



National AANHPI Business Summit in May

By United States MBDA

WASHINGTON—The United States Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) is hosting a National Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islanders (AANHPI) Heritage Month Business Summit at the United States Department of Commerce on Wednesday, May 15, 2024. The summit will feature elected officials and dignitaries, corporate representatives, community leaders, and business owners to discuss access to capital, opportunities in artificial intelligence (AI), and navigating the contracting process. This event will take place in person in Washington, DC.

AANHPI Heritage Month originated in June 1977, when Representatives Frank Horton of New York and Norman Mineta of California called upon the president to proclaim the first ten days of May as Asian-Pacific Heritage Week. In October 1978, President Jimmy Carter expanded the observance as an annual celebration; and, twelve years later, President George H. W. Bush extended the week-long celebration to a month.

The official designation of May as AAPI Heritage Month was signed into law in 1992. The month of May was chosen to observe AAPI for several reasons, including to commemorate the first Japanese who came to the country in May of 1843, and to mark the May 1869 completion of the Transcontinental Railroad which involved the labor of many Chinese immigrants. The AANHPI community is made up of culturally and linguistically diverse people, representing populations from many countries and islands.

The MBDA's one-day AANHPI business summit agenda includes the following topics.

- Understanding AI and Its Business Applications**
 AI is propelling advancements that can impact many areas of business operations. This session will explore a spectrum of AI solutions designed to elevate your business by automating repetitive tasks, providing predictive insights, personalizing customer experiences, optimizing supply chain management, improving risk assessment, and much more. We will also learn how to avoid pitfalls associated with these new technologies.
- Mastering Public and Private Sector Contracting**
 This session will cover stages of contracting including request and intake; creation and authoring; review and collaboration; negotiation and approval; signing and finalization; tracking and compliance

2024 NATIONAL AANHPI BUSINESS SUMMIT

Celebrating
NATIONAL ASIAN AMERICAN, NATIVE HAWAIIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER HERITAGE MONTH

MAY 15, 2024
 12:00PM - 6:00PM

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 MINORITY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
 1401 CONSTITUTION AVE. NW,
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NYCFC Project Construction Opportunities

Turner Construction Company is hosting a project information session about the NYCFC Project bidding opportunities. Please join us to learn about the project, bidding opportunities and how to become prequalified with Turner. Meet our preconstruction and operations team to learn more! Please note this is a Union Project.

Where:
 The Claire Schulman Theater at Queens Theatre
 14 United Nations Avenue South
 Flushing Meadows-Corona Park
 Queens, NY 11368

When:
 Thursday, April 25, 2024
 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Agenda:
 9:30 - 10:30 am - Registration
 10:30 - 11:30am - Presentation
 11:30am - 12:30pm - Q&A, Networking

Scan QR Code & Register to confirm your spot!

During the event subcontractors will be able to:

- Engage with prime contractors
- Engage with the Purchasing Department
- Connect with resources to increase capacity

For more information about this event, email nycfc@tcco.com

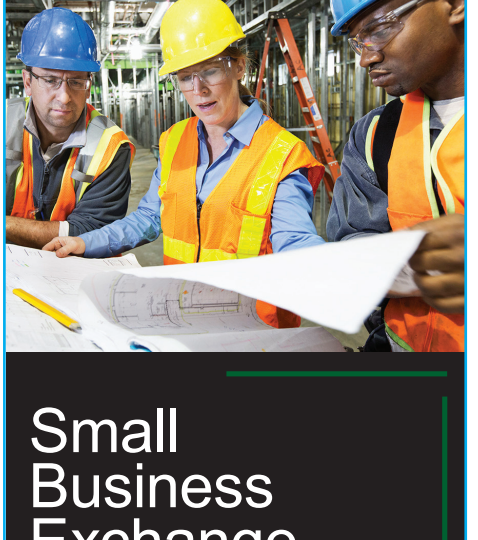
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New York City Football Club Stadium Project

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Construction Services for the New York City Football Club Stadium Project

Description of Project: The project consists of an over 600,000 GSF open-air soccer stadium with an approximate 25,000-seat capacity including State-of-the-art video, scoreboards, & sound system. The stadium will be located adjacent to Citi Field in Flushing Queens, NY. The Stadium will also be the location of the NYCFC and City in the Community Non-Profit Headquarters. This project will include concrete, structural steel, HVAC, Electrical, Fire Protection, and much more.

