

ACTION: Proposed additions to Procurement List.

SUMMARY: The Committee is proposing to add to the Procurement List services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

Comments Must be Received on or Before: March 4, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Jefferson Plaza 2, Suite 10800, 1421 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3259.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR TO SUBMIT COMMENTS CONTACT: Sheryl D. Kennerly, Telephone: (703) 603-7740, Fax: (703) 603-0655, or e-mail CMTEFedReg@jwod.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 47(a)(2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the proposed actions.

If the Committee approves the proposed additions, the entities of the Federal Government identified in the notice for each product or service will be required to procure the services listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. If approved, the action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the services to the Government.
2. If approved, the action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the services to the Government.
3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the services proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Comments on this certification are invited. Commenter's should identify the statement(s) underlying the certification on which they are providing additional information.

End of Certification

The following services are proposed for addition to Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

Services

Service Type/Location: Grounds/Custodial Services, Cherokee National Forest—Tellico Ranger District, 250 Ranger Station Road, Tellico Plains, TN.

NPA: Goodwill Industries—Knoxville, Inc., Knoxville, TN.

Contracting Activity: USDA, Forest Service Cherokee National Forest.

Service Type/Location: Mailroom Operation, Food and Drug Administration, White Oak (including College Park Drops), 5630 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD.

NPA: Sheltered Occupational Center of Northern Virginia, Inc., Arlington, VA.

Contracting Activity: Food and Drug Administration, Rockville, MD.

Service Type/Location: Secure Document Destruction, Internal Revenue Service, 124 South Tennessee, Lakeland, FL.

Service Type/Location: Secure Document Destruction, Internal Revenue Service, 129 Hibiscus Boulevard, Melbourne, FL.

Service Type/Location: Secure Document Destruction, Internal Revenue Service, 850 Frafalga Court, Maitland, FL.

NPA: Brevard Achievement Center, Inc.

Contracting Activity: Internal Revenue Services.

Sheryl D. Kennerly,

Director, Information Management.

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COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

Procurement List Additions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase from People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Additions to Procurement List.

SUMMARY: This action adds to the Procurement List services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

DATES: *Effective Date:* March 4, 2007.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On December 8, 2006, the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled published notice (71 FR.71130) of proposed additions to the Procurement List.

After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of

qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the services and impact of the additions on the current or most recent contractors, the Committee has determined that the services listed below are suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 46-48c and 41 CFR 51-2.4.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification

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1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the services to the Government.

2. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the services to the Government.

3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the services proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

End of Certification

Accordingly, the following services are added to the Procurement List:

Services

Service Type/Location: Custodial Services, 10 W. Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, IL.

Service Type/Location: Custodial Services, 18 W. Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, IL.

NPA: Bona Fide Conglomerate, Inc., Lakeside, CA. *Contracting Activity:* GSA, Public Buildings Service, Region 5, Chicago, IL.

Service Type/Location: Custodial Services, Coast Guard Housing Office, 227 S. Oakwood, Novato, CA.

NPA: North Bay Rehabilitation Services, Inc., Rohnert Park, CA. *Contracting Activity:* U.S. Coast Guard-Alameda, Alameda, CA.

Service Type/Location: Facilities Maintenance, Dryden Flight Research Center, Edwards, CA.

NPA: PRIDE Industries, Inc., Roseville, CA. *Contracting Activity:* NASA-Dryden Flight Research Center, Edwards, CA.

Service Type/Location: Patient Escort Service, Veterans Affairs Medical Center, 1055 Clermont Drive, Denver, CO.

NPA: Bayaud Industries, Inc., Denver, CO. *Contracting Activity:* VISN 19 Eastern Colorado Health Care System, Denver, CO.

This action does not affect current contracts awarded prior to the effective

date of this addition or options that may be exercised under those contracts.

Sheryl D. Kennerly,

Director, Information Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Economic Development Administration

[Docket No.: 070125020-7021-01]

Solicitation of Applications for the University Center Economic Development Program

AGENCY: Economic Development Administration (EDA), Department of Commerce

ACTION: Notice and request for applications.

SUMMARY: EDA is soliciting competitive applications from accredited institutions of higher education and from consortia of accredited institutions of higher education for FY 2007 University Center Economic Development Program funding in the geographic areas served by its Austin and Denver regional offices. EDA's mission is to lead the federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for growth and success in the worldwide economy. Institutions of higher education have many assets and in partnership with EDA establish and operate University Centers. These EDA-sponsored University Centers conduct applied research, provide technical assistance to public and private sector organizations, and conduct other activities with the goal of enhancing regional economic development by promoting a favorable business environment to attract private capital investment and higher-skill, higher-wage jobs.

