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Happy New Year!! As of January 1, 2019, The Office of Small Business Assistance became the Office of Equal Business Opportunity (OEBO). On October 16, 2018, the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County adopted Ordinance 2-80.20 - Section 2.80-40, establishing the County's Equal Business Opportunity program. The new program is based on the 2018 Disparity Study and establishes a Small, Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprise (S/M/WBE) Program. Some of the highlights of the Program are as follows:

- Establishes a mandatory Small Business Enterprise (SBE) participation goal of 20% on all County contracts.
- An Affirmative Procurement Initiative (API) plan designed to encourage equitable utilization and greater participation of certified S/M/WBE businesses at the prime and subcontractor levels.
- Preference given to S/M/WBE businesses bidding as primes when responding to procurement opportunities.
- Additional points awarded to S/M/WBE primes when responding to Request for Proposals.



In addition, as of January 1, 2019, there will not be an application fee for certification, recertification or modification.

Although our name has changed, our service and commitment to our small, minority and woman-owned businesses have not. Our efforts remain to increase the participation of small, minority and women-owned business in the procurement of goods and services, and we encourage your continued efforts in learning more about doing business with Palm Beach County.

Palm Beach County Department of Environmental Resource Management

Palm Beach County's Department of Environmental Resources Management (ERM) is at the cutting edge of environmental restoration in the state of Florida. While not nearly the largest construction department in the county, ERM's construction and design contracts are often some of the most innovative in the county system due to different environmental considerations that often come into play.



The majority of ERM's construction contracts are in the Coastal Resources Management arena, performing beach renourishment and dune restoration. Other **ERM** projects involve environmental restoration work both in the marine/estuarine environment and freshwater habitats. ERM builds artificial reefs both offshore and in Lake Worth Lagoon by placing rock, concrete and scuttling vessels. Other restoration projects in Lake Worth Lagoon and the Loxahatchee River estuary involve both creating islands and re-grading existing islands to enhance mangrove and seagrass Freshwater restoration habitats.

projects occur in Palm Beach County Natural Areas and involve vegetation removal and re-grading to create, restore or enhance wetland systems. Many of ERM's restoration projects also involve some component of public use facility construction, including parking lots, pathways/trails, boardwalks, piers

and other wooden structures.

All these projects involve working in sensitive habitats, often alongside rare and protected plant and animal species. While ERM projects may seem daunting, they are also some of the most rewarding to work on, as many of their contractors enjoy revisiting "their" projects to see wildlife return to these restored habitats. Additionally, ERM projects often offer contractors opportunity to flex their creative muscles, as ERM projects have won local and national awards for their innovation and construction methodologies.





Over the past five years, ERM has maintained 58% SBE participation on over \$29 million in contracts awarded, and has had a selected contractor graduate from the SBE program. Looking forward, ERM currently has almost \$19 million of grant funding for upcoming restoration projects. For more information on ERM's projects, please visit www.pbcgov.com/erm, connect with them on Facebook and Instagram (@PBCERM) or call 561-233-2400.



SBE SPOTLIGHT: Alan Gerwig & Associates, Inc. Consulting Engineers

Alan Gerwig & Associates, Inc., is a small multidiscipline engineering firm that services both private and public clients with civil and structural engineering design and construction observation services. Although AGA is a small engineering firm, they have a wealth of experience in a variety of areas due to the makeup of senior engineering staff. Their projects vary widely in scope and market sectors, from industrial site

development, to K through 12 schools, and roads and bridges to private commercial developments. Perhaps the most unique service AGA provides is in the design of concrete ready-mix plants. They also have on staff the state's leading expert in masonry construction and provide expert forensic and construction defect investigation reporting. A recent project they are very proud of is the sustainable site design performed for Palm Beach State College's new Loxahatchee Groves Campus. design incorporated pervious concrete pavement and bio swales. This serves to reduce the quantity of storm water runoff as well as the amount of pollutants that can enter the surface and ground water systems.





