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THE TEXAS A&M  
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HUB PROGRAM

## Welcome to The Texas A&M University System HUB Program Office Newsletter.

This newsletter aims to provide you with information about current and upcoming procurement and engagement opportunities with The Texas A&M University System (A&M System).

The A&M System HUB Program updates its webpage regularly.

[Visit our webpage.](#) ↗

**Tuesday, February 25, 2025**

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

**(NEXT WEEK) 2025 MAR 04 | CONSTRUCTION EXPO.**

On Tuesday, March 4, 2025, the A&M System HUB Program [along with the A&M System Office of Facilities Planning & Construction](#) will host a [roundtable and expo](#) table at the *2025 Hard Hat Construction Expo* organized by the Dallas Fort Worth Minority Supplier Development Council (DFWMSDC). The event will take place at Globe Life Field - Home of the Texas Rangers, 734 Stadium Drive, Arlington, TX 76011 from 3-8 PM, and is designed to facilitate business connections between corporations and public sector agencies and certified businesses to meet supply chain demands and further the economic development of our communities.

*Registration is required. To attend, [register online](#).*

### **(NEXT WEEK) 2025 MAR 05 | LUNCH & LEARN.**

On Wednesday, March 5, 2025, the A&M System HUB Program will partner with the National Association for Minority Contractors (NAMC) Houston Chapter to host a *Lunch and Learn* designed to inform you upcoming procurement opportunities, our mentor-protégé program, and general information regarding doing business with the Texas A&M University System. More information is forthcoming.

### **2025 APR 08 | BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY MEETING.**

On Tuesday, April 8, 2025, the A&M System HUB Program will collaborate with the NAMC Dallas Fort Worth Chapter to host a *Business Opportunity Meeting* designed to inform you upcoming procurement opportunities, our mentor-protégé program, and general information regarding doing business with the Texas A&M University System. More information is forthcoming.

### **2025 APR 22 | A&M SYSTEM-WIDE HUB EXPO.**

On Tuesday, April 22, 2025, from 1-4 PM, Texas A&M University-College Station will be hosting a *Co-Sponsored [A&M] System-Wide HUB Expo* at the Memorial Student Center – Bethancourt Ballroom (College Station, TX). This event aims to increase HUB awareness throughout the university and provide HUB vendors economic opportunities to showcase their goods and/or services. State of Texas HUB Exhibitors may register for a free booth. Early registration is strongly encouraged and closes on March 28, 2025. To register, contact Shawna Kennedy at

[hubprogram@tamu.edu](mailto:hubprogram@tamu.edu)

### **2025 MAY 13-14 | SPOT BID FAIR.**

From Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, the A&M System HUB Program will host a table at the *2025 Doing Business Texas Style Spot Bid Fair*. The event will take place at the Irving Convention Center located at 500 W Las Colinas Blvd., Irving, TX 75039. This event will include training workshops, presentations, panel discussions and Q&A sessions designed to educate small business owners about how to contract with state agencies, universities, and other government entities. Admission and parking are free. For more information, contact

[statewidehubprogram@cpa.texas.gov](mailto:statewidehubprogram@cpa.texas.gov)

### **(NEW) 2025 AUG 14 | TAMIU / LAREDO SBDC / HUB FORUM**

The A&M System HUB Program is collaborating with the Small Business Development Center at Texas A&M International University (TAMIU) to host a *HUB Forum* designed to inform you about what HUB certification is, how to apply, and the benefits of being a HUB-certified business. Additionally, we plan to have breakout sessions designed to provide information such as access

to capital, bonding and insurance information, and more. All topics are tentative. Registration has not yet opened. More information is forthcoming. *We are currently seeking speakers for this event. If you are interested, contact us at [SO-HUBProgram@tamus.edu](mailto:SO-HUBProgram@tamus.edu).*

## 2025 AUG 15 | 2025 BUILD FORT WORTH CONSTRUCTION EXPO.

The A&M System HUB Program plans to attend the *2025 Build Fort Worth Construction Expo* organized and hosted by the Regional Hispanic Contractors Association and the Fort Worth Hispanic Chamber of Commerce. Registration has not yet opened. More information is forthcoming.

