

Funding for Equitable Pandemic Recovery

By Department of the Treasury CDFI

WASHINGTON—Recently, Vice President Kamala Harris and Deputy Treasury Secretary Wally Adeyemo announced that the United States Department of the Treasury's Community Development Financial Institutions Fund (CDFI Fund) has awarded more than \$1.73 billion in grants to 603 Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) across the country through the CDFI Equitable Recovery Program (CDFI ERP). These funds will strengthen the ability of CDFIs to help low- and moderate-income communities recover from the COVID-19 pandemic and invest in long-term prosperity.

Authorized by the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021 (Pub. L. 116-260) to respond to the economic effects of the COVID-19 pandemic, CDFI ERP is designed to:

 Provide funding to Certified CDFIs to expand lending, grant making, and investment activities in low- to moderate-income communities and to borrowers with significant unmet capital and financial services needs that have experienced disproportionate economic impacts from the COVID-19 pandemic

• Catalyze growth in both the financial and organizational capacity of CDFIs for the purpose of carrying out equitable recovery activities

"When we invest in community lenders, we help build a future where all people—no matter who they are or where they start—have the resources they need not only to succeed but to thrive," said Vice President Kamala Harris. "These grants—representing the largest CDFI grant program in history—will enable hundreds of community lenders to invest in small businesses and entrepreneurs, and also provide home loans for families, financial services for local nonprofits, and capital for community organizations."

"These grant funds will be transformative for grantees that are building a more equitable, resilient economy, along with helping sustain our strong economic recovery" said Secretary of the Treasury Janet L. Yellen. "These critical resources will allow mission-driven lenders to expand access



to capital in financially underserved communities, which will help increase contributions to long-term economic growth."

"Today's awards represent a truly historic opportunity to accelerate efforts in America's

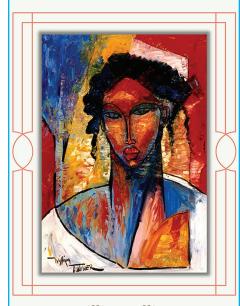
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Brief description of work:

The construction of six new electrified tracks serving three high-level boarding platforms connected to the existing railroad right of way and includes a passenger concourse as part of a new rail personnel structure to an elevation above the FEMA base flood elevation (BFE). Other related rail infrastructure work involves two pit pedestal inspection pits in the station area: an existing bridge modification; a new, two-track railroad bridge that connects the new station to the existing commuter tracks with the related track: catenary, signal, and other work including a realignment of active commuter tracks and the related overhead catenary structures.

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Federal Contracting: Veteran Small Business Certification Program Webinar Monday, April 17, 2023, 1:00 pm–2:00 pm Online

Main Sponsor(s): US Small Business Administration Contact: Jo Eckert, 319-362-6405, jo.eckert@sba.gov

Fee: Free; registration required

Learn about SBA's new Veteran Small Business Certification program. Certification has been transferred from the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). Certification with SBA allows service-disabled veteran-owned small businesses (SDVOSBs) to compete for sole-source and set-aside federal contracts across the federal government. Certified veteran-owned small businesses (VOSBs) have additional opportunities to pursue sole-source and set-aside contracts at the Veterans Administration (VA) under the VA's Vets First program. Register at https://www. eventbrite.com/e/veteran-small-business-certification-vetcert-program-tickets-580691793787

Selling to the Federal Government Webinar Thursday, April 27, 2023, 1:00 pm-4:00 pm Online

Main Sponsor(s): US Small Business Administration Contact: George Tapia, 610-382-3086, george.tapia@sba.gov

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world? Interested in learning how your business can market your services or goods to the federal government? Register on line at https://www. eventbrite.com/e/how-to-sell-to-the-federalgovernment-tickets-21790713611 SBA helps to ensure small businesses get fair opportunities to share federal government prime contracts. Topics will include: How to Register, Small Business Certifications, Finding Opportunities, Marketing Your Firm, Federal Supply Schedules, Getting Paid, Tips to Prepare Your Offer, How to Seek Additional Assistance. All training sessions are held via Microsoft Teams Meeting. Participants must ensure Microsoft Teams is functioning.

SBA and SOS Monthly Webinar Thursday, May 4, 2023, 9:00 am-11:00 am

Online Main Sponsor(s): US Small Business Administration, New Hampshire Secretary of State Corporation Division

Contact: Miguel Moralez, 603-225-1601, miguel.moralez@sba.gov

Fee: Free; registration required Starting a new business? Looking for capital and finance options? Looking for general advice on starting or maintaining your business? Hear from representatives from the local SBA office and the New Hampshire Secretary of State Corporation Division. This workshop (currently held online during the pandemic) is offered on the first Thursday of every month. To join this free webinar, copy and paste the link below into your browser, then register for tickets for the date of your choice to receive the access code. https://www.eventbrite.com/e/secretary-ofstate-quickstart-and-small-business-administration-programs-tickets-262004180557



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