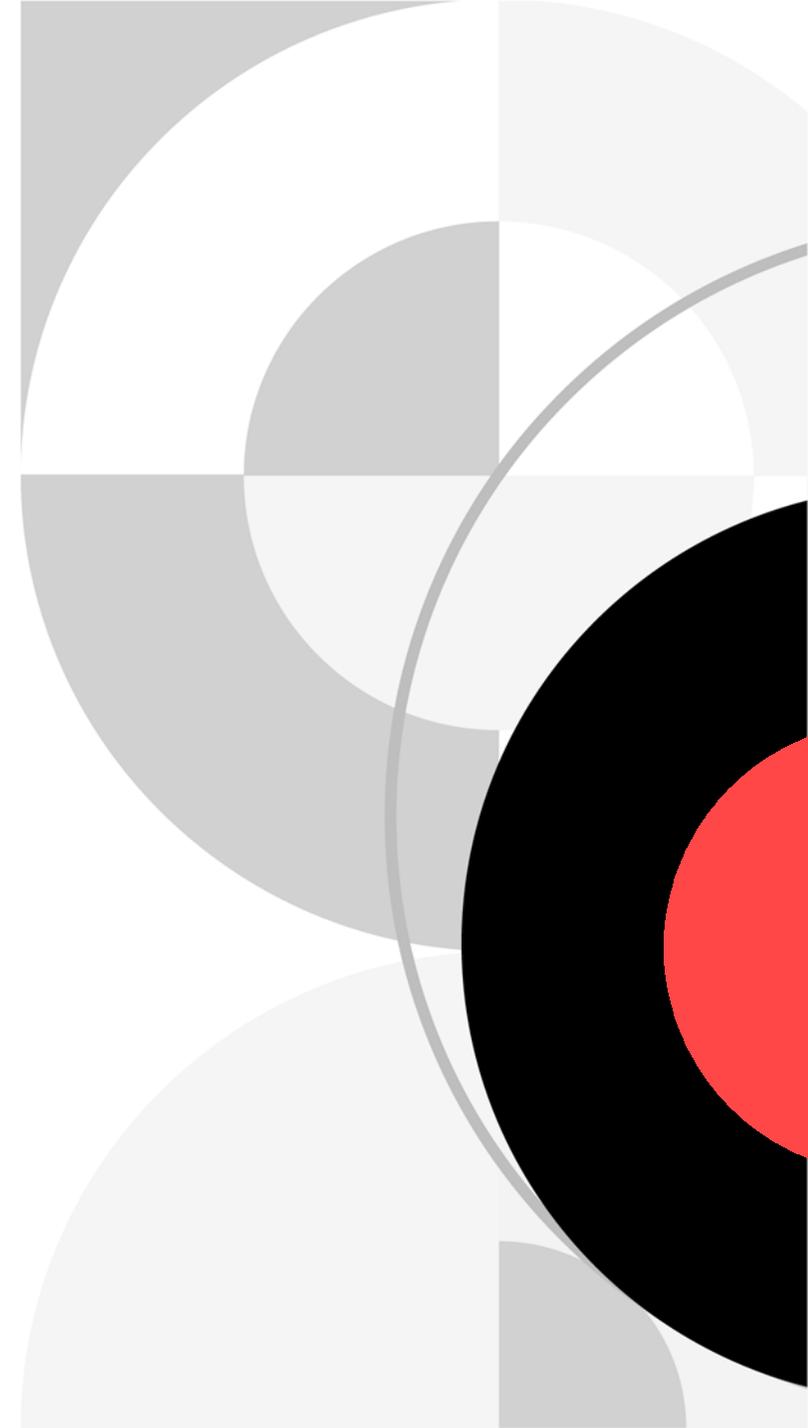




Register for access to City of Sarasota, FL Business Opportunities

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(ADD) Register to Bid

- Visit www.bidnetdirect.com//city-of-sarasota

- Select “Register Now”

The screenshot shows the bidnet direct website interface. At the top, the logo "bidnet direct. by SOVRA" is on the left, and navigation links for "Bid Search", "Participating Agencies", "Purchasing Groups", "Vendor Solutions", and "Buyer Solutions" are in the center. On the right, there are "Login" and "Vendor Registration" buttons. Below the navigation is a search bar with the placeholder text "Search by Keywords or Bid Title" and a "Find Bids" button. The main banner features a background image of oranges and the text "City of Sarasota" and "Get notified of bid opportunities from City of Sarasota". The Florida Purchasing Group logo is also visible. Below the banner, the City of Sarasota logo is on the left, followed by the heading "City of Sarasota Bid Opportunities". The main text area contains information about registration, including a "REGISTER NOW" button.