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# GENERAL PROCUREMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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## [On AggieBid ↗](#)

Currently, there are [27](#) Business Opportunities posted on AggieBid.

*AggieBid is the Texas A&M University System's (A&M System) online bidding application which is used to administer Sourcing Events for the following TAMUS Members: Texas A&M University, Texas A&M University-Central Texas, Texas A&M University-Commerce, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi, Texas A&M University-Galveston, Texas A&M International University, Texas A&M University-Kingsville, Texas A&M University-QATAR, Texas A&M University-San Antonio, Texas A&M University School of Law, Texas A&M Health Science Center, Offices of the Texas A&M University System, Texas A&M AgriLife Research, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension, Texas A&M Engineering Experiment Station, Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service, Texas A&M Transportation Institute, Texas A&M Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory, Prairie View A&M University, Tarleton State University, and Texas Division of Emergency Management.*

\*Note: You must create an online account before responding to Invitations to Bid and Requests for Proposals within AggieBid. To create an account, [click here ↗](#). If you have questions or need assistance with the registration process, contact Vendor Help directly at **979-845-8286** or [vendorhelp@tamu.edu](mailto:vendorhelp@tamu.edu).

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## **On the Electric State Business Daily (ESBD) ↗**

Below are the A&M System's contracting opportunities currently posted on the ESBD under agency "710".

### **RESPONSE DUE | 2025 MAR 11**

Solicitation Title: [CAD, Mobile, LRMS and FRMS Software Solution ↗](#)

Solicitation ID: RFP01-CIO-25-219

Class/Item Codes:

20857-\*Law Enforcement Software, Microcomputer.

Solicitation Description:

The Texas A&M University System is seeking proposals for qualified vendors to provide the design, implementation and support of a commercial-off-the-shelf Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD), Mobile Computing application (Mobile), Report Writing, Law Enforcement Records Management System (LRMS), and Fire Records Management System (FRMS) to meet the needs of its universities and agencies.

### **RESPONSE DUE | 2025 MAR 11**

Solicitation Title: [Dental PPO Network - Request for Information ↗](#)

Solicitation ID: RFI01-SBA-25-234

Class/Item Codes:

94974-Self Insured Program, Dental.

Solicitation Description:

The Texas A&M University System is requesting responses to this Request for Information (RFI) regarding Dental PPO network. Through this RFI, the A&M System hopes to identify carriers with adequate Dental PPO network coverage in the areas where the A&M System has its member locations.

### **(NEW) RESPONSE DUE | 2025 MAR 11**

Solicitation Title: [A/E RFQ - Player Development Center at Blue Bell Park, Texas A&M University ↗](#)

Solicitation ID: RFQ-02-3448

Class/Item Codes:

90610-Buildings - Architectural Design; 90683-Sports Facility, Architectural Services; 90630-Fire Protection - Architectural Services; 90644-Heating; Ventilating; Air Conditioning - Architectural Services; 90658-Lighting (Interior, Exterior) - Architectural Services; 90678-Security Systems; Intruder And Smoke Detection - Architectural; 91802-Audio/Visual Consulting Services; 92517-Civil Engineering; 92539-Fire Protection Engineering; 92546-Geotechnical Engineering; 92558-Irrigation; Drainage; Flood Control/Engineering; 92567-Mechanical Engineering; 92581-Roofing, Engineering; 92588-Structural Engineering.

Solicitation Description:

The Texas A&M University System Office of Facilities Planning & Construction (FP&C) on behalf of the Board of Regents of The Texas A&M University System (Owner) and Texas A&M University are soliciting statements of qualifications for selection of an Architect/Engineer (A/E) firm for the Player Development Center at Blue Bell Park project (#02-3448) at Texas A&M University in College Station, Texas.