Available Opportunities and Bidding Dates:

- Exterior Wall Trades – Package to be released April 2024
- MEP Trades – Package to be released 3rd Quarter 2024
- Architectural Trades – Packages to be released 3rd and 4th Quarter 2024

If you are interested in getting involved in the construction portion of this project, please scan the below QR code and fill out the attached form. All questions should be directed to NYCFC@TCCO.COM

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Turner PROJECT INTEREST

If you have any interest in working on the New York City Football Club Stadium Project, please scan the QR Code and fill out the form.

Prime Contractor

- Large volume contractor
- Prior experience handling packages of this size and complexity

Sub-Tier

- Lower volume contractor
- Contractor looking to perform work under a prime contractor

Supplier

- Construction supplier that can deliver materials to Queens New York

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IS SOLICITING COST PROPOSALS FROM NEW YORK STATE DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND VENDORS

Design-Build Services for LIRR West Side Yard Flood Mitigation Measures MTA Construction and Development Contract No. 6401
Bid Date: April 15, 2024

Description of project:
 Design, furnish, construct, and install concrete perimeter flood walls, seepage cut-off barriers below the concrete flood walls, flood gates, deployable flood barriers, sump pumps, a tide gate chamber, drainage system improvements, workable aisles and a diersel generator, an automatic transfer switch, ancillary electrical equipment, and required communications.

This project will develop flood protection solutions for the West Side Yard in order to prevent and mitigate flooding of the LIRR Tunnels. The flood protection along the WSY perimeter will be accomplished via a combination of permanent flood walls and deployable flood barriers.

Many bidding opportunities are available: deep foundations, minipiles, jetgrout, sheeting, rebar installation, concrete supply, site work, electrical work, painting, paving, curb and sidewalk, site utilities.

If you are interested in bidding on this project, please contact Skanska's Diversity and Outreach Coordinator: Aislinn.Speranza@skanska.com • EOE/M/F/Vet/Disabled

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BIDDING OPPORTUNITY

Gateway Development Commission (GDC), with the following certifying authority: UCP of New York and New Jersey

Inviting qualified contractors, specifically firms within New Jersey and New York State, to contact J. F. Shea Construction, Inc. (prime contractor listed below) regarding subcontracting services and material supply opportunities in connection with Palisades Tunnel Project in North Bergen and Hoboken, New Jersey
GDC Contract
Bid Date: April 25, 2024

Opportunities to participate exist in the following specific areas of soil/rock excavation, hauling, excavation support systems, deep foundation system (slurry walls or secant piles, soldier beams), dewatering systems, structural steel, engineering, survey, geotechnical instrumentation and monitoring services, materials testing, demolition and site preparation, tree removal, aggregates and fill, traffic control, sewer tap and sewer bypass pumping, A/C paving, environmental investigation, utility relocation, paving, fencing and gates, planting and seeding, retaining wall, cured in-place concrete structures, cast-in-place pipe lining, reinforcing steel, ground stabilization, shotcrete, concrete finishing, miscellaneous metals, mechanical steel pipe, ventilation HVAC, precast concrete shaft covers, temporary office buildings/services, temporary electricians, waterproofing, service utilities, grouting, electrical/I&C, river bank stabilization, drilled shaft, pest control, IT services, waste disposal, cleaning services, and security.