Alan Gerwig formed AGA in 1998 and celebrated their 20th anniversary in April of 2018. In 2003 they received their first SBE certification and have been a Palm Beach County Certified Small Business ever since. Much of AGA's success in serving Palm Beach County is a direct benefit from being SBE certified and because of the efforts of the OEBO staff. The staff are very passionate about helping small businesses thrive and provide the tools and assistance needed to be competitive with larger businesses in the County.

AGA has nine employees, with four of them being licensed professional engineers and one engineer intern, and is in Wellington, where they first started. Whether serving as an SBE subconsultant to a larger firm on a County project or the prime consultant, their passion is the same, to deliver a successful project to their clients by bringing the science and art of engineering to each project in a way that the client will view as a success.

Welcome Small Business Enterprises!

SBE Firms Certified or Recertified between October 1 and December 31, 2018

A-1 Balers & Compactors, LLC Lizzet Serrano 561-792-3350 a1balers@msn.com	S/M/WBE* Hispanic	 Hydraulic Pump, Hydraulic Motor, Valves, Gauges, etc. Maintenance and Repair Machinery and Heavy Hardware (Not Lawn Equipment) Maintenance and Repair Refuse and Garbage/Dumping Equipment Maintenance and Repair Welding Services, Agricultural, Heavy Industrial and Similar Equipment (Not Otherwise Classified)
All American Welding & Maintenance, Inc. John Martel 561-653-1177 Johnm.aaw@gmail.com	SBE*	 Steel, Fabricated: Beams, Gabions, Grating, Walkways, Window Bars, and Custom-Made Steel items Tubing, Mechanical, Steel: Rectangular, Round, Square, etc. Metal Work Maintenance and Repair Services, Including Metal Refinishing Services Welding Maintenance and Repair Services: Brazing, Casting, and Soldering Metal Work Welding
Alan Gerwig & Associates, Inc. Alan Gerwig 561-792-9000 agerwig@aga-engineering.com	SBE*	 Engineering Consulting Civil Engineering Structural Engineering
Anzco Inc. John Zak 561-699-3602 jzak@anzcoinc.com	SBE	 Masonry, Concrete and Stucco Maintenance, Finishing, and Repair Services Including Inside Concrete Sawing and Grouting Work Wall and Ceiling Maintenance, Repair and Replacement Services, Including Drywalling Construction, Curb & Gutter (Includes Maintenance, Repair & Removal) Construction, Sidewalk and Driveway (Includes Pedestrian and Handicap Ramps)
Architecture Green, LLC Mark Beatty 561-398-2109 msb@architecturegreenllc.com	SBE	 Architect Services, Professional, (Not Otherwise Classified), Including Consulting Interior Design, Decorating, Space Planning, Exhibits and Displays Planning, Site, Installation and Project Energy Conservation Consulting Services
Be.Lead.Grow., LLC Angela Shuttlesworth 561-889-9199 DrAMS@BeLeadGrow.com	S/M/WBE* Black	 Business Consulting Organizational Development Consulting Public Speaking Services
Bin Medics, LLC Fred Gamble 561-500-2467 info@cleanwasteindustries.com	S/MBE* Black	 Container Maintenance & Repair Services Cleaning Services, Steam and Pressure
Changes Wellness and Recovery Center, LLC Monique Wellons 561-899-9140 mowellons@changescenter.org	S/M/WBE* Black	 Human Services Consulting Alcohol and Drug Detoxification and Rehab Services Alcohol and Drug Testing Services
Contin Development Group Juan Contin 561-249-4007 sai@continstudio.com	SBE*	 Architect Services, Professional, (Not Otherwise Classified), Including Consulting Buildings - Architectural Design Planning, Site, Installation and Project Architectural Services, Non-Licensed (Not Otherwise Classified) Design Services