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 **City of Sarasota Bid Opportunities**

City of Sarasota's Open and Closed Solicitations are posted below. Please [register](#) or [login](#) to see details of all open opportunities.

The City of Sarasota utilizes this procurement system to post all solicitation opportunities. We welcome all vendors to register with Bidnet's Florida Purchasing Group. There is **NO CHARGE to register**, simply follow the registration path and select the "**Limited**" package, select "**Florida**" for your state, enter your information, and select "**Finalize the registration**". You will receive notifications of matching solicitations and addenda. To receive notifications from other Purchasing Groups or Statewide notifications, select one of the other registration options. **Call the Bidnet Support Team at 800-835-4603, option 2, for assistance.**

We welcome your participation!

Register to Bid

Register to do business with City of Sarasota. Join the Florida Purchasing Group to expand your business with local governments throughout Florida.

Register with the Florida Purchasing Group to gain access to bids today.

[REGISTER NOW →](#)

Package Selection

- Select the “Limited” \$0 option to do business with City of Sarasota, or choose the package that makes the most sense for your company
- (Add) Select Florida as the State
- Press Save and Continue

The screenshot shows the 'bidnet direct by SOVRA' registration page. At the top right, there is a 'Call Us: 800-835-4603' and a 'Login' button. The main heading is 'Registration', with a sub-heading 'Package Selection' and a 'One year' / 'Two years (save up to 20%)' toggle. Three package options are displayed: 'Limited' for \$0 (selected), 'State & Local' for \$36/month (709 agencies), and 'Federal, State & Local' for \$45/month (1534 agencies). Each package lists features like 'Member agencies bids', 'Real-time bid alerts', 'Advanced search', 'Daily bid notifications', and 'State & local bids' (or 'Federal bids'). A 'MAXIMUM BID OPPORTUNITIES!' banner is above the packages. At the bottom, there is a 'Select your States (1)' field and a 'Get up to 25% OFF when you select 3+ states' banner. On the right, an 'Order Details' sidebar shows 'Limited Package' for 'Texas Texas Purchasing Group' with a 'Sub-Total' and 'Total' of \$0.00.

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Call Us: 800-835-4603 Login

Registration

Package Selection

One year Two years (save up to 20%)

MAXIMUM BID OPPORTUNITIES!

Package	Price	Agencies	Features
Limited	\$0	709	Member agencies bids, Real-time bid alerts
State & Local	\$36 /state /month	709	Member agencies bids, Real-time bid alerts, Advanced search, Daily bid notifications, State & local bids
Federal, State & Local	\$45 /state /month	1534	Member agencies bids, Real-time bid alerts, Advanced search, Daily bid notifications, State & local bids, Federal bids

Select your States (1) Get up to 25% OFF when you select 3+ states

Order Details

Limited Package

Texas
Texas Purchasing Group

Sub-Total	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00

Personal Information

- In this section, you can provide the basic information of the user and your preferred login information
- Make sure to read the Terms & Conditions and attest that you are an authorized representative of your company.
- Select “Finalize the Registration”

The screenshot shows the registration page for bidnet direct by SOVRA. The page is divided into two main sections: Personal Information and Order Details.

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Call Us: 800-835-4603 [Login](#)

2 Personal Information

First Name Last Name

Company Name Phone Number

Connection Details

Username/Email

Password Confirm Password

I agree to the [Terms & Conditions](#) stated herein
I am an authorized representative of the above-named organization.

[Finalize the registration](#)

Order Details

Limited Package

Texas
Texas Purchasing Group

Sub-Total	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00

Complete & Activate Account



Thank you for subscribing.
Welcome, Vendor Name.

