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JAXPORT Hosts FREE Procurement & Contracting Law Seminar

JAXPORT, in conjunction with Regan, Whelan, Zebouni & Atwood hosted a Small Business Workshop on May 23, 2016. The workshop, which was held at JAXPORT's Cruise Terminal, brought in dozens of attendees including existing JSEB's and even some new companies.

Workshop participants gained valuable knowledge on Public Contracts & Procurement Regulations, Contractor/Subcontractor Responsibility, Statutory Bonds and Dispute Resolution.

Participants also had the chance to network with and learn about current and upcoming contract opportunities with the City of Jacksonville, Duval County Public Schools, JAA and JTA. CareerSource Northeast Florida and the US Small Business Administration were also present to share valuable information about their respective entities.

Lastly, all certified JSEB's present at the workshop received points toward their recertification with the COJ JSEB Program.



Small Business Owners & Company Representatives Attend Legal Seminar at JAXPORT Cruise Terminal 05/23/16

JTA Bid Opportunities:

Bid Description	Tentative Bid Date
Safe Routes to School – Livingston, Butler, & Brentwood	July 2016
Kings Avenue Parking Garage Stairwell Repairs – Design Build	July 2016
Rental & Operations of the JTA Canteen Facility	July 2016
Government Relations – Local, State, and Federal	July 2016
Ferry Operator	July 2016
JTAMW San Pablo Raid Final Design RFP	July 2016
JTAMW – San Pablo Road Construction	August 2106

JAXPORT Bid Opportunities:

Berths 7 & 8 Bulkhead Rehabilitation	June - 2016
Public Affairs and Community Outreach	July - 2016
Janitorial Cleaning Services	July - 2016
Multifunctional Copier Equipment	July 2016
Consultant for Federal Government Relations	September 2016
Rail Track Inspections Maintenance	September 2016
Stationary (Business cards, Letterheads, and Envelopes)	November 2016

JAA Bid Opportunities:

Roadway Signage & Parking Garage Signage	July-September 2016
Apparel & Logo Embroidery Services	July-September 2016
Hangar 955 Construction at Cecil Airport	July-September 2016
A/E Consultant Services	July-September 2016

JEA Bid Opportunities:

Bid Description	Tentative Bid Date
Facilities Weeding and Spraying Services	Summer 2016
Pest Control Services	Fall 2016
Facilities Electrical Services	Fall 2016
Water, Wastewater & Electrical Construction Projects	Fall 2016
Water, Wastewater & Electrical Engineering Projects	Fall 2016

* JEA will be bidding out all of its janitorial & landscaping contracts during the first six months of 2016, some of which will be JSEB set-aside. Each company will have to become JEA Safety Qualified within 10 business days of being awarded a bid. *

Calendar of Events:

JACKSONVILLE ELECTRIC AUTHORITY WORKSHOPS

- Seminar for Potential New Vendors and JSEB Firms
- July 21st 3:00 pm
 - August 18th 3:00 pm
 - September 15th 3:00 pm
 - October 20th 3:00 pm
- Location: 21 W Church St., Customer Service Building, 1st FL Bid Office

JACKSONVILLE AVIATION AUTHORITY WORKSHOPS

- Meet & Greet Forums – Doing Business with JAA
- July 11th 2:00 pm
 - August 8th 2:00 pm
 - September 12th 2:00 pm
- Location: JAA's Administration Building – 14201 Pecan Park Rd.

JACKSONVILLE TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY WORKSHOPS

- Supplier Information Workshop
- July 19th 2:00 pm
 - September 20th 2:00 pm
- Location: 121 W. Forsyth Street, JTA Board Room – 3rd Floor

CITY OF JACKSONVILLE SMALL & EMERGING BUSINESS WORKSHOPS

- All JSEB Workshops
- "Government Contracting" – July 12th 5:30 pm - 7:30pm
Location: SBA NorthFlorida District Office
 - "Business Succession Planning" – July 21st 5:30 pm - 7:30pm
Location: Ed Ball Building
 - "Motivating Stakeholders" - July 26th 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: Historic Springfield Learning Center
 - "Loans & Working Capital" - July 28th 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: Ed Ball Building
 - "Record Keeping" - August 16th 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: SBA NorthFlorida District Office
 - "Wealth Transfer" - August 18th 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: Ed Ball Building
 - "Responding to an RFP" - August 19th 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: Ed Ball Building
 - "Understanding Credit" - August 23rd 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: Historic Springfield Learning Center
 - "Surety Bond" - September 13th 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: SBA NorthFlorida District Office
 - "Bringing it All Together" - September 15th 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: Ed Ball Building
 - "Bonding Assistance" - September 16th 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: Ed Ball Building
 - "Are you Covered?" - September 27th 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Location: Historic Springfield Learning Center

JTA Government Contract Training

July 12, 2016

5:30pm - 7:30pm

FDOT Building 2198 Edison Ave.
Jacksonville, FL 32204

JTA Team Building Training

October 11, 2016

5:30pm - 7:30pm

1225 W. Beaver Street
Jacksonville, FL 32204

A series of FREE training workshops will be in July and October by the JTA. Great opportunity for firms to learn about Government Contracting Opportunities, The Importance of Team Building & JTA Opportunities. These classes are designed for Small and Disadvantaged Businesses, with the goal of creating new job opportunities.

Register:

Anita McGoogin (904) 633-8533

Diane Hansen (904) 632-5221

FDIC/SBA:

MoneySmart Training

MoneySmart for Small Businesses is a non-commercial curriculum targeted to help new and aspiring entrepreneurs learn the basics to organizing and managing a small business. Workshops are FREE of charge and are delivered by a representative from the small business field.

Classes Include:

Record Keeping - August 11th
Financial Management - August 18th
Credit Reporting - August 25th
Banking Services - September 1st
Risk Management - September 8th
Insurance - September 15th

Location of all workshops:

Bradham & Brooks Branch Library
1755 Edgewood Avenue, West
Time: 6:30 - 8:30pm
Email: realsensejax@uwnfl.org
Phone: (904) 390-3282

PURPOSE OF NEWSLETTER

Designed to create awareness, engage constructive dialog, inform the small business community of our efforts towards eliminating any persistent barriers towards small business inclusion and success regarding the award of both public and private sector contracting opportunities.

DCPS Spotlight: F & R Professional Cleaning, Inc.

DCPS, has awarded its first sheltered Custodial Services contract F&R Professional Cleaning, Inc. The company will be responsible for cleaning three administrative buildings for the District, a potentially five year contract. CONGRATULATIONS F&R Professional Cleaning, Inc.!



DID YOU KNOW?

JEA- JEA is planning a fall "Doing Business with JEA Workshop." If you attended last year's event, you will automatically be notified of the event. If you did not attend last year, please notify Kathy Grimsley at grimka@jea.com to be placed on the notification list. JEA will be bidding out several Water & Wastewater Construction Projects that will include JSEB participation goals.

All pre-bid meetings are open to the public and our monthly seminar provides an overview of how to use our Procurement website, including how to access the list of pre-bid attendees. See the Calendar of Events (pg.1) for the dates of the monthly seminar.

Most companies are required to become JEA Safety Qualified with ten (10) business days of being notified by JEA that it is a winning bidder. The process requires a questionnaire and the completion of OSHA Safety Training for employees.

For more information regarding this process go to:

https://www.jea.com/About/Procurement/Become_a_Vendor/Contractor_Safety/ or e-mail safety@jea.com. Jerry Fulop at 904-665-5810 is the Safety contact, if you should have any additional questions.

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