

WHAT'S NEW FOR 2019?

EBMUD offers higher Small Business Bid Discount for the New Year!

The state legislature recently enacted changes to California Code Public Contract Code Section 2002, which governs the authority of a local agency to provide bid discounts to small business enterprises (SBE), to increase the maximum discount from five to seven percent. In accordance, EBMUD's Board of Director also increased the bid discount from five to seven percent effective immediately. To receive the bid discount, the SBE must be deemed a responsive, responsible bidder.

The statute also places a mandatory cap on the amount of discount allowed per contract at \$150,000. The District's discount is currently set at \$250,000 per contract. To be consistent with the new law, the District's discount has been lowered to the statutorily mandated amount of \$150,000 per contract with a cumulative District cap at \$500,000.



As of January 1, 2019, California Government Codes 14837 and 14838 were amended to expand public works in the public arena. The amendments increase the maximum SBE three-year average gross annual receipts (GARs) eligibility from \$15 million to \$36 million, and increase the maximum number of employees from 100 to 200. The Public Contract Code Section 4525 defines a public works contract as an agreement for the erection, construction, alternation, repair, or improvement of any public structure, building, road, or other public improvement of any kind. The maximum SBE three-year average GAR for non-public works contracts remains \$15 million and 100 or fewer employees.

Take advantage of this new definition of a small business for Public Works (SB-PW) by getting certified by the State of California Office of Small Business and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Services (OSDS). All public works contractors SHOULD get certified by the state.

If you have any questions regarding the SB-PW Certification eligibility requirements and benefits, please contact OSDS Help at 916-375-4940 or SBPublicWorks@dgs.ca.gov.

We Wish You A Happy and Prosperous 2019!

From East Bay Municipal Utility District's Contract Equity Program Office



Construction

Latest Information: www.ebmud.com/business-center/construction-bids

Wastewater projects are identified by a Specification Number bearing an "SD" designation. These specifications are available from the Wastewater Department at 510-287-1754. Bid documents without the "SD" designation are available from the Specifications Section at 510-287-1040. *Bid documents are generally available at least 30 days before the estimated bid due date.*

Main Wastewater Treatment Plant Solid Liquid Waste Tanks Concrete Repairs and Site Improvements - SD-408

\$1,000,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 1/30/19 • 510-287-1754

Repair concrete for the solid-liquid waste tanks and other site improvements at the Main Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Main Wastewater Treatment Plant Aerated Grit Tank Improvements - SD-399

\$4,000,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 2/20/19 • 510-287-1754

Repair and replace grit screw conveyors and concrete repairs for the aerated grit tanks at the Main Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Main Wastewater Treatment Plant Oxygen Tank Fill Station Improvements - SD-410

\$150,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 2/20/19 • 510-287-1754

Update mechanical piping and related upgrades to the pure oxygen plant at the Main Wastewater Treatment Plant for truck deliveries of liquid oxygen.

Main Wastewater Treatment Plant Digester Upgrades Phase 3 - SD-356

\$12,000,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 4/17/19 • 510-287-1754

Seismic upgrades and new gas covers for various anaerobic digesters and miscellaneous odor control system improvements at the Main Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Maloney Pumping Plant and Sobrante Water Treatment Plant Improvements - Spec. 2135

\$20,000,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 3/27/19 • 510-287-1040

Perform mechanical and electrical rehabilitation repairs at the Maloney Pumping Plant and electrical rehabilitation at Sobrante Pumping Plant located in El Sobrante.

Wildcat Pipeline Improvement - Berkeley - Spec. 2111

\$12,000,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 3/27/19 • 510-287-1040

Install 8,200 feet of 48-inch steel pipe in the City of Berkeley streets.

Bayfair Pumping Plant Replacement & Peralta, May, and South Pumping Plants Demolition - Spec. 2136

\$2,000,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 4/17/19 • 510-287-1040

Replace Bayfair Pumping Plant on existing property, demolish Peralta and South Water Pumping Plants, and convert May Pumping Plant to a permanent regulator inside the existing building.

Raw Water Treatment Facilities Improvement Phase 2 - Spec. 2137

\$TBD • Estimated Bid Date: 5/1/19 • 510-287-1040

Install CO₂ injection system and a new line system at Pardee. Install CO₂ systems at Walnut Creek, Lafayette, and Orinda Water Treatment Plants.

Camanche South Shore Lakeside Hall Parking Lot Improvement - Spec. 2141

\$250,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 5/15/19 • 510-287-1040

Repair parking lot and provide improvements to the Lakeside Hall parking lot. Work to include removal of existing AB/native soil, installation of a new subgrade, AC, striping, add speed bumps, landscape features, low voltage lighting, bollards, and a concrete walkway.

Birch, Cull Creek, Sherwick, and University Reservoirs Rehabilitation - Spec 2144

\$9,000,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 5/15/19 • 510-287-1040

Demolish existing steel tanks and construct new tanks at Birch and University Reservoirs and rehabilitate steel tanks at Sherwick and Cull Creek Reservoirs.

