

National Aeronautics and Space Administration

FY2014 Small Business Procurement Scorecard

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87.17%

FPDS-NG Prime Contracting Data as of Feb. 20, 2015

eSRS Subcontracting Data as of Mar. 13, 2015

Prime Contracting Achievement:			65.76%
	2013 Achievement	2014 Goal	2014 Achievement
Small Business	21.65%	19.71%	18.34% (\$2.5 B)
Women Owned Small Business	3.68%	5.00%	3.30% (\$448.5 M)
Small Disadvantaged Business	8.81%	5.00%	8.98% (\$1.2 B)
Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business	1.10%	3.00%	0.57% (\$78.1 M)
HUBZone	1.17%	3.00%	0.86% (\$117.5 M)

Subcontracting Achievement:			11.45%
	2013 Achievement	2014 Goal	2014 Achievement
Small Business	40.30%	36.00%	40.70%
Women Owned Small Business	10.60%	5.00%	10.00%
Small Disadvantaged Business	13.00%	5.00%	12.30%
Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business	2.80%	3.00%	3.00%
HUBZone	2.40%	3.00%	2.00%

Success Factors		9.96%
Plan Progress Success Factor Grading Scale: Factor Subtotal Score / 7		Peer Review Score
1. Commitment to Small Business Utilization - The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to utilize small businesses to obtain goods and services.		1.00
2. Effective Engagement of Senior Level Management in Achieving Small Business Goals - The Agency's senior leadership (i.e. Deputy Secretary, Chief Acquisition Officer, Senior Procurement Executive, senior program managers, and OSDDBU 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
3. Data Quality of Small Business Contracting - The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, a commitment to small business contracting data quality.		1.00
4. Training of Acquisitions Staff - 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
5. Outreach to Small Business - 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
6. Bundling Avoidance, Justification and Mitigation - 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. (For applicable dollar threshold for the agency, see FAR subpart 7.104)		1.00
7. OSDDBU Organization - The Agency demonstrated, through action and documented evidence, compliance with Section 1691 - Offices of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization - of the National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) of 2013.		1.00
Prime and Subcontracting Grading Scale: A+ < 150% but ≥ 120% A < 120% but ≥ 100% B < 100% but ≥ 90% C < 90% but ≥ 80% D < 80% but ≥ 70% F < 70%		Total
		6.97

Comments:

Graded Agency:

In FY 2014, NASA had the successful launch of the Orion Exploration Flight Test 1 and a return to deep space missions. The Orion Multi-Purpose Crew Vehicle is part of the Space Launch System which will include the largest rocket ever built. NASA also awarded the commercial crew contract to bring astronauts to the International Space Station via private commercial companies. Although these multi-billion dollar contracts are small business eligible, they demonstrate the tremendous challenges NASA has in meeting its small business goals. NASA awarded approximately \$2.5 billion directly to small businesses and another \$2.3 billion through subcontracts from our major suppliers. NASA is also challenged to achieve its goals for Women Owned Small Businesses (WOSB), Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Businesses (SDVOSB), and HUBZone small business concerns. NASA continues to work on new initiatives to reach these small business categories including hosting agency-wide industry days in each area. All NASA small businesses are critical partners and play an important role in assisting us in realizing our missions.