



Bond Projects Business Opportunity Achievement Target (BOAT) Program Fact Sheet

1. What is the BOAT Program?

A program to encourage employment opportunities equally across Clackamas County residents and to encourage minority, women, emerging small business, and veteran (MWESB/V) participation in the bond projects.

2. Minimum workforce equity and diversity goal of 10% for the bond projects.

3. The purpose of the BOAT Program:

- To create opportunities for area businesses, local workforce, and MWESB/V businesses.
- To encourage contractors and subcontractors to hire MWESB/V/Clackamas County contractors, subcontractors, and consultants for project work.

4. Why should I participate?

Businesses that make efforts to meet CCC's equity and diversity workforce goal will be recognized in CCC's quarterly Bond Projects Newsletter, on the Bond Information Webpage, and on CCC's various social media channels. The Bond Projects Quarterly Newsletter is distributed to:

- District city councils
- District school boards and chambers of commerce
- Business alliances and professional organizations
- Open houses and other community events
- Citizen Oversite Committee meetings/members
- CCC Bond Information webpage
- All three CCC campuses (Oregon City, Milwaukie, Wilsonville)

5. How will the goals be measured?

Participating businesses will be provided forms for recording MWESB/V/local business involvement, and may be asked to provide monthly updates.

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All MWESB firms must be certified by the Office of Minority, Women and Emerging Small Business (OMWESB). For more information: <u>http://www.oregon4biz.com/How-We-Can-Help/OMWESB/</u>.

For certified Oregon Veteran Owned firms: <u>http://www.veteranownedbusiness.com/or</u>.

For Oregon Procurement Information Network (ORPIN): http://www.oregon.gov/DAS/Procurement/Pages/ORPIN.aspx.