Current Connections, Inc.	SBE	Wiring and Other Electrical Maintenance and Repair Services
Donald Sharkey 561-863-0010		Electrical
office@currentconnections.net		
DeJong Construction, LLC	S/WBE	Post-Tensioned Type Reinforcing Systems (for Concrete Slabs)
Joyce DeJong		Steel, Reinforcing, Mesh
561-801-2871		
Jdejong64@yahoo.com	0/24/25	
Economic Solution Services, Inc.	S/M/WBE*	Accounting, Auditing, Budget Consulting
Derline Pierre-Louis	Black	Business Consulting
561-251-1265 info@EconomicSolutionServices.com		Accounting and Billing Services, Including Payroll Services, 3 rd Party
into@economicsolutionservices.com		Reimbursement for Medicare, Medicaid, Private Insurance, Etc.
		Accounting Services (Not otherwise Classified)
Engecon Construction, Inc.	SBE	Construction, General: Backfill Services, Digging, Ditching, Road Grading,
Robert Waite		Rock Stabilization, etc.
561-585-1565		Construction Management Services
Engeconconstruction@gmail.com		
Engineered Design Services, LLC	S/MBE*	Architectural Services, Non-Licensed (Not Otherwise Classified)
Craig McKenzie	Black	Engineering Services, Non-Licensed (Not Otherwise Classified), Including
813-816-0301		Consulting
contact@edsengineers.com		Engineering Consulting
		Transportation Consulting
		Bridge Engineering
		Civil Engineering
		Electrical Engineering, Including Cogeneration Design Services
		Engineering Services, (Not Otherwise Classified)
		Facilities Design Services, Engineering
		Mechanical Engineering
		Structural Engineering
Habana Excavating, Inc.	SBE	Clearing and Grubbing Services
Henry Rodriguez		Excavation Services
561-689-0058		
Habanaexcavating@comcast.net		Hauling Services
un et et e e	CDE	
Hillers Electrical Engineering, Inc.	SBE	Programming Services, Computer, Including Mobile Device Applications
Paul Hillers 561-451-9165		System Implementation and Engineering Services
phillers@hillersee.com		Control Systems Engineering
prinicis@riniersee.com		Electrical Engineering, Including Cogeneration Design Services
		Instrumentation Engineering
		Inspection Services, Construction Type
		Inspection Services, Electrical Instrumentation and Control
Hi-Tech Roofing & Sheetmetal, Inc.	SBE*	Roofing, Gutters, and Downspouts Maintenance and Repair
Michael Daley		Roofing and Siding
561-586-3110		Roofing Consultant
estimating@hi-techroofing.com		
Irma Robinson, Inc.	S/M/WBE*	Interior Design Services (Architectural)
Irma Robinson	Hispanic	Space Planning, Interior Design
312-787-1287		Drafting Services
irobinson@iri-cepco.com		C.I.P. Project Management and Administration
Kolmin Global Inc	S/M/WBE*	
Kolmio Global, Inc. TaRhonda Harvey	Black	Graphic Arts Services (Not Printing)
561-762-7554	Diack	Web Page Design, Maintenance and Management Services
info@kolmioglobal.com		Business Consulting
		Marketing Consulting
		Graphic Design Services for Printing



