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To learn more about how to do business with the OCC, to review the OCC's most recent Forecast of Contract Opportunities, or to register a business as an interested supplier, please visit our web site.

www.occ.gov/omwi



Doing Business With the OCC

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The OCC charters, regulates, and supervises national banks and federal savings associations and supervises the federal branches and agencies of foreign banks. The OCC's mission is to ensure that national banks and federal savings associations operate in a safe and sound manner, provide fair access to financial services, treat customers fairly, and comply with applicable laws and regulations.

The agency was established in 1863 as an independent bureau of the U.S. Department of the Treasury. Headquartered in Washington, D.C., and with offices throughout the country, the OCC employs approximately 3,500 full-time staff members.

The OCC established the Office of Minority and Women Inclusion (OMWI) in January 2011 to meet the requirements of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act. The OMWI Executive Director and the Diversity and Inclusion Team develop standards for

- increasing the participation of minority- and women-owned businesses in the OCC's programs and contracts.
- coordinating technical assistance to minority- and women-owned businesses.
- promoting equal employment opportunity and the racial, ethnic, and gender diversity of the OCC's workforce and senior management.
- assessing the diversity policies and practices of entities the OCC regulates.

Supplier Diversity at the OCC

The OCC's annual procurement expenditures are approximately \$153 million, representing about 600 contracts and nearly 250 contractors. The OCC uses U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) multiple award schedule contracts, government-wide acquisition

contracts, and multi-agency contracts for much of its contracting needs. For items not available through multiple award contracts, the OCC posts requests for proposals on the Federal Business Opportunities web site, www.fbo.gov.

The OCC is committed to supplier diversity and awarding contracts to small businesses, small disadvantaged businesses, women-owned small businesses, service-disabled veteran-owned small businesses, and HUBZone small businesses, and proudly achieves its annual U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) small business goals.

Moreover, the OMWI Business Activities Program is committed to increasing opportunities for all minority- and women-owned businesses, as well as providing technical assistance to these businesses. For the last five years, nearly 30 percent or more of the OCC's annual contracting payments were made to minority- and women-owned businesses.

To review the OCC OMWI's 2018 Annual Report to Congress, please visit the web site.

www.occ.gov/omwireport

We invite and encourage your participation in the OCC's procurement program.

Starting to Do Business With the Treasury Department and the Federal Government

The Treasury Department's "How to Do Business With Treasury" web site contains detailed information about the regulations governing Treasury's acquisitions programs, procurement procedures, purchasing practices, micro-purchases, and simplified acquisition process, as well as points of contact and suggestions on how business representatives can best market their products and services.

go.usa.gov/BgXe

On behalf of all the Treasury bureaus, the Treasury Department hosts monthly vendor outreach sessions where small businesses can meet with bureau representatives. To review the schedule and make appointments, please visit the web site.

go.usa.gov/uKzY

The SBA provides information and assistance for small businesses, including how to obtain a Unique Entity Identifier (UEI), how to register a business with the federal government's System for Award Management (SAM), and how to identify a business's North American Industry

Classification System (NAICS) codes.

www.sba.gov

Several federal agencies have established multiple award or government-wide contracts that provide all agencies with access to products and services from commercial suppliers. The GSA offers the largest array of government-wide contracts, which provide efficient contracting vehicles for vendors to connect with a range of government opportunities. To learn more about GSA schedules, please visit the web site.

www.gsa.gov/portal/category/100635