**(NEW) RESPONSE DUE | 2025 MAR 13**

Solicitation Title: **CMAR RFP - Player Development Center at Blue Bell Park, Texas A&M University** [↗](#)

Solicitation ID:  
RFP-02-3448

Class/Item Codes:

95826-Construction Management Services; 90903-Administration Of Contracts: Summary Of Work, Quality Control, Project Closeout, Etc.; 91148-C.I.P., Preconstruction Services; 91151-C.I.P., Project Management and Administration; 90916-Athletic Facility Construction.

Solicitation Description:

The Texas A&M University System Office of Facilities Planning & Construction (FP&C) on behalf of the Board of Regents of The Texas A&M University System (Owner) and Texas A&M University, is accepting proposals for the selection process to enter into a contract with a Construction Manager at Risk (CMAR) firm to provide pre-construction services such as constructability guidance, cost estimates, and construction schedules; provide a Guaranteed Maximum Price(GMP); and perform complete construction services consistent with the CMAR construction delivery process as utilized by The Texas A&M University System for the Player Development Center at Blue Bell Park project (#02-3448) at Texas A&M University in College Station, Texas.

**(NEW) RESPONSE DUE | 2025 MAR 18**

Solicitation Title: **Aircraft Broker Services** [↗](#)

Solicitation ID: RFQ01-SAIR-25-233

Class/Item Codes:

03520-Airplanes.

Solicitation Description:

The Texas A&M University System is soliciting statements of qualifications from firms regarding their experience and qualifications to provide broker services for the purchase of aircrafts on an as needed basis.

\*Note: For more information about and to connect with the HUB Program team at universities and agencies within the Texas A&M System, **[find their contact information here.](#)**

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## **CONSTRUCTION OPPORTUNITIES**

### **Introductory FP&C Meet & Greet | Ongoing**

The A&M System Office of Facilities Planning & Construction (FP&C) wants to connect Historically Underutilized Businesses (HUBs) to contract opportunities. Opportunities to introduce your company occur on Friday mornings and are by appointment only. If you want to introduce your company to the FP&C team, contact Joan Muniz at (979)458-7076 or [joan.muniz@tamus.edu](mailto:joan.muniz@tamus.edu) to schedule a meeting.

\*Note: For the most current list of published projects in the planning, design, and construction phases, **[visit the FP&C webpage.](#)**

### **AE / DB / CMAR Capital Projects | 2 currently bidding.**

**[A/E RFQ - Player Development Center at Blue Bell Park, Texas A&M University](#) - Response due 3/11/2025**

**[CMAR RFP - Player Development Center at Blue Bell Park, Texas A&M University](#) - Response due 3/13/2025**

See *SUBCONTRACTOR BIDDING RADAR* below for subcontracting opportunities.

**CSP Projects** | None currently bidding.

**SSC Projects** | 3 currently bidding. See below.

**RESPONSE DUE | 2025 FEB 25**

Solicitation Title: [Jack E. Brown Renovate 7th Floor Labs ↗](#)

Solicitation ID: SSC\_2024-06310

Class/Item Code:

90900-Building Construction Services, New (Incl. Maintenance And Repair Services)

Response Due Date: 2/25/2025 (DUE TODAY)

Project Documents Link: [eBuilder.net ↗](#)

Pre-Proposal Meeting:

January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 9:30 AM at SSC Service Solutions, Facilities Services EDCS, 1371 TAMU (Physical Address: 600 Agronomy Road), College Station, TX 77843, Room S118.

