



## ETEC Organizes Delegation Trip

The East Tennessee Economic Council (ETEC) organized an Oak Ridge Delegation Trip to Chattanooga on Tuesday, April 15, that included Congressman Chuck Fleischmann. UCOR members who attended included UCOR Small Business Manager Karen Reeve and Communication's Allen Schubert and Veronica O'Hearn. The trip was intended to allow for the exchange of ideas for promoting opportunities between Oak Ridge and Chattanooga.

The participants met in Oak Ridge early in the morning and arrived at the Volkswagen Facility in Chattanooga around 9 a.m. They had a great tour of that facility and Volkswagen's state-of-the-art training facility, featuring its ongoing collaboration with Chattanooga State College. The tour focused on Volkswagen's mechatronic programs, specifically designed for the automotive industry. The training is based on Volkswagen's global standards, and the facility was clean and spotless.

At 11 a.m. the participants headed to the EPB Distribution Center, a non-profit agency that provides electric power to the greater Chattanooga area. They toured EPB's newest facility and saw the inner workings of the Smart Grid, an evolution of the current electric grid that uses new technology to optimize conservation and deliver of power.



The participants had lunch at EPB Headquarters, and Harold DePriest, CEO of EPB, introduced Chattanooga Mayor Andy Berke and Hamilton County Mayor Jim Coppinger. Congressman Fleischmann then spoke and welcomed the group.

After lunch, the tour headed to CO.LAB (Chattanooga Entrepreneur & Startup Ecosystem). The CO.LAB takes a unique approach to supporting startup businesses, offering a full range of support services as well as mentorships, media events, competitions, and 48-hour launch campaigns. Participants learned of the success stories and upcoming growth that the CO.LAB brings to Chattanooga with its innovative approach to supporting entrepreneurship.

Before leaving CO.LAB, Kim White, President and CEO of River City Company, joined the group. River City Company is the economic development engine for Downtown Chattanooga. On the bus trip to Riverfront and Hunter Art Museum, she explained what is changing downtown.

"Some of our best ideas have come from citizens who live it every day," said White. "I want the community to come in fresh to give their input on how things work and what could be better. That's what make these so rich and important. It's a way to have voice in the way your city grows."



## May is Motorcycle Awareness Month

All motorists are reminded to safely "share the road" with motorcycles and to be extra alert to help motorcyclists safe. Motorcyclists are reminded to make themselves visible to other motorists.

Statistics show that the percentage of intoxicated motorcycle riders in fatal crashes is greater than the percentage of intoxicated drivers on our roads. Ride smart and sober.

### Facts

- Motorcycle helmet use increased from 48% in 2005 to 67% in 2009
- Motorcycle helmets saved 1,829 motorcyclists' lives in 2008
- Motorcycle helmets do not interfere with the rider's vision or hearing

## Tony Fountain Retiring This Month

Tony Fountain, UCOR's Vice President, Business Manager, and Chief Financial Officer, is retiring on May 8.

Tony has 37 years of leadership experience in finance, accounting, procurement, human resources, pension, benefit administration, business systems, project support, and EVMS certification for major nuclear projects. He has worked on Department of Energy, Department of Defense, and commercial projects serving in transition, startups, and closures.

Before becoming UCOR's Business Manager, Tony:

- Managed all business services for the \$2.5 billion Yucca Mountain Project. Tony provided human resources, procurement, contracts, finance, information technology, and property management services during a time of severe staff reductions.
- Served as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of URS Power Business in Princeton, New Jersey. He led finance, accounting, project business management, reporting, and internal controls for a \$1 billion commercial operation.
- Served as Vice President and Chief Financial Officer for West Valley Nuclear Services Company at the West Valley Demonstration Project in West Valley, New York, where he managed 98 personnel with an annual budget of \$10 million.
- Served as Business Manager and Controller for the Westinghouse Anniston Division at the Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility, where he direct the transition, startup and implementation of finance and accounting system for the \$726 million U. S. Army contract.

"I have had the pleasure of working with Tony on the Yucca Mountain Project and again here at UCOR," said Karen Reeve, UCOR Small Business Manager. "People that have worked for Tony before have come up to me and said Tony, is one of the most morale, ethical, and fair people they have ever had the pleasure to work with. I couldn't agree more."

Tony graduated from the University of Pittsburgh and earned a graduate degree at Loyola College. Tony said that he believes education is the key to success in life and has spent many of his years advocating just that.

Tony and his wife, Lark, live in Las Vegas, Nevada, and Tony belongs to a hiking club there. Enjoy retirement Tony! May the next chapter of your life be as full and prosperous as the first.



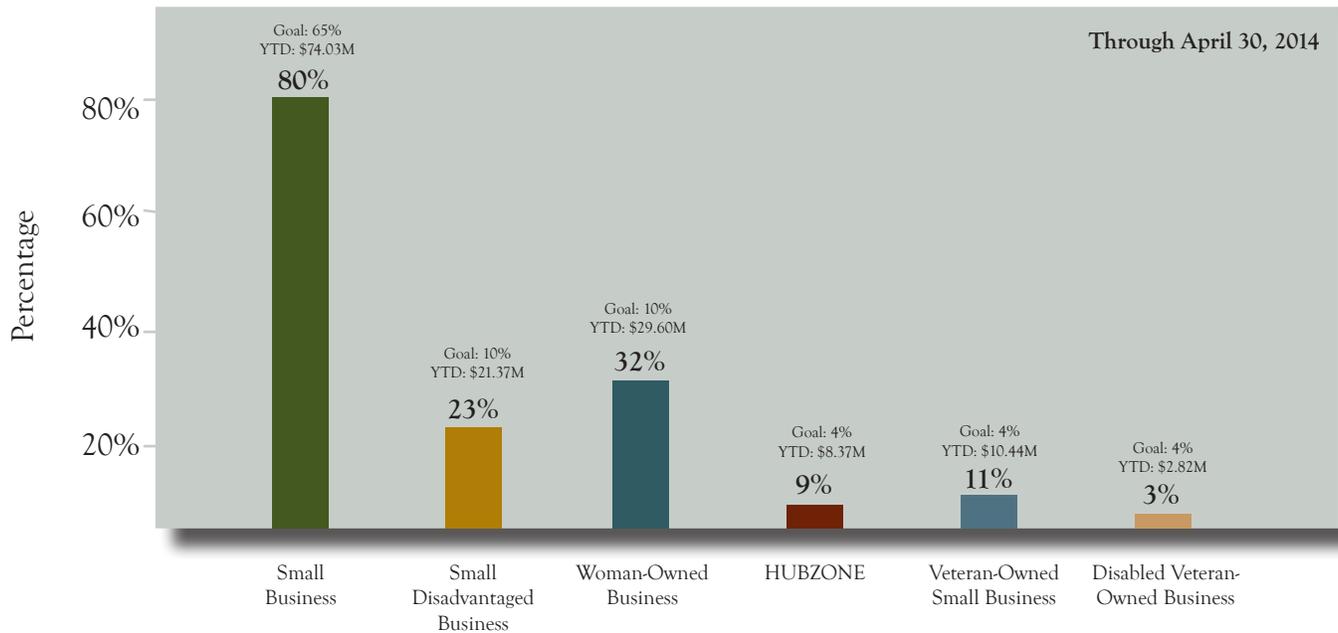
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# UCOR Small Business Statistics

## Summary FY 2014: Percent of Subcontract Dollars Placed with Socioeconomic Firms



## Inception to Date: Percent of Subcontract Dollars Placed with Socioeconomic Firms

