assistant Structure Representatives, and Transportation Engineering Technician may be Caltrans or Consultant employees.

Consultant Contract Manager Requirements

Coordinate work and consultant's operations under this contract with the Caltrans Contract Manager and Task Order Manager.

Have a minimum of five (5) years of experience performing the duties as a contract manager for similar construction inspection services contracts.

Be knowledgeable about Caltrans policies and procedures.

Must be accessible to Caltrans.

Be an employee of the prime consultant.

Be a registered professional engineer licensed in the State of California with minimum of ten (10) years of relevant experience.

Be responsible for the consultant and subconsultant personnel, structures construction inspection services work, and consultant's and subconsultants' operations.

Manage budget

Consultant Task Order Manager requirements

Have a minimum of five (5) years of experience performing the duties as a Task Order Manager.

Be a registered professional engineer licensed in the State of California with a minimum of ten (10) years of relevant experience.

Be accessible to the Caltrans Contract Manager and Task Order Manager during normal Caltrans working hours.

Structure Representative requirements

Be a registered professional engineer licensed in the State of California.

Have a minimum of two (2) years of experience as a Structure Representative for similar construction inspection projects.

Be knowledgeable about Caltrans policies and procedures.

Possess a valid:

Driver's License.

Standard First Aid Certificate

American Society for Testing Materials (ASTM) or California Test Methods (CTM), or
American Concrete Institute (ACI)

Assistant Structure Representative requirements

Have a two (2) year degree from pre-engineering program and have a minimum of two (2) years experience performing the duties of an Assistant Structure Representative, or

Have a four (4) year bachelor degree in engineering and have one (1) year experience performing the duties of an Assistant Structure Representative for similar construction inspection projects.

Be knowledgeable about Caltrans policies and procedures.

Possess a valid:

Driver's License

Standard First Aid Certificate

American Society for Testing Materials (ASTM) or California Test Methods (CTM), or American Concrete Institute (ACI)

Transportation Engineering Technician requirements

Have a two (2) year degree from pre-engineering program or have a minimum of three (3) years experience performing the duties of an Engineering Technician on similar construction inspection projects.

Possess construction surveying knowledge and experience necessary for control lines and grades as required by established Structure Construction Practices, Policies, and Procedures.

Possess a valid:

Driver's License

Standard First Aid Certificate

American Society for Testing Materials (ASTM) or California Test Methods (CTM), or American Concrete Institute (ACI)

Networking & Partnering Opportunity

A list of all of today's attendees will be posted on the DPAC Website with Prime-Consultants and Sub-Consultants for your reference.

Utilize the list to form your potential team partners.

Are you planning to be a:

Prime or sub-consultant

Question Session

Compose your questions in the chat box to EVERYONE.

Outreach information including questions and answers will be posted on DPAC A&E website:

[https://dot.ca.gov/programs/procurement-and-contracts/ae contract-information/a-e-outreach-events](https://dot.ca.gov/programs/procurement-and-contracts/ae%20contract-information/a-e-outreach-events)