

California Public Utilities Commission Small and Diverse Business Expo

Thursday | April 4, 2024 | 9 am – 2 pm

South San Francisco Conference Center 255 S Airport Blvd South San Francisco, CA 94080

Agenda

8:30 a.m. – 9 a.m.	Check-in/Registration		
9 a.m. – 9:05 a.m.	Opening Remarks (Salon A-E) Stephanie Green – Supplier Diversity Manager, CPUC		
9:10 a.m. – 10 a.m.	Panel Discussion (Salon A-E) How to Navigate Procurement Opportunities with Utility Companies		
	Moderator: Stephanie Green, CPUC Supplier Diversity Manager		
	Panelists: Comcast – Lisa Roben, Supplier Diversity Program Manager Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) – Jerilyn Gleaves, Senior Manager San Jose Water – Timothy McLaughlin, Director AT&T – Roger Cheng, Senior Supplier Diversity Sourcing Manager		
10 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Panel Discussion (Salon A-E)		
	Certification Illuminated: Navigating Diversity for Small Businesses		
	Moderator: Drisha Melton, Supplier Diversity & Regulatory Policy Analyst, CPUC		
	Panelists: Western Regional Minority Supplier Development Council (WRMSDC) – Michael McQuarry, CFO/COO The Supplier Clearinghouse – Ed Salcedo, President Department of General Services (DGS) – Diane Lydon, Business Outreach Manager Women's Business Enterprise Council-Pacific (WBEC-Pacific) – Dr. Janice Greene, President & CEO		

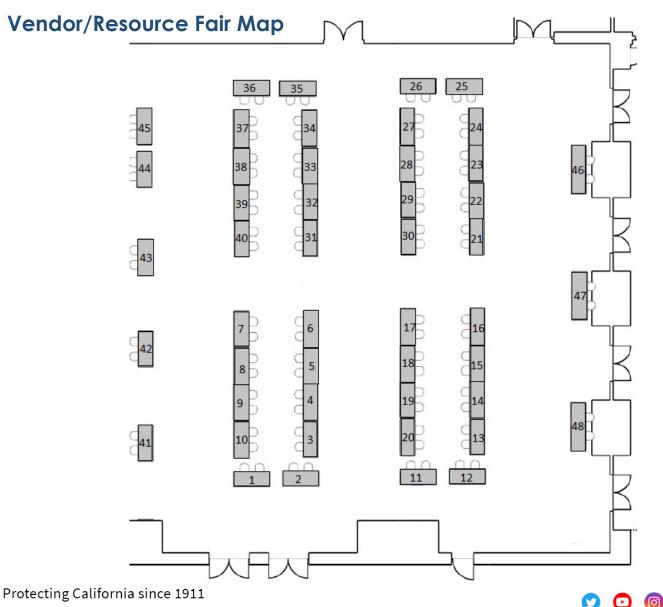
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Panel Discussion (Salon A-E)	
Tips for Success! Doing Business with the State of California	
Host: Teresa Macias-Ruiz, Bilingual Business Outreach Liaison, Department of General Services (DGS)	
Vendor/Resource Fair (Exhibitors) (Salon F-J)	
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1. California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC)	2. Supplier Clearinghouse	 Ava Community Energy Authority
4. Southwest Gas	5. SamTrans/Caltrain	 Women's Business Enterprise Council-Pacific (WBEC-Pacific)
7. Solano County Black Chamber of Commerce	8. CA High Speed Rail Authority (HSR)	9. Clean Power Alliance
10. Comcast	11. California Water Association	12. California Water Association
13. Southern California Edison	14. BuildOUT CA	15. East Bay Municipal Utility District
16. Pioneer Community Energy	17. SoCal Gas	18. Verizon
19. Central Coast Community Energy	20. Department of General Services (DGS)	21. PG&E
22. CleanPowerSF	23. Kiewit Supply Network	24. Cox Communications
25. American Indian Chamber of Commerce of California	26. Caltrans	27. SDG&E
28. Silicon Valley Clean Energy	29. Western Regional Minority Supplier Development Council (WRMSDC)	30. Frontier
31. MCE	32. West Valley Construction	33. California Highway Patrol (CHP)
34. T-Mobile	35. National Veteran Business Development Council (NVBDC)	36. Golden Gate Bridge, Highway & Transportation District
37. San José Clean Energy	38. Rainbow Chamber of Commerce & Foundation	39. AT&T
40. Lodi Gas Storage, L.L.C. and Wild Goose Storage, LLC	41. California Military Department	42. ELITE Northern Chapter (Disabled Veteran Organization)
43. San Jose MBDA	44. CalAsian Chamber of Commerce	45. Sacramento Asian Pacific Chamber of Commerce
46. California Prison Industry Authority (CALPIA)	47. Department of Social Services	48. Veterans In Business Network (VIB)



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