

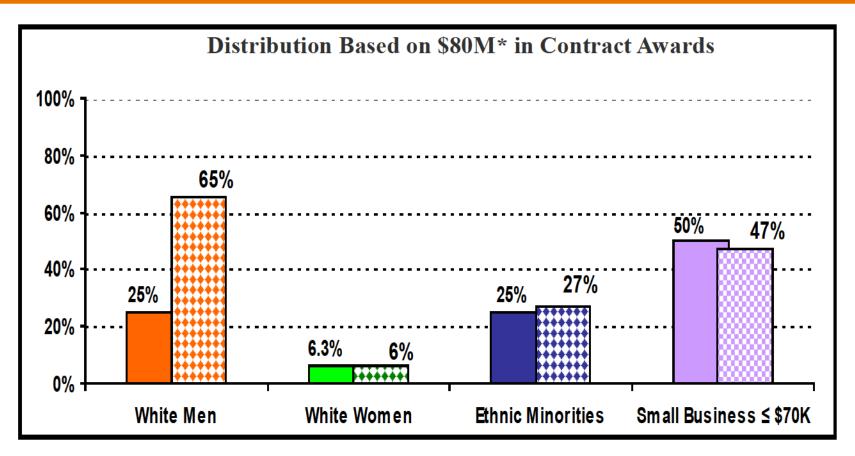
Contract Equity Program Small Business Enterprise Bid Discount

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FY13 Contract Participation





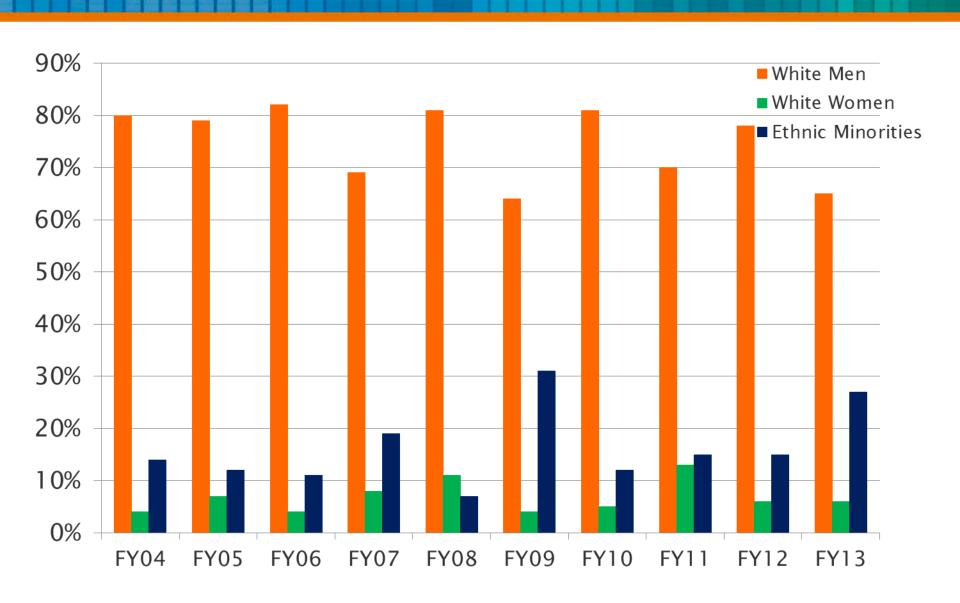
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^{*}Total Contract Awards minus Exclusions

^{**}Contracts < \$70,000

Contract Participation FY04 thru FY13





SBEs - Let's Do Business!















Partner: California Department of General Services

FY14 Planned Activities



- Participate in AGC/Caltrans District 04 Mentor Protégé Program for Construction starting in January 2014.
- Implement new prime and subcontractor matchmaking session for targeted construction projects.
- Investigate "piggy-backing" on BART's proposed SBE Bonding Assistance Program.
- Investigate the feasibility of providing a bid discount for non-SBE Prime Bidders who use SBE subcontractors.
- Consider investigating a regional approach for increasing the availability of loans and/or line of credit to SBEs.
- Continue to engage in aggressive outreach and education efforts.

Contract Equity Program Key Components



- Good Faith Outreach Efforts
- Waiver Provision
- Contracting Objectives
 - White Men 25%
 - White Women 6.3%
 - Ethnic Minorities (Men & Women) 25%
- · Small Business Component
 - 5% Bid Discount (max. \$50K/year)
 - 50% SBE Participation Goal for Contracts < \$70,000</p>
 - Set-Aside Goal of 25% for Contracts < \$70,000</p>
- Encouragement of Local Business

FY13 Fiscal Impact of SBE Bid Discount



SBE AWARDEE	BID AMOUNT		ADDITIONAL COST
	SBE	Apparent Low	ADDITIONAL COST
Frank A. Olsen	\$11,886	\$11,848	\$38
Starline Supply	\$675	\$669	\$7
WHCI	\$31,394	\$30,883	\$510
WHCI	\$32,521	\$31,805	\$716
Bearing Engineering	\$ 756	\$741	\$15
WHCI	\$28,924	\$28,475	\$449
WHCI	\$2,930	\$2,905	\$26
ABC Valve/Tool	\$17,447	\$17,400	\$47
TOTAL ADDITIONAL COST			\$1,807 (1.5%)

Recommendation



Increase the maximum dollar cap for the 5% SBE bid discount from \$50,000 per year to \$100,000 per year on all competitive bid projects effective January 1, 2014 and applicable to all bid projects advertised on or after that date.

- Authority: Public Contract Code §2002 (no dollar limit on cap).
- Review and Monitoring: Quarterly.

Alternative



Increase the maximum dollar cap for the 5% SBE bid discount from \$50,000 per year to \$250,000 per year with an annual budget limit of \$500,000 on all competitive bid projects effective January 1, 2014 and applicable to all bid projects advertised on or after that date.

- Authority: Public Contract Code §2002 (no dollar limit on cap).
- Review and Monitoring: Throughout the year; will report to the Board if 75% of the budget limit is reached.

Hypothetical FY13 Fiscal Impact of SBE Bid Discount with Either Increased Maximum Dollar Cap



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ABC Valve/Tool	\$17,447	\$17,400	\$47
Efi Discount Computers	\$1,795,252	\$1,732,277	\$62,975
TOTAL ADDITIONAL COST			\$64,782 (3.5%)



Questions?