Any business seeking to participate as a DBE in the contract that is not currently certified as set forth above is encouraged to contact the Unified Certification Programs (UCPs), New York UCP—<https://nysucp.newycontracts.com> and New Jersey UCP—<https://njucp.dbesystem.com> to obtain current certification.

J. F. Shea Construction, Inc., has an FTP site where you can view all plans, specifications, and addendums for your convenience. Please contact Aimee Remo at (909) 594-0990, aimee.remo@jfshea.com, to receive instructions on accessing the FTP site.

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 667 Brea Canyon Road, Suite 22
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 Phone: 909-594-0990 Fax: 909-869-0827

Send Inquiries/Certifications to Aimee Remo: aimee.remo@jfshea.com

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BIDDING OPPORTUNITY

City of Valhalla, New York State, with the following certifying authority: SBA, DOT, New York State, New Jersey, Connecticut

Inviting qualified contractors, specifically firms within New York State, to subcontract J. F. Shea Construction, Inc. (prime contractor listed below) regarding tunnel and shafts project in the City of Valhalla, New York
NYC DEP Contract No. KENS-EAST-1
Bid Date: June 27, 2024

Opportunities to participate exist in the following specific areas of soil/rock excavation, hauling, excavation support systems, deep foundation system (slurry walls or secant piles, soldier beams), dewatering systems, structural steel, engineering, survey, geotechnical instrumentation and monitoring services, materials testing, demolition and site preparation, tree removal, aggregates and fill, traffic control, sewer tap and sewer bypass pumping, A/C paving, environmental investigation, utility relocation, paving, fencing and gates, planting and seeding, retaining wall, cured in-place concrete structures, cast-in-place pipe lining, reinforcing steel, ground stabilization, shotcrete, concrete finishing, miscellaneous metals, mechanical steel pipe, ventilation HVAC, precast concrete shaft covers, temporary office buildings/services, temporary electricians, waterproofing, service utilities, grouting, electrical/I&C, river bank stabilization, drilled shaft, pest control, IT services, waste disposal, cleaning services, and security.

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NORTHEAST EVENTS FOR YOUR BUSINESS

2024

8(a) Orientation and SAM Registration Webinar
 Wednesday, April 17, 2024, 10:30 am–11:30 am
 Online
Main Sponsor(s): US Small Business Administration
Contact: SBA Illinois District Office, 312-353-4528, illinois.do@sba.gov
Fee: Free; registration required
 Join The Small Business Administration (SBA) Illinois District Office for a virtual workshop providing an overview of the 8(a) Business Development program, eligibility requirements, and program benefits. Also learn how to increase your potential for federal contract opportunities through System for Award Management (SAM) registration, including information that you need for the registration process. SBA presenters will offer additional tips, address FAQs, give directions on where to get further assistance, and answer your other questions. To register for this free webinar, visit <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/8a-orientation-sam-registration-tickets-518989961947>

Federal Contracting: Woman-Owned Small Business (WOSB) Program Webinar
 Thursday, April 18, 2024, 10:00 am–11:00 am
 Online
Main Sponsor(s): US Small Business Administration
Contact: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/welcome-to-wosb-webinar-tickets-482397041537>
Fee: Free; registration required
 Welcome to the WOSB webinar series! Are you a woman owner of a small business? The federal government's goal is to award at least five percent of all federal contracting dollars to woman-owned small businesses each year. Join us for training on how to register for SBA's Woman-Owned Small Business (WOSB) program, which helps eligible small businesses to qualify for federal contracting opportunities. The monthly sessions will include an overview of the self-certification process, as well as a discussion of the NAICS codes that qualify as WOSB or EDWOSB. Register for this free webinar at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/welcome-to-wosb-webinar-tickets-482397041537>

Selling to the Federal Government Webinar
 Thursday, April 25, 2024, 1:00 pm–4:00 pm
 Online
Main Sponsor(s): US Small Business Administration
Contact: George Tapia, 610-382-3086, george.tapia@sba.gov
Fee: Free; registration required
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