

2014 DREDGING CONFERENCE

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GOALS

FY 2011: Total Obligated \$184,969,434 / Small Business \$62,198,528

FY 2012: Total Obligated \$101,463,823/Small Business \$29,038,946

FY2013: Total Obligated \$96,889,575/Small Business \$31,773,777

FY 2014: Total Obligated 100,877,859/Small Business \$31,797,541

Categories	Goals	Achieved
Small Business	27%	28%
Small Disadvantaged Business	8%	8%
Women-Owned Small Business	5%	15%
HUBZone Small Business	5%	7%
Service Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business	5%	0%
Historically Black Colleges & University Minority Institutes	2.5%	0%

Small Business Study FY14 Work Plan

Total to award:~\$151 million

Total unrestricted:~\$98.1 Million

Total to SB:~\$52.8 Million

(35% of the SB pool dollars)

October 2014 – Sept 2015 Outreach Mission

- Monthly HMBC Breakfast
- SAME Small Business Conference
Dec 9 -11, Kansas City, Mo
- SBA Matchmaking in Houston (Jan)
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SUBCONTRACTING

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- * Federal contract or subcontract over \$650,000 (over \$1.5m for construction)
- * Separate goals
- * Approved prior to contract award (FAR 19.702)
- * Submission of periodic reports to the Government (ISR and SSR) Ending Periods are March 31 and September 30



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Rule Change

The FAR Council issued a Final rule that officially removes the SDB reporting requirements from the FAR. The Effective Date of the rule is October 14, 2014, so it is effective immediately. These are the changes:

- FAR 52.219–9(l)(2)(iii) and its Alternate III (l)(2)(iii) Requirement for the Year-End Supplementary Report for Small Disadvantaged Businesses, have been removed; and

FAR 53.302–312, Optional Form 312, Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB) Participation Report, has been removed.

Primes - You may still have to continue the report until your contract expires. Your contracting officer should let you know.



NAICS UPDATE

NAICS 237990

- Other Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction is now \$36.5
- Exception: Dredging and Surface Cleanup Activities is now \$27.5

NAICS code 237990 – Dredging: To be considered small for purposes of Government procurement, a firm must perform at least 40 percent of the volume dredged with its own equipment or equipment owned by another small dredging concern.



System For Award Management

SAM

SAM is the Official U.S. Government system that consolidated the capabilities of CCR/FedReg, ORCA, and EPLS. There is NO fee to register for this site.



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SAM will send notifications to the registered user via email 60, 30, and 15 days prior to expiration of the Entity.



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Contracting Officers are required to check and verify that your firm have an active record in SAM. Award cannot be made until you have an active record in SAM.

Contracting Officers are required to verify if your firm has a Delinquent Federal Debt. If SAM indicates NO, we can proceed with the award.

If SAM indicates YES, the Contracting Officer will contact you and discuss what type of Delinquent Federal Debt you have and what actions you have taken to pay this debt.



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