



## **KING COUNTY CONTRACTING OPPORTUNITIES PROGRAM** **Regional Small Contractor & Supplier (SCS) Certification**

The goal of the King County Contracting Opportunities Program is to increase the competitiveness of certified SCS businesses in pursuing King County Funded contracts as contractors, consultants, and suppliers through a variety of incentive programs.

*Partner agencies: Port of Seattle, Sound Transit, Seattle Colleges*

### **KING COUNTY SCS INCENTIVE PROGRAMS**

#### **Good and Services**

- Purchases under \$10,000: Goal of 50% of purchases from SCS firms.
- Purchases between \$10,000 and \$49,999: Require quotes from three companies with at least one quote from an SCS firm.
- Purchases \$50,000+: A Fair Market Range Percentage Incentive is used to provide opportunities for small businesses to be competitive on low bid procurements.
- The Small Business Accelerator: Can be used for technical services contracts and enables certain procurements to be set aside for certified SCS firms.

#### **A&E and Professional Consulting**

- Percentage of work required to go to SCS firms.
- A/E Evaluation points awarded for meeting SCS requirements.

#### **Construction Contracts**

- Percentage of the contract dollar amount required to go to SCS firms.

#### **For more information:**

King County Contracting Opportunities Program

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#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

- ✓ Business size not to exceed 50% of the SBA's current size standards ([SBA Size Standards](#))
- ✓ Personal net worth for each owner not to exceed \$1.32M (excluding your primary residence and equity in the certifying business)
- ✓ Valid Federal Tax Identification Number (TIN) and Washington State Unified Business Identification (UBI) number
- ✓ Complete 15 hours of business training during the first year of certification

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**No Cost to Apply!**