

2009 Conference Highlights

FEATURED SELLERS

CRI Advantage, Inc. (CRI)

A Boise and Idaho Falls-based information technology (IT) consulting firm, has been awarded the U.S. Department of Energy's 2008 Small Business of the Year award for "creative, unique, and extraordinary performance" in support of the DOE's Idaho National Laboratory's mission objectives and requirements.



McMillen, LLC

A woman owned 8(a) firm based in Boise, Idaho, that provides a unique business organization maintaining engineering, environmental and natural resources, and construction services within one firm. Through strategic hiring, marketing and hard work, they have developed a company with more than 35 employees, earning more than \$5 million annually and executing projects throughout the Pacific Northwest. Recent awards include:

- Boise Metro Chamber of Commerce 2009 Small Business of the Year
- Small Business Administration, 2009 Small Business Person of the Year
- Ranked 1003 Fastest Growing Firm in the Nation in Inc. Magazines top 5000
- Also within that ranking made the 10th Fastest Growing Engineering Firm in the Nation, by Inc. Magazines top 5000



AN EXCELLENT ONE-DAY OPPORTUNITY

Meet with purchasing professionals from many of the Northwest's largest corporations and government agencies. Connect with them individually to learn how your products and services match up with their purchasing needs.

An excellent opportunity for manufacturers, contractors, distributors and service providers.

Attend your choice of seminars throughout the day offering techniques and ideas to improve your business.

Seminars include:

- INL – Small Business Vision, Accomplishments and Opportunities
- GSA – How to get on Schedule
- Wide Area Work Flow (WAWF) Reporting
- VIPR (Virtual Incident Procurement), Who, What, When & How
- Introduction to Procurement/SBA Certifications
- CH2M-WG Idaho, LLC (CWI) Subcontracting and Small Business Program

FEATURED BUYERS

Idaho National Laboratory

The U.S. Department of Energy recognized Dana Storms as the 2008 Small Business Program Manager of the Year for her Commitment to partnering small businesses with the Idaho National Laboratory. Her dedication resulted in nearly \$300 million in total awards and \$155 million issued to small businesses this year. INL is one of the DOE's 10 multi-program national laboratories.



Portage

Engineering News Record (ENR) has ranked Portage

- #7 in Top Nuclear Waste Management Firms
- #20 in All-Environmental Firms and
- #66 in overall listing of Top 200 Environmental Firms



WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

All Idaho businesses looking for new customers and expanded sales. It's a one-day conference that manufacturers, contractors, service providers and distributors will find productive and rewarding.

AGENDA

November 4, 2009

7:30 am – 9:00 am

Seller Registration/Continental Breakfast

8:00 am – 9:00 am

Orientation/Opening Remarks/Speaker

9:05 am – 11:15 am

Meet the Buyers/Seminars

11:30 am – 1:00 pm

Lunch/Sponsor Address/Keynote Speaker

1:15 pm – 3:00 pm

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For more information contact the IBN Staff at 208-334-2470

EVENT LOCATION

Nampa Civic Center, 311 Third St.
South, Nampa, ID 83651
Free parking

Hampton Inn & Suites
5750 E. Franklin Rd., Nampa ID
Reservations: 208-442-0036

LOCAL HOTELS

Holiday Inn Express
4104 E. Flamingo Ave, Nampa, ID
Reservations: 1-800-HOLIDAY or
208-466-4045

Fairfield Inn & Suites Marriott
16150 North Midland Blvd.,
Nampa, ID
Reservations: 208-467-5888



TO REGISTER GO TO

www.idahoworks.com/PTAC Then click on
"Seller Registration"

Conference registration for Idaho businesses is \$45 per person on or before October 26, 2009 and \$55 per person after October 26, 2009. There will be a convenience fee added to the total registration cost.

Registration fee covers all seminars, access to all buyers and purchasing agents, continental breakfast and lunch.

Cancellations are accepted until October 27. No refunds after that date.

PAST PARTICIPATING BUYERS HAVE INCLUDED

Aerojet
 Bechtel Bettis Incorporated
 Bechtel BWXT Idaho
 Bechtel National Inc
 National Interagency Fire Center
 Boise Cascade
 Boise State University
 Bureau of Land Management
 Bureau of Reclamation
 Buy Idaho, Inc.

CH2M-WG Idaho, LLC (CWI)
 City of Boise
 Department of Homeland Security/OSDBU
 Division of Public Works
 Division of Purchasing
 Fluor Hanford
 General Services Administration (GSA)
 Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation
 Idaho Dept. of Environmental Quality
 Idaho Dept. of Health & Welfare
 Idaho National Laboratory
 Idaho State University

Idaho TechConnect
 Idaho Transportation Department
 Idaho Transportation Department-DBE Supportive Services
 Naval Undersea Warfare Center
 NAVFAC NW
 Ogden Air Logistics Center/Hill AFB
 University of Idaho
 URS
 US Army Corps of Engineers
 US Department of State
 US Small Business Administration
 US Air Force, Mountain Home AFB
 US Environmental Protection Agency
 US Forest Service Idaho Wyoming Acquisition Service Center
 VA Medical Center
 Washington Closure Hanford, LLC



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 Formerly the Governor's Business Opportunity Conference

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