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Galveston District



Agenda

USACE, Galveston District (SWG) 2024 Industry Day November 6, 2024

Location: The Tremont House
2300 Mechanic Row Street
Galveston, TX 77550
Room: Tremont House Ballroom, Davidson Building

8:00 – 9:00 am: Registration Opens

8:30 – 9:00 am: *Coffee, and Networking*

9:00 - 9:10 am: - *“Introduction/Welcome and Opening Remarks”* – **COL Rhett Blackmon**, Commander, USACE

9:10 – 10:00 am: *“Project Contract Briefs”*

- *FY25 Programs Overview*, **Bernice Taylor**, Programs Branch Chief
- *Houston Ship Channel Improvement Project*, **Carlos Tate**, Project Manager
- *Sabine-Neches Waterway Channel Improvement Project*, **Franchelle Nealy**, Project Manager
- *Operations Overview*, **Rhonda Gregg Hirsch**, Operations Manager BU
- *Mega Project’s MATOC*, **Erin Williams**, Programs Manager

10:00 – 12:00 pm: *“Contracting Briefs”* – **Calvin Fogle**, Chief Mega Projects Branch, Contracting Division

- *SAM registration reminders for housekeeping*
- *PIEE and what it is and isn't for acquisitions*
- *Market Research, how it's done and impacts and how industry can use it for building partnering*
- *Source Selection Process and Dos and Don'ts for Industry*
- *CPARs – Rating System and what is it*
- *CMMC Certification/NIST scores now and upcoming requirement*

12:00 pm: **Adjourn**