**RESPONSE DUE | 2025 MAR 04**

Solicitation Title: [Renovate Heldenfels Second and Fourth Floor Restrooms for ADA/TAS Bldg. 0521 ↗](#)

Solicitation ID: SSC\_2024-06433

Class/Item Code:

90900-Building Construction Services, New (Incl. Maintenance And Repair Services)

Response Due Date: 03/04/2025 (DUE NEXT WEEK)

Project Documents Link: [eBuilder.net ↗](#)

Pre-Proposal Meeting:

January 30<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM at SSC Service Solutions, Facilities Services EDCS, 1371 TAMU (Physical Address: 600 Agronomy Road), College Station, TX 77843, Room S118.

RESPONSE DUE | 2025 MAR 05

Solicitation Title: [Texas A&M University Wehner Building 1510 2nd Floor Office Renovations](#)

Solicitation ID: SSC\_2024-06452

Class/Item Code:

90900-Building Construction Services, New (Incl. Maintenance And Repair Services)

Response Due Date: 03/05/2025 (DUE NEXT WEEK)

Project Documents Link: [eBuilder.net](#)

Pre-Proposal Meeting:

February 4<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM at SSC Service Solutions, Facilities Services EDCS, 1371 TAMU (Physical Address: 600 Agronomy Road), College Station, TX 77843, Room S118.

\*Note: The SSC has an independent distribution list for construction opportunities on projects less than \$10M. To join that distribution list, contact Lisa Gray at [lisa.gray@sscserv.com](mailto:lisa.gray@sscserv.com) directly.

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## **SUBCONTRACTOR BIDDING RADAR |**

The A&M System has several capital projects with active and upcoming subcontracting opportunities throughout the state of Texas. See below for more information on current and anticipated activities.

**McCarthy Building Companies (McCarthy)** is currently accepting bids for scope packages on the *(Galveston Infrastructure, Dock Improvements, and Ship FF&E PH II project (#10-3354))*. **Scopes include** [General Works, Warehouse Demolition, Backlands/Site Improvements, Marine Structures, Utilities, Mechanical, Electrical/Telecomm, and Dredging](#). **Bids are due next week on March 6, 2025\* (corrected)**. For more information **and to be added to the bidders list**, contact Chuck Shive at [CShive@McCarthy.com](mailto:CShive@McCarthy.com).

**Vaughn Construction** **currently has an ITB open** for the *Teaching and Academic Support Services project (#05-3380)* in Prairie View, TX which **includes** the following scopes: Demolition, Earthwork, Site Utilities, Long Lead



Electrical Equipment, Foundations, and Tree Protection. **Bids are due next week on March 6, 2025.** A **second ITB is anticipated** to be released **on March 31, 2025**, and is anticipated to include structural steel. A third ITB is anticipated to be released on April 18, 2025, and is expected to include all other trades. The following scopes are anticipated: General Requirements, Selective Demolition; Concrete; Masonry; Metals; Woods, Plastics, and Composites; Thermal and Moisture Protection; Openings; Finishes; Specialties; Equipment; Furnishings; Conveying Equipment; Fire Suppression; Plumbing; HVAC; Communications; Electronic Safety and Security; Earthwork; and Exterior Improvements. All dates tentative. For more information **and to be added to the bidders list**, contact [Payton Smith](mailto:Payton.Smith@vaughnconstruction.com) at [psmith@vaughnconstruction.com](mailto:psmith@vaughnconstruction.com).

**Vaughn Construction** plans to release **multiple bid packages this year** for the *Veterinary Clinical Teaching & Research Complex (#02-3378)* in College Station, TX. **Bid package #2** is scheduled to be **released on February 28, 2025**, and is anticipated to include the following scopes: Earthwork, Site Utilities, Long Lead Electrical/Medical Equipment. **Bid package #3** is anticipated to be **released on May 12, 2025**, and is anticipated to include the following scopes: Concrete, Structural Steel, Elevators. **Bid package #4** is anticipated to be **released on July 30, 2025**, and is anticipated to include the following scopes: Skin, Interior Buildout, Site Work, Finishes. All dates tentative. Bid package scopes are subject to change. For more information **and to be added to the bidders list**, contact Yajaira Blas at [yblas@vaughnconstruction.com](mailto:yblas@vaughnconstruction.com), 979-446-3815, or Wayne Ibarra at [wibarra@vaughnconstruction.com](mailto:wibarra@vaughnconstruction.com), 281-865-9123.