DATES: The closing date and time for receipt of applications for funding under the FY 2007 University Center Economic Development Program competition is May 3, 2007 at 4 p.m. local time. EDA's Austin and Denver regional offices will each hold a teleconference to answer questions about the FY 2007 University Center Economic Development Program competition on March 8, 2007 and February 27, 2007, respectively. For further information and instructions regarding these teleconferences, please see the information provided below under "Teleconferences."

ADDRESSES: Applications may be submitted in two formats: (i) In paper

format at the addresses provided below; or (ii) electronically in accordance with the procedures provided on www.Grants.gov. The content of the application is the same for paper submissions as it is for electronic submissions. EDA will not accept facsimile transmissions of applications.

Paper Submissions: Applicants in Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas should submit paper submissions (via postal mail, overnight delivery or hand-delivery) to: FY 2007 University Center Program Competition, Economic Development Administration, Austin Regional Office, 504 Lavaca Street, Suite 1100, Austin, Texas 78701-4037.

Applicants in Colorado, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah and Wyoming should submit paper submissions (via postal mail, overnight delivery or hand-delivery) to: FY 2007 University Center Program Competition, Economic Development Administration, Denver Regional Office, 1244 Speer Boulevard, Suite 670, Denver, Colorado 80204-3591.

Electronic Submissions: Applicants may submit applications electronically in accordance with the instructions provided at <http://www.Grants.gov>. EDA strongly encourages that applicants not wait until the application closing date to begin the application process through <http://www.Grants.gov>. The preferred file format for electronic attachments (e.g., the Project Narrative and exhibits to Form ED-900A) is portable document format (PDF); however, EDA will accept electronic files in Microsoft Word, WordPerfect, Lotus or Excel formats. Applicants should access the following link for assistance in navigating www.Grants.gov and for a list of useful resources: http://www.grants.gov/applicants/applicant_help.jsp. If you do not find an answer to your question under *Frequently Asked Questions*, try consulting the *Applicant's User Guide*. If you still cannot find an answer to your question, contact www.Grants.gov via e-mail at support@grants.gov or telephone at 1.800.518.4726. The hours of operation for www.Grants.gov are Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. (EST) (except for Federal holidays). For a copy of the FFO announcement for this request for applications, please see the Web site listed below under "Electronic Access."

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information or for a paper copy of the FFO announcement, the designated contact person in the Austin regional office is John Christ. Mr. Christ may be reached at jchrist@eda.doc.gov

or at 512.381.8145. The designated contact person in the Denver regional office is Forlesia S. Willis. Ms. Willis may be reached at fwillis@eda.doc.gov or at 303.844.5452. EDA's Internet Web site at <http://www.eda.gov> also contains additional information on EDA and its programs, including the University Center Economic Development Program.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Program Information

EDA began administering the University Center Economic Development Program as a competitive multi-year program as part of its FY 2004 Announcement of Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO). Under this multi-year program designation, EDA held University Center Economic Development Program competitions annually in two of its six regional offices during FY 2004 through FY 2006. The Austin and Denver regional offices solicited applications for the FY 2004 University Center competition, the Philadelphia and Chicago regional offices solicited applications for the FY 2005 University Center competition, and the Atlanta and Seattle regional offices solicited applications for the FY 2006 University Center competition.

Electronic Access: The FFO announcement for the FY 2007 University Center Economic Development Program competition is available at www.Grants.gov. Additional information is available through EDA's Internet Web site at <http://www.eda.gov>.

Funding Availability: Applicants are hereby given notice that the Department of Commerce Appropriation Act for FY 2007 has not been enacted as of the date of publication of this request for applications. EDA is currently operating with appropriations made available under the current continuing resolution for the Department of Commerce, which is in effect through February 15, 2007 (unless further amended or superseded). See H. J. Res. 102, Pub. L. 109-383, amending Division B—Continuing Appropriations Resolution, Pub. L. 109-289, 120 Stat. 1257. EDA anticipates making awards for the University Center Economic Development Program, provided that funding for this program is continued beyond February 15, 2007. In all events, the funding periods and funding amounts referenced in this notice are subject to the availability of FY 2007 funds at the time of award. The Department of Commerce and EDA will not be held responsible for application preparation costs if the University Center Economic Development Program fails to receive funding or is cancelled because of agency priorities. Publication of this notice does not obligate the