



Mayor's Coalition on Supplier Diversity and Inclusion The Business Friendly City Government Subcommittee

Forecasting – Where to find information on upcoming City projects

Forecasting is a valuable tool allowing businesses, especially small, minority, and womenowned businesses, sufficient time to identify and prepare for contracting opportunities of interest. Where can your business locate information on planned City projects before they have been solicited?

See the information that follows for leads on identifying upcoming contract and procurement opportunities.

- Bureau of Purchases' <u>Consolidated List of City Contracts (PDF File)</u>. This report lists all current contracts procured and/or managed by the Department of Finance/Bureau of Purchases on behalf of City agencies. The report, updated periodically, provides a breakdown of projects by buyer, description, agency, vendor, contract expiration date and any renewals. Look for contracts expiring within the year that have no renewal options.
- The FY 2016 Baltimore City Design and Construction Presentation (PDF File). Each year, the City's major construction agencies (Departments of Public Works, Transportation, Housing and Community Development, General Services, and Recreation and Parks) holds a Design and Construction Presentation outreach event to provide contractors with information on upcoming projects in the new fiscal year. This presentation contains a breakdown of projects by agency with descriptions, anticipated advertisement quarter, and agency contacts.
- EconView: the City of Baltimore online tool that shows different development projects that are planned, or underway, or have been recently completed in Baltimore City. This interactive tool lists and maps projects while also featuring contact information for the appropriate City agency.