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LEPTON WAVE d/b/a TECH SOURCE	SBE*	Police Test Equipment and Supplies
Hal Brunman		Police Equipment Maintenance and Repair
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David Lidberg 561-746-8454		Mapping & Geographical Information Systems (GIS) Services
kristen@lidberg.net	S/MBE*	
Mark Escoffery, P.A. Mark Escoffery	Black	Accounting, Auditing, Budget Consulting
561-627-1404	DIACK	Audit Services
escofferypa@gmail.com		Certified Public Accountant (CPA) Services
esconerypa@gman.com		Tax Services, Including Tax Preparation, Advisory Services, etc.
Madsen-Barr Corporation	SBE	Excavation Services
John Barr		Construction, Utility and Underground Projects
561-753-6363		Maintenance and Repair, Utility and Underground Projects
madsenbarr@earthlink.net		manite name and nepath) canal and enderground majests
Midds, Inc.	SBE	Mailing Services (Includes, Addressing, Collating, Packaging, Sorting and
Roger Manning		Delivery)
561-586-6220		Graphic Design Services for Printing
Roger@BanyanPrinting.com		Bar Code Printing
		Bumper Stickers, etc.: Printed
		Business Cards Printed
		Card Printing: Tab, Post, Form, etc.
		Siresia Francisco
		Continuous Form Printing
		Copying Services (Reproduction)
		Decal Printing
		Envelope and Mailer Printing
		Forms Printing (Not Continuous)
		Letterheads Printed
		Numbering Services, Printing
		 Offset Printing, Large Production Runs (Quant. up to \$100,000); 4 Color Process or Close Registration Required
		Offset Printing, Booklets, Saddle Stitch Binding (Quantities under)
		100,000): Books and Magazines
		Paper Cutting, Drilling, Folding, Punching, Shredding, Trimming, etc.
		Printing on Recycled Stock
		Print on Demand Printing Services (Including Print and Distribute
		Services)
		 Security Paper, Custom Printed (Quan. over 100,000)
		Snap Out Form Printing
		Specialty Printing: Die Cutting, Laser, Plastic, Thermography, etc.
		 Tickets, Special Labels and Tapes, Printed (Not Continuous), For Prescription Drugs, etc., (Pressure Sensitive or Dry Gummed Adhesion
N.O. D. Construction and Development	C/NADE	Flats, Rolls
N & P Construction and Development, Inc. Orestes Piedra	S/MBE	Clearing and Grubbing Services
561-318-7575	Hispanic	Demolition Services
<u>Apiedra80@yahoo.com</u>		Excavation Services
Apical add wyalloo.com		Construction Management Services
		Grading (Of Parking Lots, etc Not Road Building)



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P & L Corporate Solutions, LLC Paula Humber	S/M/WBE* Black	Manuals: Parts, Personnel, Policy, Purchasing, Training, etc. (Not Otherwise Classified)
954-461-3357		Administrative Support, Consulting Services
phumber@pl-cs.com		Compliance Consulting, including ADA
		Education and Training, Consulting
		Employee Benefits Consulting
		E-mail Archiving and Records Management Consulting
		Human Resources, Relations Consulting
		Management Consulting
		Marketing Consulting
		Research and Evaluation, Human Services, Including Productivity Audits
Pacifica Engineering Services, LLC	S/MBE*	Geotechnical – Soils
Wesley Foster	Black	Testing Services
561-693-8093		Consulting Services (Not Otherwise Classified)
Wesley.foster@pacificaes.com		Environmental Consulting
		Geological Consulting and Study
		Geotechnical Engineering
		Inspecting, General/Engineering
		Lead and Asbestos Inspection Services
Palmwood Corp., Inc.	SBE	Site Clean-Up, Pre-Construction
John Cleary		Site Clean-Up, Post-Construction
561-844-8740		Site Work
palmwood@bellsouth.net		Clearing and Grubbing Services
		Pile Driving Services
		Construction, Hike and Bike Trail
		Demolition Services
		Construction, Pipeline, Including Aerial Crossings
		Construction, Figure, including Aerial Crossings Construction, Sewer and Storm Drain
		Construction, Sewer and Storm Brain Construction, Special Foundation
		Construction, Special Foundation Construction and Upgrades, Wastewater Treatment Plant
		Lime Slurry Removal Services
		I maintenance and richam, sinages
		The manner and mepany canal
		Maintenance and Repair, Sidewalk and Driveway Including Removal Construction Management Services
		Construction Management Services Desclarate Construction Maintenance and Banaire
		Breakwater Construction, Maintenance, and Repair Construction Construction
		Construction Services, General Marine Construction Services, General Marine
		Reef Services, Artificial Wyterforet Construction Considers Blanch Backing at a hadralise.
		Waterfront Construction Services: Piers, Docks, Decking, etc., Including Maintenance and Repair.
		Maintenance and Repair Construction Equipment (Not Otherwise Classified) Rental or Lease
		Earth Moving Equipment, Graders, Dozers, Loaders, etc. Rental or Lease Force and the Control of Contr
DD Marketine Crown LLC	C/MADE*	Equipment with operator, Rental or Lease
PB Marketing Group, LLC Patrick Benoit	S/MBE* Black	Badges, Emblems, Name Tags and Plates, Etc. Signature of the Control of
561-658-9152	Diack	Display, Exhibit, And Promotional Materials
patrick@printingandbranding.com		Promotional Products – Advertising Specialties
		Display, Exhibit, and Promotional Items
		Awards, Trophies, Collectibles, etc.
		Printing and Typesetting Services
Power of Ten Consulting	S/WBE*	Business Consulting
Patti Hamilton		Public Relations Consulting
561-373-1264		Marketing Consulting
pattihamilton@msn.com		Strategic Planning and Consulting Services