**Vaughn Construction** plans to open **Bid Package #3** for the *Space Collaboration Facility project (#02-3417)* in Houston, TX **late this week or next week**. This package is anticipated to include the buildout/interiors scopes of work **including interior finishes, drywall, security, telecommunications, masonry, interior and exterior glazing, doors/frames/hardware, terrazzo, ceilings, epoxy flooring, and specialty scopes (blackout curtains and blinds)**. All dates are tentative. For more information **and to be added to the bidders list**, contact Jason Richards at [jrichards@vaughnconstruction.com](mailto:jrichards@vaughnconstruction.com).

**Vaughn Construction** plans to open **Bid Package #2** for the *Heldenfels 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Instructional Lab Renovation project (02-3423)* **this May**. The bid package is anticipated to include build out packages. All dates are tentative. For more information **and to be added to the bidders list**, contact Josh Saldivar at [jsaldivar@vaughnconstruction.com](mailto:jsaldivar@vaughnconstruction.com).

**Manhattan Construction** plans to open **Bid Package #1** for the *Lillian Street Dorm project (04-3415)* **this April**. This bid package is anticipated to include the following scopes: foundation and elevated structure, civil trades, site utilities, elevators, MEP systems (except fixtures and devices), and fire protection. Bid Package #2 is anticipated to open this November and will include the remainder of trades, including but not limited to the following: exterior facades, interior hollow metal framing, drywall, painting, doors/frames/hardware, interior and exterior glazing/frames, interior finishes, MEP systems (fixtures/devices), low voltage/security, and specialties. All dates are tentative. For more information **and to be added to the bidders list**, contact Cody Walston at [bwalston@manhattanconstruction.com](mailto:bwalston@manhattanconstruction.com).

**Hoar Construction** plans to open **Bid Package #1** for the *New Event Center/Arena project (21-3390)* **this March (next month)**. This bid package is anticipated to include the following scopes: cast-in-place concrete, structural steel, masonry, MEPP, IT cabling, and AV. All dates are tentative. For more information **and to be added to the**

bidders list, contact MC Mercer at [mcmercerc@hoar.com](mailto:mcmercerc@hoar.com) or 512-661-6466.

**Barcom Construction Company** plans to open **Bid Package #1** for the *Corpus Christi (TEEX) Workforce Development project (09-3436)* **this June**. This bid package is anticipated to include the following scopes: drywall/framing, ceilings, glazing, flooring, paint, mechanical, electrical, and fire alarm. All dates are tentative. For more information and to be added to the bidders list, contact Mike Douglas at [mike@barcomcc.com](mailto:mike@barcomcc.com).

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## **EVENT FLYERS**



**WORKSHOPS**

2:00PM



**ROUNDTABLES**

3:30PM - 5:15PM



**EXPO**

HARD HAT opens at 5:30PM



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# **2025 Texas A&M Co-Sponsored System Wide HUB Expo**

**Memorial Student Center  
Bethancourt Ballroom**

**April 22, 2025**

**1:00 PM - 4:00 PM**

**Certified Texas HUB Vendors ONLY**

Light Refreshments Provided

Please bring a \$50 door prize item

Registration and Parking are **FREE**

If for any reason Texas A&M has to close on this day the Expo will be cancelled. We will send out an email notifying everyone.

**Space will be limited to first come first served.**

To Register for a booth please fill out our registration form at <https://hub.tamu.edu/> and email it to [hubprogram@tamu.edu](mailto:hubprogram@tamu.edu).

**REGISTRATION ENDS MARCH 28, 2025**

Contact: Shawna Kennedy at [hubprogram@tamu.edu](mailto:hubprogram@tamu.edu)

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