- This confirmation page will show your subscription details and the activation email will be sent to you in a few minutes.
- **Check your email** to complete the registration process & verify your email address. *Make sure to check your Spam Inbox if you have not received your activation email.*
- Click on the link and login using the username and password you entered

Your activation email is on its way to **vendoremail@vendor.com**. To continue and gain access to your account, follow the instructions indicated in the activation email. In the meantime, find your subscription details below.

Subscription Details

You purchased: **Limited Package - Texas**
You will be charged **\$0.00 (plus applicable taxes)**

Primary Contact

Vendor Name
Company Name
vendoremail@vendor.com
555-555-5555

Account Activation

Activation

Please enter the username and password you chose during your registration in order to activate your account.

Username

Password

LOGIN

Need Help?

The BidNet Direct's Support Department is available Monday-Friday from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm EST.

📞 800-835-4603
✉ support@bidnet.com

Sample Email:

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NEED HELP: 800-835-4603

Vendor Name,

Thank you for registering on BidNet Direct.

Please note that you must activate your account using the link below to finalize your registration:
[BidNet Direct - Company Name Account Activation](#)

Upon logging into BidNet Direct for the first time, we recommend that you verify and complete your organization and contact information under the "My Account" section.

If you need assistance, please call BidNet Direct's Support Department at 800-835-4603. Service hours are Monday-Friday from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm EST.

Kind Regards,
BidNet Direct Support Department
support@bidnet.com

This message is sent to you as a member of BidNet Direct in connection to your account on ssc-learn.mets.mediagrif.com.

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15 British American Blvd
Latham, NY, 12110
USA

Use the following links to [update your account](#) or find instructions to [modify your subscription](#).

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DO NOT FORWARD this message to any unauthorized user or another person outside of your organization.

This information is only intended for the recipient shown at the email address of vendoremail@vendor.com.

Organization Profile

- Once your account has been activated, upon your initial login, you will be asked to confirm some details about your organization

The screenshot displays the 'Account Activation' process for bidnet direct by SOVRA. The process is divided into five steps: 1 - Organization Profile, 2 - Contact Profile, 3 - Category Selection, 4 - Additional Information, and 5 - Confirmation. The first step, 'Organization Profile', is currently active and highlighted with a blue circle and the number '1'. The form fields for this step are as follows:

- Organization Profile:**
 - Organization Name* (input field with placeholder 'Company Name')
 - Type (dropdown menu with 'Supplier' selected)
- Organization Address:**
 - Address* (input field)
 - City* (input field)
 - Country* (dropdown menu)
 - Zip/Postal Code* (input field)
- Organization Contact Information:**
 - Phone* (input field) with an 'ext.' field (input field)
 - Toll Free (input field)
 - Fax (input field)
 - Email (input field)
 - Website (input field)

At the bottom of the form, there is a 'Next >' button. The footer of the page includes links for 'Terms & Conditions', 'Privacy Policy', and 'Accessibility', along with the SOVRA logo.

Contact Profile

- Confirm the information for your profile.

The screenshot shows the 'Account Activation' process for bidnet direct by SOVRA. The current step is '2 - Contact Profile', indicated by a blue circle with the number 2. The progress bar shows five steps: 1 - Organization Profile (checked), 2 - Contact Profile (active), 3 - Category Selection, 4 - Additional Information, and 5 - Confirmation.

