# Metro Capital Project Opportunities Quarterly Newsletter



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#### Welcome

Thank you for your interest in Capital Project Opportunities with the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA/Metro). This quarterly newsletter features prospective solicitations, updates from prior issues and upcoming events, and guidelines for working with Metro on capital projects.

Please confirm your interest in receiving future newsletter issues <u>here</u>.

## A MESSSAGE FROM METRO'S DIRECTOR OF PROJECT DEVELOPMENT, CARLOS SANTA MARIA

As we enter the New Year, I want to extend my warmest wishes to you and your teams. Your unwavering commitment to excellence has been a cornerstone of our shared success, and as we face the year ahead, I am confident that our collaboration will continue to be the driving force behind positive outcomes.

Metro's Capital Program is committed to modernizing our systems, ensuring safe, efficient, and reliable service for customers, employees, and the region. In the face of unprecedented budget challenges anticipated in the upcoming fiscal year starting July 1, 2024, we find ourselves re-evaluating and adapting our capital projects to accommodate budget constraints, with a keen focus on addressing primary asset needs. While funding constraints pose considerable hurdles, Metro remains committed to delivering reliable services in collaboration with our partners.



In coming years, our focus will be on managing constraints to ensure investments in near-term essential state-of-good-repair projects. The challenges ahead necessitate a collective effort, and we believe that by working together, we can overcome obstacles and continue to provide efficient public transportation services for our communities.

In light of these circumstances, we want to express our sincere appreciation for your continued

partnership and support. We highly value our partners' participation in finding innovative ways to enhance service delivery efficiency. We recognize the dynamic nature of our industry, and together, we will navigate these changes to emerge stronger and more resilient.

Thank you again for all you do for us at Metro, and we look forward to achieving new milestones together in the year ahead.

Best regards,

Carlos Santa Maria **Director of Project Development** Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA)

#### IN THIS ISSUE

The January 2024 newsletter highlights several planned architectural, engineering, and construction opportunities, with information on the anticipated delivery method, potential contract value, planned solicitation timeframe (season/year), and SBPO participation expectations provided below.

#### Solicitation Calendar



Winter 2024: January – March 2024



Spring 2024: March – June 2024



7 ⊳ Summer 2024: June – September 2024



Fall 2024: September – December 2024

#### **Planned Solicitations**

#### **WINTER 2024**

Parking Garage Rehabilitation - 1 Garage

Permanent Generator System Replacement - 19 Sites

Shaft Structural State of Good Repair Program - Package 1

Storage Tank Replacement Program - 3 Locations

Surface Lot Rehabilitation - Three Lots

#### SPRING 2024

**Emergency Egress Assessment** 

Replacement of Drainage Pumping Systems at 6 Locations

Station Entrance Digital Displays

Traction Power State of Good Repair - Contract 2

#### **SUMMER 2024**

Cinder Bed Rd Bus Garage BEB Conversion

Non-Revenue HVAC Replacement

#### ARCHITECTURAL, ENGINEERING, AND CONSTRUCTION OPPORTUNITES

#### **Planned Solicitations**



#### Parking Garage Rehabilitation - 1 Garage

Rehabilitation of one parking garage (Shady Grove) to bring into a state of good repair, including structural repairs.

Anticipated Delivery Method: Design-Bid-Build

Potential Contract Value\*: \$5M-\$10M Planned Solicitation: Winter 2024

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

#### Permanent Generator System Replacement - 19 Sites

Replacement of 19 permanent diesel generators identified as priority locations based on limited replacement part availability that affects equipment functionality and maintainability. These generators range from 50kW to 600kW and are connected to various electrical systems supporting Metro stations, Parking, and Bus Garages.

Anticipated Delivery Method: Design-Build Potential Contract Value\*: \$20M-\$30M Planned Solicitation: Winter 2024

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

#### Shaft Structural State of Good Repair Program - Package 1

Rehabilitation of ventilation and emergency egress shafts located in Metrorail tunnels, including structural and electrical elements within 6 shafts including FA03, FA05, FA07, FA11, FA13, FB08. The electrical equipment servicing the fans require replacement, this includes the motor control centers (MCCs), electrical disconnects, transformers, automatic voltage regulators (AVRs), local low-voltage distribution panels, transfer switches, and the power feeds back to the substations. Structural elements consist of the correction of concrete and steel defects, steel and concrete corrosion control, and groundwater infiltration migration.

Anticipated Delivery Method: Design-Build Potential Contract Value\*: \$40M-\$50M Planned Solicitation: Winter 2024

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

#### Storage Tank Replacement Program - 3 Locations

Replacement of underground fuel storage tanks at the New Carrollton, Greenbelt, and Glenmont railyards.

Anticipated Delivery Method: Design-Bid-Build

Potential Contract Value\*: TBD

Planned Solicitation: Winter/Spring 2024

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

#### Surface Lot Rehabilitation - Three Lots

Rehabilitation of three surface parking lot facilities (Hyattsville Crossing, Twinbrook, and

Vienna), including Kiss & Ride lots and connecting roadways, to return these facilities to a state of good repair.

