

# Northeast Governors Form COVID-19 Council

By Seven Northeast Governors

- Connecticut Governor Ned Lamont  
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- Delaware Governor John Carney  
<https://governor.delaware.gov>
- Massachusetts Governor Charlie Baker  
<https://www.mass.gov/orgs/office-of-the-governor>
- New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy  
<https://nj.gov/governor>
- New York Governor Andrew Cuomo  
<https://www.governor.ny.gov>
- Pennsylvania Governor Tom Wolf  
<https://www.governor.pa.gov>
- Rhode Island Governor Gina Raimondo  
<http://governor.ri.gov>

Recognizing that their states have one integrated regional economy, Connecticut Governor Ned Lamont, Delaware Governor John Carney, Massachusetts Governor Charlie Baker, New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy, New York Governor Andrew M. Cuomo, Pennsylvania Governor Tom Wolf, and Rhode

Island Governor Gina Raimondo announced on Monday the creation of a multistate council to restore the economy and get people back to work. This announcement builds on the states' ongoing regional approach to combatting the COVID-19 pandemic.

The coordinating group—comprised of one health expert, one economic development expert, and the respective chief of staff from each state—will work together to develop a fully integrated regional framework to gradually lift the states' stay at home orders while minimizing the risk of increased spread of the virus.

The council will create this framework using every tool available to accomplish the goal of easing social isolation without triggering renewed spread—including testing, contact tracing, treatment, and social distancing—and will rely on the best available scientific, statistical, social, and economic information to manage and evaluate those tools.

**Governor Ned Lamont said,** "One thing that's undeniable is that this virus does not stop at the border of any county, state, or country, but the impact is the same when it comes to our



respective economies and healthcare systems. Working as a regional coalition to make the right decisions will lead to the best public health results for all of our residents. We must solve these problems together."

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Inviting qualified contractors, specifically **MWBE and SDVOB firms certified/eligible as listed above**, to contact Shea-Kiewit Constructors, AJV (Prime Contractor listed below) regarding subcontracting services and material supply opportunities in connection with the upcoming tunnel and shafts project.

The Work under this contract is in Brooklyn and Queens, New York. The Work consists of:

**Construction of Shafts 17B-1 and 18B-1, CT3, Contract No. C547A**  
**Owner: New York City Department of Environmental Protection**  
**NYC DEP Bid Room, 59-17 Junction Boulevard, 17th Floor, Flushing, NY 11373**  
**BID DATE: April 23, 2020, at 11:30 am**

Opportunities to participate exist in the following specific areas of soil and rock excavation, hauling, excavation support systems, ground freezing, deep foundation system(micro-piles), underground blasting, structural steel, engineering, survey, instrumentation and monitoring services, materials testing, demolition and site preparation, traffic control, sewer bypass pumping, A/C paving, environmental investigation, utility relocation, paving, fencing and gates, planting and seeding, retaining wall, geotechnical and structural instrumentation, secant piles, cast-in-place concrete structures, reinforcing steel, ground stabilization, rock-bolts, steel dowels, shotcrete, concrete finishing, mechanical steel pipe, ventilation HVAC, precast concrete shaft covers, temporary office buildings/ services, ConEdison blockhouse, waterproofing, service utilities, grouting, electrical services, pest control, IT services, security, waste disposal, cleaning services, and security services.

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Shea-Kiewit Constructors, AJV set up an FTP site where you can view all plans, specifications and addendums for your convenience. Please contact Steve Fiori at (909) 595-4397, [Steven.Fiori@jfshea.com](mailto:Steven.Fiori@jfshea.com), to receive instructions on accessing the FTP Site.

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**Construction of Shafts 17B-1 and 18B-1 Project**  
**NYC DEP Contract No: C547A**  
**Bid Date: April 23, 2020**

**Description of project:**  
 A general description of the project work includes the following:  
 1) The construction of Shafts 17B-1 and 18B-1  
 2) Tunnel unwatering, access, initial inspection, photography, video, cleaning, repair, and final inspection work in CT3, Stage 2 in Queens and Brooklyn  
 3) Engineer-ordered bailout

Shaft 17B and 18B work includes, but is not limited to, the following:  
 1) Maintenance and protection of traffic  
 2) New Con Ed electrical service, temp blockhouse, and electrical distribution system  
 3) Perimeter noise barriers and retaining walls  
 4) Miscellaneous site demolition  
 5) Site clearing and grubbing  
 6) Temporary facilities including guard booths, contractor's trailer, engineer's trailer, and worker (sandhogs) facilities  
 7) Sewer work  
 8) Site excavation

**Many bidding opportunities are available.**

If you are interested in bidding on this project, please contact Skanska's Outreach Coordinator: [Julia.Omanoff@skanska.com](mailto:Julia.Omanoff@skanska.com) • EOE/M/F/Vet/Disabled

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**WP-269 Reconstruction and Improvement of Hannah Street Pump Station Project**  
**NYC DEP Contract No: PS-276**  
**Bid Date: April 28, 2020**

**Description of project:**  
 The Hannah Street Pumping Station is the largest city-owned wastewater collection system pumping station on Staten Island, with a firm conveyance capacity of 37.5 million gallons per day (MGD). The facility's deficiencies are numerous, as it was built in 1977, requiring the need for a comprehensive upgrade. Work includes demolition, excavation, dewatering, upgrades to the pumping station, electrical, emergency generator, ConEd and metering building, force main work, and temporary facilities.

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**How to Become a GSA Federal Supply Schedule Holder and Government Contracting 101**  
**Wednesday, March 18, 2020, 10:00 am-1:30 pm**  
**Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. Federal Building, 10 Causeway Street, 1st Floor, Boston, MA**  
**Main Sponsor(s): US Small Business Administration, Massachusetts Small Business Development Center**  
**Contact: Stephen Edmonds, 781-801-3036, [sedmonds@umass.edu](mailto:sedmonds@umass.edu)**  
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**Online Businesses and New Jersey Tax**  
**Tuesday, March 24, 2020, 6:00 pm-8:00 pm**  
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