Contact Profile

Job Title

First Name* Initial Last Name*

Personal Address

Same as organization address

Address* City*

Country* State/Province* Zip/Postal Code*

Personal Contact Information

Phone* ext. Fax

Email* Time Zone*

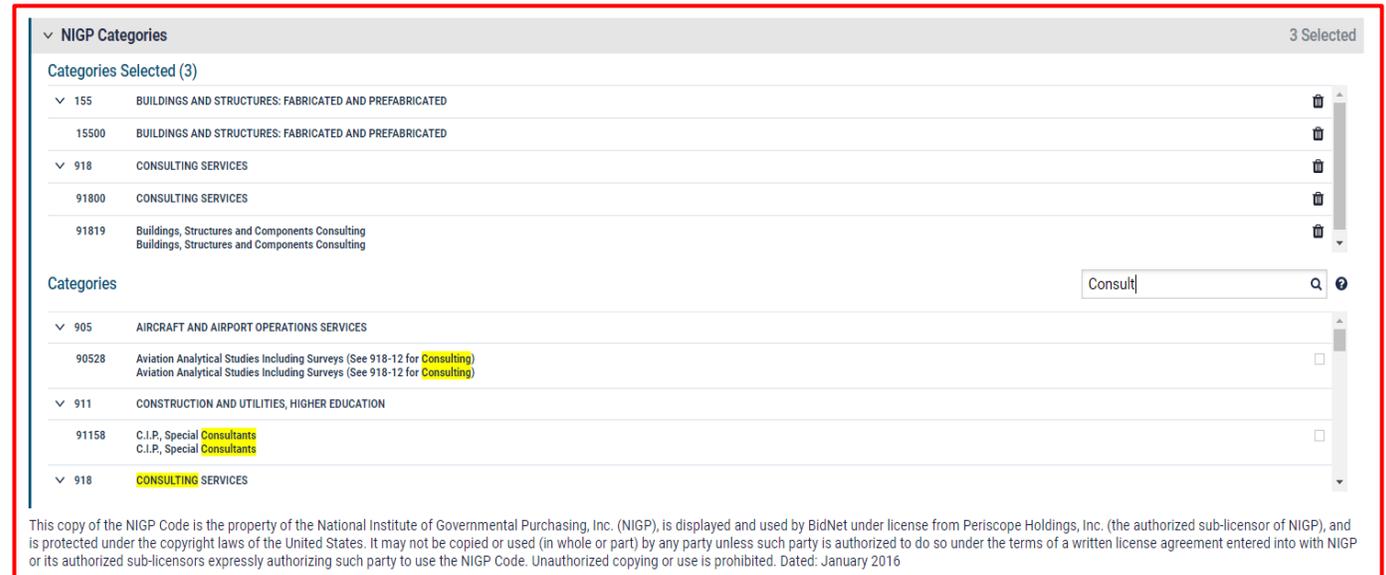
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Category Code Selection

- You will be asked to select the category codes for the products and/or services your company offers
- Search by keyword & select all the codes that apply
- This information is used:
 - For automatic email notifications when you match with new solicitations
 - In your company profile for buyers to search & find by product/service requirements



3 Selected

Categories Selected (3)

155	BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES: FABRICATED AND PREFABRICATED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
15500	BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES: FABRICATED AND PREFABRICATED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
918	CONSULTING SERVICES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
91800	CONSULTING SERVICES	<input type="checkbox"/>
91819	Buildings, Structures and Components Consulting Buildings, Structures and Components Consulting	<input type="checkbox"/>

Categories

Consult

905	AIRCRAFT AND AIRPORT OPERATIONS SERVICES	<input type="checkbox"/>
90528	Aviation Analytical Studies Including Surveys (See 918-12 for Consulting) Aviation Analytical Studies Including Surveys (See 918-12 for Consulting)	<input type="checkbox"/>
911	CONSTRUCTION AND UTILITIES, HIGHER EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/>
91158	C.I.P., Special Consultants C.I.P., Special Consultants	<input type="checkbox"/>
918	CONSULTING SERVICES	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Additional Information

- Additional information such as your type of business structure, and any DBE or other certification will be asked
- You may also upload your W-9 form directly to your company profile (agencies prefer this)
- This information is used:
 - In your company profile for buyers to search & find by particular types of businesses

The screenshot shows a web form titled 'Additional Information' with a progress bar at the top. The progress bar has three steps: 1 - Category Selection (checked), 2 - Additional Information (active), and 3 - Confirmation. The form is divided into several sections:

