



Contact Information

Do You Know Which 1-1?

- 2-1-1: Community information & referral or dial 1-866-588-4211
- 3-1-1: Nonemergency police & government services (Knoxville)
- 4-1-1: Directory assistance
- 5-1-1: Travel and road conditions
- 6-1-1: Telephone exchange & repair services business offices
- 7-1-1: Telephone relay services for hearing impaired
- 8-1-1: Call before you dig notification
- 9-1-1: Emergency assistance



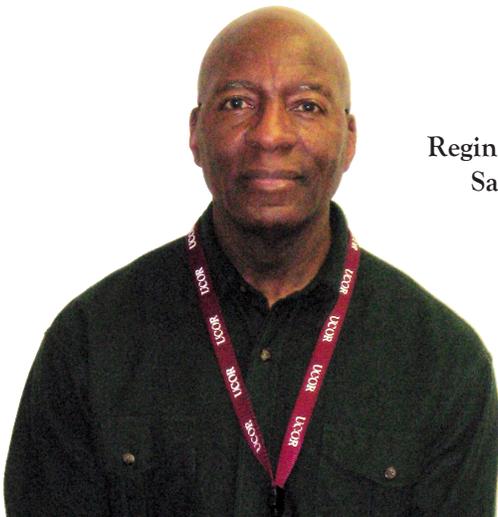
Meet Reginald Sallie

Reginald (Reggie) Sallie began working for Bechtel Jacobs Company LLC (BJC) in September 1999, functioning as the Subcontract Technical Representative (STR) in the administration of the Oak Ridge Environmental Compliance Subcontract. Reggie provided technical direction and discussion as necessary to ensure all safety and technical requirements were met.

From 1999 through July 2004, in addition to his responsibilities as an STR, Reggie also served as a Safety Advocate, an ES&H Representative, and performed as a formation team member for the procurement of the Environmental Data Acquisition and Management subcontract, which included sampling, data management, and laboratory services for support of the Closure Project.

Since 2004, Reggie has worked as a Senior Purchasing Specialist, with 30 years of experience providing support for the Accelerated Cleanup Project within the Oak Ridge Reservation.

Reggie is married and has two grown daughters and two grandsons. In his spare time, when not completing odd jobs, he enjoys traveling and spending time playing golf.



Reginald
Sallie

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What is FOCI?

FOCI is the acronym for Foreign Ownership, Control or Influence. FOCI determinations are rendered by the U.S. government to ensure that entities under foreign ownership, control, or influence are not given access to classified information or special nuclear material when such access may result in the compromise of U.S. national security interests.

A FOCI Determination must be rendered on a prospective contractor who has been selected for award of a contract with the federal government that will require access authorizations (security clearances) for access to classified matter, special nuclear material, or unescorted access to security areas. The term contractor includes any industrial, educational, commercial or other entity, grantee or licensee, including an individual*, subcontractors of any tier, consultants, agents, grantees, and cooperative research and development agreements participants. If the contractor is owned or controlled by a parent organization(s), FOCI Determinations must also be rendered for all tier parents (i.e., ultimate parent and any intervening levels of ownership).

A favorable FOCI Determination must be rendered on prospective contractors and, if applicable, its tier parents, prior to DOE granting a facility clearance and awarding a contract requiring access authorizations. While DOE may conduct a preliminary review of the FOCI submissions from firms in the competitive range in the procurement process, a FOCI Determination is only rendered for the successful bidder. The successful bidder is then granted a facility clearance. The contractor must resubmit a FOCI package once every five years or submit changes sooner if significant changes in ownership, control, or influence occur.

**An individual who is performing activities requiring an access authorization under an agreement that has been executed directly with, and covers only that individual, does not require a FOCI determination.*

Legislative Briefs

U.S. Department of Defense (DoD) Accelerates Payments to All Small Business Concerns, not just Disadvantaged Business Concerns Status (originally published by the Corporate SB Liaison Office)

On April 27, 2011, DoD issued an interim rule amending the DFARS to accelerate payments to all small business concerns. Currently, DoD aids small disadvantaged business concerns by paying them as quickly as possible after invoices are received and before payment due dates established in the contract. The interim rule removes the term “disadvantaged” from DFARS 232.903 and DFARS 906(a)(ii), thereby extending the expedited payment policy uniformly to all small business concerns, and not just disadvantaged business concerns.