Anticipated Delivery Method: Design-Bid-Build (Designs ongoing)

Potential Contract Value\*: \$5M-\$10M Planned Solicitation: Winter 2024

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise



## Spring 2024

#### **Emergency Egress Assessment**

The goal of this condition assessment of emergency egress is to identify station and trainway elements that are not in state of good repair and/or not in compliance with the WMATA design criteria. The report with recommendations of this effort will be used to prioritize, identify repairs, replacement or new work required to provide passengers with a safe emergency egress from stations and the trainway.

Anticipated Delivery Method: N/A
Potential Contract Value\*: \$3.5M-\$4.5M

**Planned Solicitation:** Spring 2024 - Assessment RFP SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

#### Replacement of Drainage Pumping Systems at 6 Locations

WMATA plans to replace or rehabilitate drainage pumping stations including pumps, valves, pump control systems, associated track drainage inflow, suction and discharge line piping and DPS room appurtenances at six locations.

Anticipated Delivery Method: Design-Bid-Build Potential Contract Value\*: \$1.5M-\$2.5M Planned Solicitation: Spring/Summer 2024

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

#### **Station Entrance Digital Displays**

There is a need to provide customers with real-time train information before entering Metrorail stations using Digital Displays outside Metrorail Stations, allowing better and more informed decision-making and the efficient dissemination of information on Metro services.

Anticipated Delivery Method: Design-Bid-Build

Potential Contract Value\*: TBD

Planned Solicitation: Spring 2024 - Design RFP

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

#### Traction Power State of Good Repair - Contract 2

Rehabilitation and upgrade of 14 Traction Power Sub-Stations and 21 Tie Breaker Stations at various locations within Maryland and DC. In addition to traction power, the project includes the renewal of SCADA, mechanical, and electronic security and safety systems (e.g., Access Control and CCTV). An optional Battery Power Sub-Station is a modernization element at two(2) locations to capture and re-use train regenerative power for the traction power.

Anticipated Delivery Method: Design-Bid-Build Potential Contract Value\*: \$165M-\$175M

Planned Solicitation: Spring 2024

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise



## Summer 2024

#### Cinder Bed Rd Bus Garage BEB Conversion

Design and modification of Cinder Bed Bus Garage, one of WMATA's newest Bus O&M facilities. With WMATA's transition to 100% ZEV bus fleet this facility is to be outfitted and modified to become an electric bus garage to store, maintain and operate battery electric buses.

Anticipated Delivery Method: Progressive Design-Build

Potential Contract Value\*: \$120M-\$140M Planned Solicitation: Summer 2024

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

#### Non-Revenue HVAC Replacement

The Greenbelt Maintenance Facility Building B facility has been identified as a location for selective replacement of HVAC equipment. Equipment and systems identified for replacement include, Rooftop Units (RTU), Variable Air Volume Terminal Units (VAV), Air Conditioning Units (ACU), and Building Automation Systems (BAS).

Anticipated Delivery Method: Design-Bid-Build

Potential Contract Value\*: \$750K-\$1.5M

Planned Solicitation: Summer 2024 - Design RFP

SBPO Participation\*\*: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise

#### **UPDATES**

#### Small Business Programs Office (SBPO) Events

#### **February**

- February 8, 2024 Demystifying Taxes for Small Business & Freelancers collaboration with DC Small Business Development Center Network | Register here
- February 29, 2024 From RFP to NTP: Proven Strategies for a Successful Procurement collaboration with Hensel Phelps | Register here

#### March

- March 7, 2024 Certification Workshop | Register here
- March 19, 2024 The Price Is Right: Things to Consider When Pricing Your Projects -Collaboration with DC Small Business Development Center Network | Register here

To stay up to date on SBPO Events, visit the SBPO Outreach Calendar page.

To view recordings and materials from past events, visit the SBPO News page.

For additional information on eligibility and programs, visit the Small Business Programs Office site.

#### **Procurement & Contracting**

To participate in future procurement solicitations, please register or update your vendor information on the **Metro Supplier Portal**. For information on active solicitations, please visit the **Metro Procurement Opportunities** website, including the following:

General Architecture Engineering & Consulting (GAEC) Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ) Master Contract

Re-compete of the existing IDIQ master contract for General Architecture Engineering & Consulting

<sup>\*</sup> Estimates subject to change

<sup>\*\*</sup> Small Business Program Office (SBPO) participation includes DBE/SBE/MBP/MBE initiatives

services that concludes in November 2024 for a new five (5) year period. Requires services of multiple professional on-call general architectural and engineering firms to provide architectural and engineering services associated with program management and construction management. This effort is planned for solicitation in Spring 2024 with a potential contract value not to exceed \$100M per contract awarded to each firm.

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#### **Questions?**

For any questions or comments about upcoming opportunities, or assistance with vendor registration, please reach out via one of the channels below. We welcome and encourage your engagement.

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