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Sequil Systems, Inc. Jeffrey Conley 561-921-0900 jeff@sequil.com	SBE	• Ei	nergy Conservation Consulting Service
Smith Engineering Consultants, Inc.	SBE*	• Et	ngineering Consulting
Larry Smith			ectrical Engineering Including Cogeneration Design Services
561-616-3911			ectrical Engineering
larry@smithengineeringconsultants.com			ngineer Services, Professional
			lechanical Engineering
Southern Printing & Marketing, Inc.	SBE*		romotional Products - Advertising Specialties
William Pittard			raphic Design Services for Printing
561-968-6661			rinting and Typesetting Services
soprma@bellsouth.net			usiness Cards Printed
		• 0	ffset Printing, General, Small Press Work (Quan. up to 25,000), One or
		M	lore Colors, No 4 Color Processes or Large Solids or Close Registration;
		• 0	ffset Printing, Booklets, Saddle Stitch Binding (Quantities under
			00,000): Books and Magazines
			Ik Screen Printing
Statewide Construction Services, Inc. William Larue	SBE*		onstruction, Sidewalk and Driveway (Includes Pedestrian and
561-333-1865			andicap Ramps)
Concreteguy77@yahoo.com			onstruction, Vertical, Concrete, Pour-In-Place, Form/Place/Finish
			laintenance and Repair, Sidewalk and Driveway Including Removal
Steller Dusiness Davidenment Systems IIC	S/M/WBE*		oncrete
Stellar Business Development Systems, LLC Pamela Frazier	Black		usiness Consulting
561-517-8003	Diack		ublic Relations Consulting
Pamela@StellarBDS.com			ommunity Development Consulting
			larketing Consulting
			ecurity/Safety Consulting
			ransportation Consulting ecorating Services for Holidays, Parties or Events
Stephen L. Boruff A1A Architects & Planners, Inc.	SBE		rchitect Services, Professional, (Not Otherwise Classified), Including
Erin Nastri	352		onsulting
561-471-8520			anning, Urban, Community, Regional, Area wide and State
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Superior Waterway Services, Inc.	SBE	● Er	nvironmental Consulting Services
Chris York		• A	quatic Plants
561-844-0248		• La	akes, Rivers and Other Waterways Management Consulting Services
cyork@superiorwaterway.com			/eed and Vegetation Control (Including Trees, Shrubs and Aquatic /eed Control)
Sustainscape, Inc.	S/WBE	• Er	nvironmental Consulting
Tiffany Hughes			orticultural Consulting
561-245-5305			andscaping Consulting
tiffany@sustainscapeflorida.com			ertilizer and Soil Products
		• Er	rosion Control Services
		• Fl	ood Control Services
		• Fl	ora Protection Services
			rounds and Roadside Maintenance: Mowing, Edging, Plant, Not Tree rimming, etc.
		• La	andscaping, Including Design, Fertilizing, Planting, etc., Not Grounds laintenance or Tree Trimming Services
			est Control, Other Than Buildings, Including Spraying Trees and Shrubs
			ree Trimming and Pruning Services
			/eed and Vegetation Control, Including Trees, Shrubs and Aquatic
			/eed Control



