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## DBE Support Services

REGION B - BRIDGE CITY/NEW ORLEANS & HAMMOND



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#### Get LAUCP DBE Certified

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#### U.S. Department of Transportation - Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization

[Link to the USDOT OSDBU](#)

#### DBE SUPPORTIVE SERVICES - REGION B



ULLA provides business support services to DBEs interested in doing business with the LADOTD in Region B. Services include:

- One-on-One Business Counseling
- Capacity-building Coaching
- Contractor-specific and General
- Entrepreneurship Trainings
- Certification Assistance
- Funding and Bonding Assistance
- Access to LADOTD Bid Opportunities

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#### DBE Outreach and Education - Webinar

Understanding Contracting Requirements for LADOTD Projects

Wednesday, May 18th | 10:00am - 12:00pm



Join the Urban League of Louisiana on Wednesday, April 20th, 10:00am-12:00pm, for "Understanding Contracting Requirements for LADOTD Projects".

Contractors doing business with the LADOTD

must ensure compliance to the awarded construction contract. In addition, it also important to be aware of and understand the Construction Contract Administration Manual (CCA). The CCA Manual provides guidelines, regulations, references to standard specifications, Department Policies and Procedures, and other supporting documents that contractors should know in the bid and performance stages of the contracting process.

During this session, participants will learn about the most common components of a construction contract, highlights of the CCA Manual, and a review of the following documents: CS-6AAA commitment documentation, DBE/SBE supplier's agreement, DBE/SBE trucker's agreement, OMF-1a & OMF-2a forms, and the CP-1A. This session will also include an overview of the LAUCP DBE Certification including eligibility requirements and the application process.

All aspiring DBEs are welcomed to attend. There is no cost to attend; however, registration is required. **Register today to reserve your seat!**

[Click Here to Register for the May 18th Session!](#)

### ***Bid Opportunity: LADOTD***

**Bid Solicitation for Phase I of the I-10: LA 415 to Essen Lane on I-10 and I-12 Project (GMP2) – 60% Design**

**Due Friday, May 13th at 4:00pm CST**



**Kiewit/Boh, AJV is Seeking Subcontractor Bids for the I-10 LADOTD I-10 Widening Project**

As part of Kiewit/Boh AJV's ongoing commitment to diversity and inclusion, we are now actively seeking Subcontractor Bids and Material Quotations on items of work relative to the Louisiana Department of Transportation's (LADOTD) Phase I of the I-10: LA 415 to Essen Lane on I-10 and I-12 Project (GMP2).

Currently the design is at 60% and the Kiewit/Boh team is providing a 60% Design Level estimate to the LADOTD. In the coming months, the team will price this scope of work 2 more times (90% Design & 100% Design). By providing pricing now to Kiewit/Boh, you are not only helping the LADOTD optimize this project - but also gaining more background knowledge of the project prior to the 100% design estimate, which is the estimate that Kiewit/Boh will use to award subcontracts and material contracts. This is a great opportunity to get an early look at the project plans and specifications.

Subcontractors and Material suppliers, especially including DBE and WBE businesses with current LAUCP certification are welcomed and encouraged to submit their prices by **Friday, May 13, 2022 at 4:00pm CST**. Questions? Please review the [FAQ document here](#). The following scopes are open for bid.

#### Type: Subcontractor

- *Chemical Toilets*
- *Clear & Grub*
- *Crosshole Sonic Load Test*
- *Dynamic Monitoring Assistance*
- *Erosion Control*
- *Fencing*
- *ITS*
- *Load Cell Test*
- *MOT*
- *Motorist Assistance Patrol*
- *Noise Monitoring*
- *Office (4) - Building Inspection, Buildout, IT Setup, Plumbing*
- *Pre-Construction Survey (2) - Line & Grade, Photo & Video*
- *Project Security*
- *Quality Control Testing*
- *Queue Detection*
- *Rebar*
- *Static Load Test*
- *Street Sweeping*
- *Drilled Shaft (Test Shaft)*
- *Thermal Integrity Profiling*
- *Trucking*
- *Vibration Monitoring*

#### Type: Supply

- *Concrete*
- *Office - Furniture*
- *Permanent Casing*
- *Precast Concrete Girder*
- *Rebar*
- *Structural Steel Girder*
- *Temporary Concrete Barrier*
- *Trestle Supply*

[Click Here to Access Drawings and Specs on BuildingConnected](#)

[Review Frequently Asked Questions](#)

**Additional Questions? Contact  
Nicholas Janssen at  
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- Yard Setup (5) - Dry Utilities, Grading/Aggregate, Asphalt Paving, Pavement Marking, Wet Utilities

### Don't Forget to Join the Kiewit/Boh Bidder's List!

To help Kiewit/Boh in better understanding your capabilities and bidding interests, and ensure that you are notified about upcoming project opportunities, please complete the following:

**STEP 1:** Complete our [Subcontractor Questionnaire](#).

**STEP 2:** Create an account with [Building Connected](#).

Once your company information has been received through the Subcontractor Questionnaire, you will receive an invitation to bid via BuildingConnected for available packages your company has expressed an interest in bidding.

## **Bid Opportunity: Woodward Design + Build** **Two Saints Social Living Project** Due Thursday, May 19th at 2:00pm CST

Woodward Design Build is pleased to invite you to bid the GMP Bid Set of documents for the Two Saints Social Living Project located at 867 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, LA. The project consists of new construction and renovations for 72 apartments, retail space, and a parking garage. The bid date is **Thursday, May 19, 2022 at 2:00pm CST**. Scopes of work include:

- DEMOLITION
- LANDSCAPING
- CONCRETE
- MASONRY
- STEEL
- ROUGH/FINISH CARPENTRY
- MILLWORK
- COUNTERTOPS
- ROOFING
- FIREPROOFING
- METAL DOORS/FRAMES
- GLASS/GLAZING
- LATH & PLASTER
- GYPSUM BOARD
- TILE FLOORING
- PAINT & WALL COVERINGS
- SPECIALTIES
- ELEVATORS

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For more information and to view documents, click here to email Lauren Marshall at [lmarshall@woodwarddesignbuild.com](mailto:lmarshall@woodwarddesignbuild.com).

To request a Subcontractor Pre-Qualification Form, click here to contact Woodward's estimating department at [est.department@woodwarddesignbuild.com](mailto:est.department@woodwarddesignbuild.com).

## **DBE Resources** **Louisiana Economic Development's Bonding Assistance Program**

Louisiana Economic Development's Bonding Assistance Program provides access to quality bid, payment and performance bonds at reasonable rates from surety companies when bonding capacity is needed on public or private jobs.



- Offers 25% of contract price or \$100,000, whichever is less, in bond guarantee to surety
- Sureties perform all underwriting and offer competitive rates
- LED's Bond guarantees may mitigate some risk to surety company, leading to a positive underwriting decision

The Bonding Assistance Program is open to all certified Small and Emerging Business Development (SEBD) Program ([OpportunityLouisiana.com/SEBD](http://OpportunityLouisiana.com/SEBD)) clients that require bid, payment or performance surety bonds. Apply for the Small and Emerging Business Development (SEBD) Program at [www.ledsmallbiz.com](http://www.ledsmallbiz.com).

For more information on what a surety bond is, please visit the following [booklet online](#). For additional information about what is needed to obtain a surety bond please view the following [webinar](#). To learn more, [click here](#).

[Click Here for All Upcoming ULLA Entrepreneurship Trainings](#)

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