Water Treatment Plant Chemical Systems Improvement - Spec 2138

\$24,000,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 5/29/19 • 510-287-1040

Improve life safety and emergency response systems, chemical spill prevention, workplace safety, and process reliability at Water Treatment Plants.

Construction *CONTINUED*

Interceptor Overflow Structure and Level Monitoring Stations Improvements - SD-358

\$1,200,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 8/21/19 • 510-287-1754

Install new level monitoring stations for the wastewater interceptor and overflow structures.

Main Wastewater Treatment Plant (MWWTP) Sodium Hypochlorite Piping Replacement Phase 2 - SD-390

\$4,000,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 9/4/19 • 510-287-1754

Replace sodium hypochlorite piping and controls at the Main Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Materials and Supplies

Latest information: www.ebmud.com/business-center/materials-and-supplies-bids/

Resilient Seated Gate/Butterfly Valves - RFQ 1905

\$100,000+ • Estimated Bid Date: 1/30/19 • 510-287-0451

Furnish resilient seated gate/butterfly valves.

Billing Envelopes - RFQ 1908

\$100,000+ • Estimated Bid Date: 2/1/19 • 510-287-0644

Provide billing envelopes.

Hydrofluosilicic Acid for Water Treatment Plant - RFQ 1907

\$100,000+ • Estimated Bid Date: February 2019 •

510-287-0644

Provide hydrofluosilicic acid for the District's Water Treatment Plant.

Transport Trailer - RFQ 1912

\$100,000+ • Estimated Bid Date: 1/30/19 • 510-287-0451

Provide a transport trailer.

Professional and General Services

Latest information: www.ebmud.com/business-center/requests-proposal-rfps/

Requests for Proposals (RFPs) for the projects listed are generally available at least 30 days before the estimated proposal due date.

Main Wastewater Treatment Plant and Administration Building HVAC Improvements Phase 1

\$1,400,000 • Proposed Due Date: January 2019 • 510-287-0779

Provide specialized architectural, fire protection and HVAC mechanical planning and design services for upgrades to the Main Wastewater Treatment Plant, Administration Building, Laboratory, Operations Center, and Dewatering Building.

Mechanical and Electrical System Improvements

\$500,000 • Proposed Due Date: 1/28/19 • 510-287-1324

Electrical, mechanical, plumbing and other consulting services for various occupied buildings.

South Interceptor Special Structures Rehabilitation

\$300,000 • Proposed Due Date: 4/30/19 • 510-287-1393

Assess and design support for the rehabilitation of seven wastewater manholes located along the South Interceptor in Oakland.

Contract Security (Guard) Services

\$3,000,000 • Proposed Due Date: 6/1/19 • 510-287-0881

Provide security guard services as needed across all EBMUD facilities and locations.

Administration Building Roofing Systems Improvement

\$1,500,000 • Estimated Bid Date: 2/27/19 • 510-287-1852

Design modifications to terraces on floors 4, 8, 9, and 10. Improve aesthetic features on the 4th floor terrace and design the façade access system for window washing.

January 2019

- 24** **American Small Business Chamber of Commerce:** National Small Business Federal Contracting Summit - West Coast Summit, San Francisco, CA www.asbcc.org or 202-618-3037
- 29** **U.S. Small Business Administration:** Planning for Profit, Oakland, CA www.sba.gov or 510-273-6611
- 30** **U.S. Small Business Administration:** Authentic Storytelling for Small Business, Oakland, CA www.sba.gov or 510-273-6611

February 2019

- 11** **California Black Chamber of Commerce:** 2019 Annual Legislative Welcome Reception & Capitol Policy Luncheon, Sacramento, CA www.calbcc.org or 916-463-0178
- 19** **Contra Costa Small Business Development Center:** First Steps to Successful Start-Up's, Bay Point, CA www.contra-costasbdc.org or 925-671-4515
- 20** **Contra Costa Small Business Development Center:** Contracting with California State Government, Concord, CA www.contra-costasbdc.org or 707-826-3916
- 23-24** **Sacramento Black Expo:** The 31st Annual Sacramento Black Expo, Give the Power to the People, Sacramento, CA www.eventbrite.com or 916-477-0157

March 2019

- 3-5** **Women Construction Owners & Executives:** Women Build America, Washington, D.C. www.wcoeusa.org or 202-628-9100
- 20** **Contra Costa Small Business Development Center:** Business Owner to Coach, Pleasant Hill, CA www.contra-costasbdc.org or 925-671-4515
- 22** **CPM Logistics:** Small Business Construction Expo, Oakland, CA www.cpmlogistics.net or 510-978-4300

April 2019

- 8** **Alameda County Small Business Development Center:** Food Business Entrepreneurial Training Academy Spring 2019, San Lorenzo, CA www.acsbdc.org or 510-208-0410

May 2019

- 2** **Western Regional Minority Supplier Development Council:** 2019 Black Tie Awards & Fundraiser Gala, Pleasanton, CA www.wrmsdc.org or 510-686-2555

June 2019

- 12-14** **National Association of Minority Contractors:** NAMC 50th Anniversary National Conference, Redwood City, CA www.namcnational.org or 202-296-1600