Synergy Solutions Group, LLC	S/MBE*	Accounting and Billing Services, Including Payroll Services, 3 rd Party
Tradrick McCoy	Black	Reimbursement for Medicare, Medicaid, Private Insurance, Etc.
561-304-9066		Notary Public Services
info@synergysolutionsgroup.org		Tax Services, Including Tax Preparation, Advisory Services, etc.
		 Health/Hospitalization Insurance (Including Dental and Visual) Insurance and Insurance Services
		Life Insurance Proper Company Company
Tests and Can Creations	C/NA/NA/DE*	Process Server Services
Taste and See Creations d/b/a Serena Cerbone	S/M/WBE* Black	• Fruits, Citrus
Serena Cerbone	Diack	Table coverings, Food Service
561-255-0591		Cakes, cookies, and pastries
nfo@tasteandseecreations.com		Doughnuts, Fried Pies, and Bagels
		• Muffins
		• Pies
		Desserts, Except Cake and Pastry
		Food Service Consulting
T C L M Enterprise, Inc.	SBE	Excavation Services
Christina Love Basile		Construction, Utility and Underground Projects
561-248-1470		Maintenance and Repair, Utility and Underground Projects
tclmtina@gmail.com	C/2.455*	
The Carpenter's Son Inc.	S/MBE*	Doors and Windows
Roderick McClendon 561-452-2191	Black	Finishes: Flooring, Wall And Ceiling, Etc.
remmcclendon@aol.com		Maintenance and Repair, Non-Residential Building
Terrificciendon@aoi.com		Maintenance and Repair, Residential Buildings, Including Single Family
		Homes and Apartments
		Maintenance and Repair, Commercial and Institutional Building
		Carpentry, Maintenance and Repair Services
		Door Installation, Metal, Maintenance and Repair Services
		Door Installation, Wood, Maintenance and Repair Services
		Glass Replacement, Maintenance and Repair Services
		Building Maintenance Services (Not Otherwise Classified)
		Window, Metal, Installation, Maintenance and Repair Services
		Window, Wood, Installation, Maintenance and Repair Services
		Carpentry
		• Concrete
		Painting and Wallpapering
Thompson & Youngross Engineering	SBE	Electrical Engineering
Consultants, LLC	000	Mechanical Engineering
Daniel Thompson		Wechanical Engineering
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Tierra South Florida, Inc.	S/MBE*	Core Drilling Services, Pavement
Raj Krishnasamy	Asian	Geotechnical Foundation Drill Services
561-719-6902		Geotechnical Drilling and Boring Services
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		Quality Control Testing Services for Construction
Tomasello Consulting Engineers, Inc.	SBE	Civil Engineering
Richard Tomasello		Environmental Engineering
561-575-3910		Water Supply Plant Operating and Monitoring System Services
dixietom@aol.com		- Water Supply Flant Operating and Monitoring System Services
Triton Electric Company	SBE	Wiring and Other Electrical Maintenance and Repair Services
James Joyce		Electrical
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UR3ANA, LLC Yexsy Schomberg 561-602-1225 yexsy@UR3ANA.com	S/M/WBE* Hispanic	 Planning, Urban, Community, Regional, Area wide and State Business Consulting Real Estate and Land Consulting, Including Land Survey Consulting and Land Developers Urban Planning Consulting
uSaveLED, LLC Harry Zuker 561-672-7020 hzuker@usaveled.com	SBE*	 Lamps: Fluorescent, Incandescent, Mercury Vapor, Quartz and Sodium Vapor Lighting Fixtures, Indoor: All Kinds and Parts, Including Lampholders and Recycled Types Lighting, Area, Pole or Standard Mounted, Parking Lots, etc. Lighting Fixtures, Outdoor: Floodlights, Spotlights, Yard Lights, and All Other Weatherproof Fixtures, Except Streetlights, Including Recycled Types Lighting, Solar Powered Lighting Units, Emergency, Battery Operated; and Batteries Street and Highway Lighting Luminaires, Accessories and Parts Lamps, Lighting, Lens, and Signals, Interior and Exterior Lamps and Lighting, Interior and Exterior Stadium Lighting Equipment and Light Poles Lighting Distribution Hardware: Borderlight Cables, Pipe Battens, Plugging Strips and Boxes, Wall and Floor Pockets, etc. Lighting Instruments: Border and Cyclorama Striplights, Follow Spotlights, Floodlights, Special Effects Lighting, Spotlights, etc. Lighting Systems, Complete Lighting, Interior, Exterior, Architectural Services Lighting Services for Parks, Athletic Fields, Parking Lots, etc.
Williams Professional Water Restoration Service, LLC Tena Williams 866-491-4324 WPWRS1965@gmail.com	S/MBE* Black	 Carpet Cleaning Services Fire and/or Water Damage Restoration Services Remediation Services, Environmental, Including Rehabilitation Services Hazardous Waste and Mold Remediation
Wuyke Enterprises, LLC Raiza Iverson 561-577-2884 Raiza.wuyke@gmail.com	S/M/WBE* Hispanic	Janitorial and Custodial Services

