

**Helping Businesses Grow & Succeed** 

Florida Procurement Technical Assistance Center | PTAC

# Doing Business with State and Local Government Agencies



## **Procurement Technical Assistance Center Program**

- The Florida Procurement Technical Assistance Center (PTAC) program is funded in part through a cooperative agreement with the Defense Logistics Agency
- Florida PTAC
- National APTAC





# Federal, State, and Local Government Contracting Assistance







EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

INFORMATION SERVICES

CONSULTING SERVICES





## **Six Step Gateway**

- Q Evaluate
- Plan
- Register

- Prepare
- Pursue
- Achieve



## **Six Step Gateway**

**Q** Evaluate



#### **SLED Markets**

State
Local
Educational





#### Start at the End

How to do business with \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ purchasing or procurement department





#### **Review a Solicitation**

**ITBs** 

**RFQs** 

**RFPs** 

**ITNs** 





# Government Acquisition Regulations

Regulations

**Statues** 

Codes





#### **Look Ahead**

Workshops
Orientations
Advisors





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- Plan



#### **State & Local Purchases**

Discretionary
Informal Purchases
Formal/Competitive





## **Identify Your Market**

Sector Location Requirements





## **Piggybacking**

Florida Statute § 189.053 (189.4221)





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#### Before You Can Start, You'll Need to Start

#### **SBA Resource Partners**

Small Business Development Centers (SBDC)

Service Corps Of Retired Executives (SCORE)

Women's Business Centers (WBC)

Veterans Business Outreach Centers (VBOC)

Small Business Resource Network (SBRN)





#### The Basics

W-9

**FEIN** 

Sunbiz.org

**DBPR** 

Other registrations





#### **Business Codes**

United Nations Standard Products and Services Classification (UNSPSC) Code

National Institute of Governmental Purchasing (NIGP)
Code





## **D&B DUNS Registration** (free)

https://fedgov.dnb.com/webform





## MFMP eProcurement System

https://vendor.myfloridamarketplace.com





## Other Local Entity Registrations

50 States
Tens of thousands
SLED markets





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## **Marketing Tools**





















#### **Small Business Certifications**

State

City

**Agency** 

DOT





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#### **Procurement Sites**

My Florida Marketplace

Cities, towns, and villages

**Public utilities** 

**Public institutions** 

Prime contractors





#### **Other Procurement Sites**





#### **Submit Offers**

**ITB** 

**RFQ** 

**RFP** 

ITN





### When Bidding, Meet All Pass/Fail Requirements

Three-Cs





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#### When Supporting Your Contract, Operate within the Rules

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## **Reporting Requirements**





## **More Contract Compliance**





#### Meet Contract Performance Requirements

#### Do the Work, Provide the Service, Deliver the Goods





# Florida Procurement Technical Assistance Center Program







available at no cost to Florida businesses,



large or small, that possess the interest and



potential to perform work—as a prime contractor or a subcontractor—for federal,



state or local government agencies.





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