

Nuclear Regulatory Commission

FY2013 Small Business Procurement Scorecard

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117.92%

FPDS-NG Prime Contracting Data as of Feb. 19, 2014

eSRS Subcontracting Data as of Mar. 14, 2014

Prime Contracting Achievement:			96.35%
	2012 Achievement	2013 Goal	2013 Achievement
Small Business	32.98%	29.00%	32.74% (\$83.3 M)
Women Owned Small Business	7.07%	5.00%	10.07% (\$25.6 M)
Small Disadvantaged Business	16.39%	5.00%	12.83% (\$32.7 M)
Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business	3.76%	3.00%	4.46% (\$11.3 M)
HUBZone	4.01%	3.00%	2.35% (\$6.0 M)

Subcontracting Achievement:			11.66%
	2012 Achievement	2013 Goal	2013 Achievement
Small Business	45.50%	55.00%	81.00%
Women Owned Small Business	6.10%	5.00%	3.30%
Small Disadvantaged Business	3.40%	5.00%	31.10%
Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business	1.20%	3.00%	1.10%
HUBZone	2.30%	3.00%	0.90%

Success Factors		9.91%
<u>Plan Progress Success Factor Grading Scale:</u> Factor Subtotal Score / 7		Peer Review Score
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to utilize small businesses to obtain goods and services.		0.97
The Agency's senior leadership (i.e. Deputy Secretary, Chief Acquisition Officer, Senior Procurement Executive, senior program managers, and OSD/BU Director) demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, that they have clearly communicated the importance of achieving the agency's Small Business contracting goals through the chain of command to the contracting officer level.		0.97
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to small business contracting data quality.		1.00
The Agency demonstrated a commitment to small business utilization through regular training of acquisitions staff on the issues/procedures/policies/regulations impacting small businesses.		1.00
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to growing their small business supplier base and increasing awareness of contracting opportunities for small businesses.		1.00
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to expanding subcontracting opportunities for small businesses. (Reference: FAR 19.7 - Small Business Subcontracting Program).		1.00
The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a clearly communicated policy to address and mitigate the adverse effects of contract bundling on small businesses. (Reference: FAR subpart 7.104 for applicable dollar threshold for each agency).		1.00

<u>Prime and Subcontracting Grading Scale:</u>		
A+ < 150% but ≥ 120%		
A < 120% but ≥ 100%		
B < 100% but ≥ 90%		
C < 90% but ≥ 80%		
D < 80% but ≥ 70%		
F < 70%		
	Total	6.94

Comments:

Graded Agency:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) continues to support agency mission objectives to regulate commercial and institutional uses of nuclear materials through Federal acquisitions. The NRC also continues to support our Nation's small businesses, including small businesses owned by the disadvantaged, women, veterans, service-disabled veterans, and companies located in a Historically Underutilized Business Zone (HUBZone). The agency is committed to increasing its efforts to achieve Federal small business goals and supports activities designed to maximize prime and subcontract opportunities for small businesses. The NRC has a robust outreach program that trains, assists, and explores the small business marketplace. The agency recognizes that small businesses are the economic engine that drive job growth and are vital to the economic recovery and security of the Nation, and values the role small businesses play in ensuring that the agency maintains an innovative and competitive supplier base.

While the NRC did fall slightly short in meeting its HUBZone prime contract goal, the agency is pleased to report that the contract dollars awarded to small businesses increased, including to businesses owned by women and service-disabled veterans. This achievement was a result of interdependency and collaboration between the Small Business Program and acquisitions staff. The agency continues to support and implement a Scorecard Plan to increase prime and subcontract awards to small businesses through strategic acquisition planning, corrective actions designed to increase HUBZone performance and achievement of all subcontracting goals, market research activities, and training and technical assistance to acquisitions staff and the business community. Moreover, as the NRC implements various strategic acquisition and operational modernization initiatives, the agency plans to continue ensuring a significant place for small businesses in its strategic acquisition efforts.