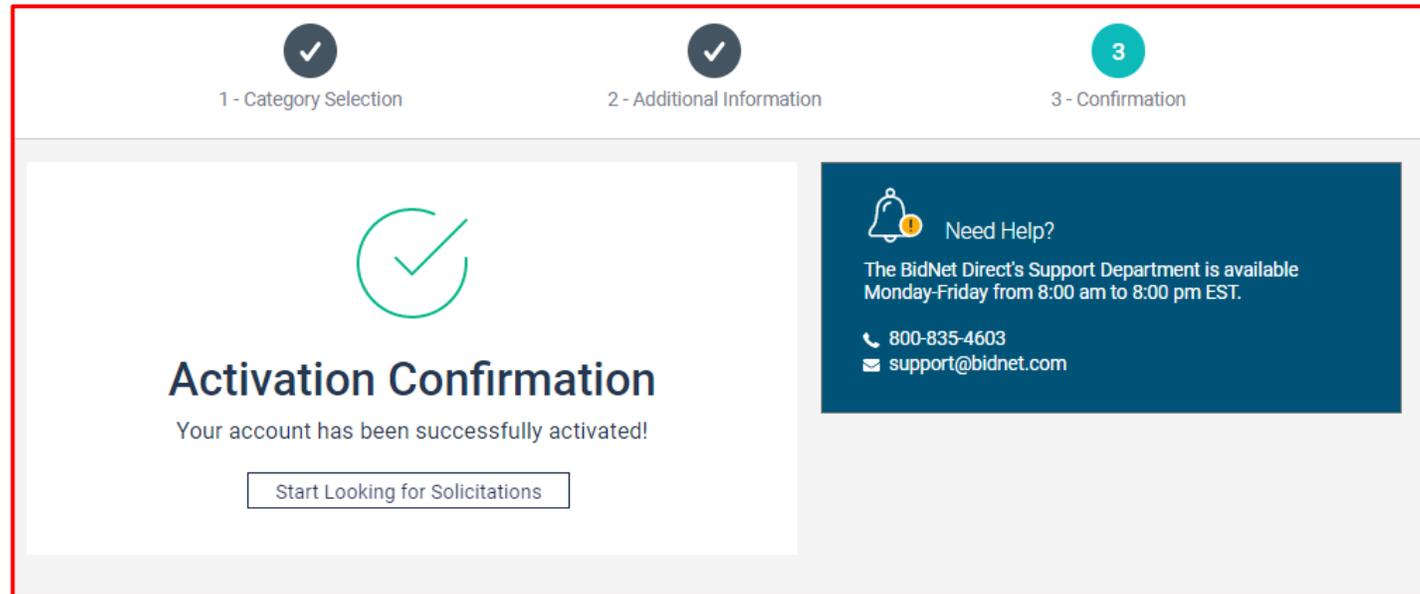
- Business Structure***
 - Public Corporation
 - Private Corporation
 - Partnership
 - LLC or LLP
 - Individual/Independent Contractor/Sole Proprietor
 - Joint Venture
 - Non-Profit Organization
 - Government Agency
 - Organization exempt under Sec 501 (a)
 - Other
- Business Type**
 - Small
 - Large
 - Minority Owned
 - Woman Owned
 - Veteran Owned
 - Disabled
 - Disadvantaged
 - Service Disabled
 - Historically Underutilized Business (located in a HUB Zone)
 - Historically Underutilized Business (not located in a HUB Zone)
 - Historically Black College or University
 - Other
- Owner Ethnicity**
 - Caucasian
 - Hispanic
 - Asian/Asian Pacific
 - Sub-Continent Asian (Asian Indian)
 - African American/Black
 - Native American
 - Other
- Number of Employees***: A dropdown menu showing '11 to 50'.
- Established Since***: A text input field containing '2005'.
- W-9**: A link to 'Upload W-9 form'.

A modal dialog box is open at the bottom right, containing the following questions:

- Is your company a registered MDBE through the state of Florida?*
- Yes
- No
- Any other MDBE Certifications?*
- Yes
- No

At the bottom right of the modal are two buttons: 'Cancel' and 'Save'.

Registration Complete!



- Login and start looking for open solicitations from **City of Sarasota**
- New notifications of solicitations that match your profile will start immediately
- Need help registering or navigating the system? Contact the Bidnet Direct Vendor Support team at **800-835-4603, option 2** or email us at support@bidnet.com