McNamara-O’Hara Service Contract Act

The McNamara-O’Hara Service Contract Act (SCA) applies to every contract entered into by the United States or the District of Columbia, the principal purpose of which is to furnish services to the United States through the use of service employees. The SCA requires contractors and subcontractors performing services on covered federal or District of Columbia contracts in excess of \$2,500 to pay service employees in various classes no less than the monetary wage rates and to furnish fringe benefits found prevailing in the locality, or the rates (including prospective increases) contained in a predecessor contractor’s collective bargaining agreement. Safety and health standards also apply to such contracts.

The compensation requirements of the SCA are enforced by the Employment Standards Administration’s Wage and Hour Division within the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL). The SCA safety and health requirements are enforced by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) within DOL.

For more information, please look at the Department of Labor website to understand all the laws at: <http://www.dol.gov/compliance/laws/comp-sca.htm>.

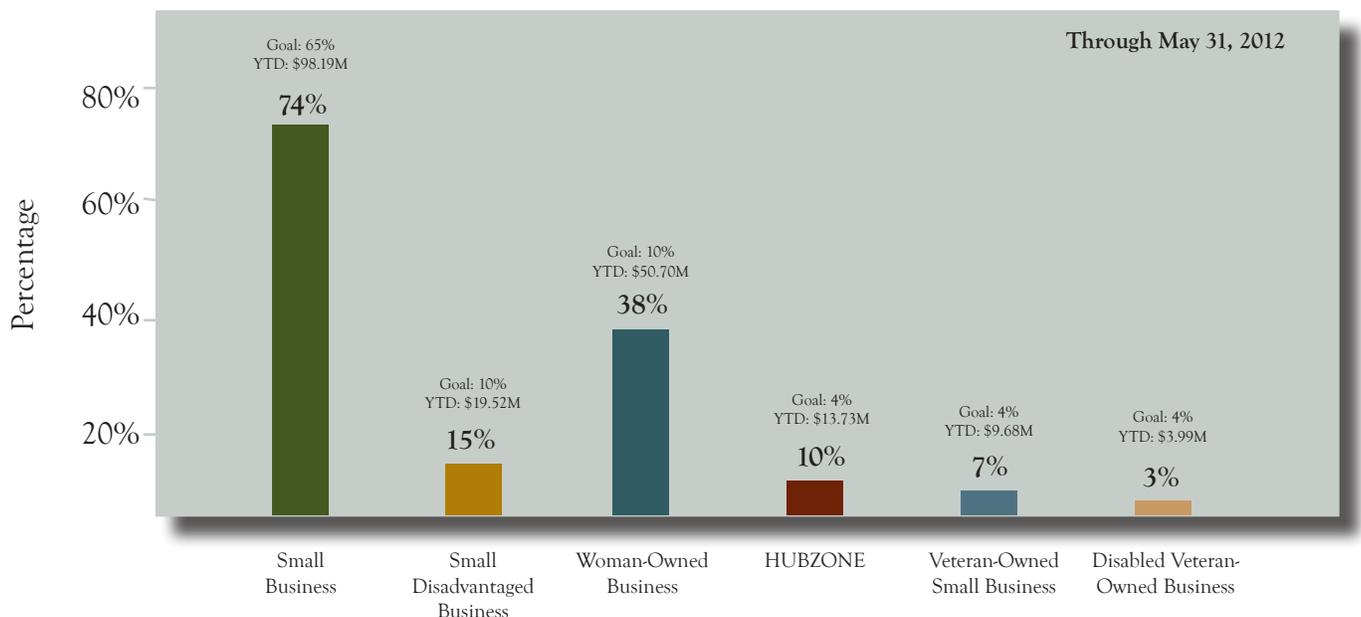
The test of our progress is not whether we add more to the abundance of those who have much; it is whether we provide enough for those who have too little.

Franklin D. Roosevelt

UCOR is committed to small businesses.

UCOR Small Business Statistics

Summary FY 2012: Percent of Subcontract Dollars Placed with Socioeconomic Firms



Empowering Small Business for the Future Summit

DOE, the National Nuclear Security Administration, and the Regional Small Business Summit will host the “Empowering Small Businesses for the Future” summit on July 9-11 at the Knoxville Convention Center, 701 Henley St., Knoxville. For more information, call (865) 567-3225 or send an email to minterwd@aol.com.

We would love to hear from you! Please contact us at:

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UCOR Procurement Training

June 5, 2012 – Karen Reeve provided classroom training entitled “The Subcontracting Plan” to the Subcontracts and Procurement Group.

