

FREE Vendor Workshops



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Connecting Your Business to the Commonwealth

Monday, November 18, 2019

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

This **FREE** workshop is designed for businesses that are interested in learning how to do business with the State. The workshop will provide participants with information about:

- The bidding process and where to find bidding opportunities
- The basics of COMMBUYS, the Commonwealth's online Market Center
- How to market to public entities (including state and local agencies)
- The Small Business Purchasing Program and SDO Certification



Click [here](#) to register or go to: <https://bit.ly/2MrNauY>

Supplier Diversity Office (SDO) Pre-Certification

Monday, December 9, 2019

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

This **FREE** workshop is designed for businesses that are interested in learning how to apply for SDO certification. Attendance at a Pre-Certification Workshop is required before a business may apply for certification as a Minority, Woman, and/or Veteran Business Enterprise. This workshop will provide information on how to begin the certification process. Certification may help your business to:

- Become more marketable for government entities
- Learn about new government bidding opportunities
- Create Business to Business (B2B) partnerships

Click to [here](#) register or go to: <https://bit.ly/2KZy8JM>

Workshop Location:

Richard E. Neal City Hall Annex Building
70 Tapley St.
Springfield