



## The State of Oklahoma needs YOU and your business!

State government is fiscally responsible for bringing the best value to our state. We do this by soliciting and purchasing quality products and services at the most competitive prices. We encourage you to join the thousands of businesses currently providing goods and services to Oklahoma state government. We hope the information below helps bridge the connection.

### HOW CAN MY BUSINESS BE INVOLVED?

Oklahoma state entities routinely solicit for goods and services to meet their needs. Procurement solicitation opportunities are posted on the [OMES website](#), as well as on individual state agency websites. Additionally, state government solicits and awards statewide contracts for a broad range of goods and services available to all state government entities. Award of a statewide contract significantly reduces the need for direct sales and repeat competitive solicitation response.

### WHY SHOULD I REGISTER WITH THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA?

The supplier registration process will allow your organization to be notified when the State of Oklahoma has opportunities for the purchase of specific goods and services that you will select during the registration process. While registration is not required to respond to a solicitation, suppliers are required to be registered with the state prior to receiving an award.

### HOW DO I REGISTER TO BECOME A SUPPLIER WITH THE STATE?

Businesses can register online at [vendors.ok.gov](#). When registering, businesses will choose the appropriate UNSPSC category(s) code for relevant goods and services. At least one active category code registration is required prior to contract award or contract renewal.

Information required at time of registration includes, but is not limited to:

- Active business registration or exemption with the Oklahoma Secretary of State.
- Active sales and use permit with the Oklahoma Tax Commission.
- Certificate of Liability Insurance.
- Direct deposit enrollment.

For additional information and resources or to register, please visit the OMES Vendor Registration website at [vendors.ok.gov](#).

### WHERE DO I FIND OKLAHOMA PROCUREMENT SOLICITATION OPPORTUNITIES?

Solicitation opportunities through OMES Central Purchasing can be viewed on the [Solicitations webpage](#). Some state agencies post the solicitations issued under the agency's authority on their individual agency webpages. Solicitation opportunities relating to build design and construction services can be viewed on the [OMES Capital Assets Management Construction and Properties webpage](#).

### WHERE CAN I REVIEW AVAILABLE STATEWIDE CONTRACTS?

Current statewide contracts can be viewed on the [Contract Search webpage](#).

### HOW DO I BECOME A SUPPLIER ON A STATEWIDE CONTRACT?

Typically, once a contract has been established, no supplier can be added to it. If and when the contract comes up for rebid, you would have the opportunity to respond to the open solicitation to become one of the awarded vendors.

**If you have questions that haven't been answered here, please email [central.purchasing@omes.ok.gov](mailto:central.purchasing@omes.ok.gov).**