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Resources for Your Business

AGENCY	SERVICES PROVIDED	PHONE	WEBSITE	
Center For Enterprise Opportunity (CEO) Formerly Business Loan Fund Of The Palm Beaches	Entrepreneurial institute program that provides easy access to in-house general and specific subject matter experts at low or no cost to the business customer. Areas of expertise include, but are not limited to, accounting, business management, business development, relationship marketing, branding, customer service, business structuring and strategy.	561.478.2337	www.ceoventures.org	
Florida Department Of Business And Professional Regulation (DBPR)	Licensing and regulating businesses and professionals in the State of Florida, such as cosmetologists, veterinarians, real estate agents and pari-mutuel wagering facilities.	850.487.1395	www.Myfloridalicense.com/dbpr	
Florida Department Of Agriculture And Consumer Services	Licensing for security firms, plant/agriculture industry, food industry, etc.	800.435.7352	www.freshfromflorida.com	
Florida Department Of Revenue	General tax administration and property tax oversight.	800.352.3671	www.Dor.myflorida.com	
Global Business Development Center	Business coaching and workshops, leadership sales and service training, virtual office and administrative services	561.894.4500	www.globalbusinessdevelopmentcenter.com	
Paragon FL	Paragon services include, but are not limited to, financial assistance, tools, support and advocacy for businesses from underserved communities.	561.282.1888	www.paragonfl.org	
PBC Consumer Affairs	Investigate, negotiate, and mediate consumer complaints against businesses with a goal of avoiding any future conflicts and misunderstandings. We protect consumers and businesses from unlawful, deceptive and unfair trade practices by the enforcement of existing ordinance laws and regulations.	561.712.6600	www.pbcgov.com/publicsafety/consumeraffairs	
PBC Engineering and Public Works	Roadside Vendor Permits, Certificates of Competency for Specialty Trades, Contractor Certification, etc.	561.233.5000	www.pbcgov.com/engineering	
PBC Department Of Economic Sustainability	Bonds, Grants, Loans, Taxes, Program Coordination, etc.	561.233.3600	www.pbcgov.com/des	
PBC Tax Collector	Business Tax Receipts (Previously named Occupational License).	561.355.2264	www.pbctax.com	
SCORE	Small business advice, business mentoring, resource tools, templates, etc.	561.833.1672	www.score.org	
Small Business Development Center (SBDC) at Florida Atlantic University	Assist small businesses with financial, marketing, production, organization, engineering and technical problems and feasibility studies. Special SBDC programs and economic development activities include international trade assistance, technical assistance, procurement assistance, venture capital formation and rural development.	954.762.5235	https://sbdc.fau.edu	
TED Center	Technical support, information technology, real estate development, training, business networking and access to funding.	561.265.3790	www.tedcenter.org	

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SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST II, ANGELA D. SMITH



Angela D. Smith is a graduate from Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University where she received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Economics. She has gained over 20 years of working knowledge in the field of Civil Rights and Equal Opportunity as a Compliance Investigator for government entities such as the Florida Commission on Human Relations and Palm Beach County Office of Equal Opportunity, as well as non-profit organizations such as the Legal Aid Society of Palm Beach County. Her passion for equality continues, affording her the opportunity to work with a great team at the Palm Beach County Office of Equal Business Opportunity (OEBO) as a Small Business Development Specialist (SBDS) II. At the OEBO, she performs certification reviews of new and recertified Small, Minority and/or Woman-Owned Businesses, conducts compliance reviews of contracts that utilize those S/M/WBE businesses, and occasionally serves as a speaker on panel discussions on OEBO programs and S/M/WBE utilization.