

DBE CONNECTION

MID-COAST CORRIDOR TRANSIT PROJECT



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MCTC



Mid-Coast Transit Constructors
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DBE & SB STATS (Through April 2018)

82 SB Firms
Contracted with MCTC

\$47 Million
committed to SB firms

89 DBE Firms
Contracted with MCTC

\$80 Million
committed to DBE firms

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

- June 21st: Meet the Buyers - San Diego ([CLICK HERE](#) for more information)

MAY EVENT HIGHLIGHTS



Members of the MCTC team at SBA Awards Luncheon. Eric Meisgeier, Deputy Project Manager holding the award.

Last month the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) and North San Diego Small Business Development Center (SBDC) hosted the "Small Business Awards Luncheon" to recognize the efforts of entrepreneurs embracing the growth of small businesses. We would like to congratulate our very own Eric Meisgeier (Deputy Project Manager), who represented MCTC at the event in receiving the "Minority Small Business Champion of the Year" award! MCTC was specifically recognized for its extensive efforts to include small and disadvantaged businesses on the Mid Coast project. In accepting the award, Eric stated that "having great team members and talented work crews" combined with "time, effort, and passion" were the key factors behind MCTC's success in working with small businesses in the San Diego area.

A big thank you to all involved on the Mid-Coast project as we strive to succeed onwards and upwards!

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE





Renee (left) and Mike with Paradigm Mechanical Corp., taking a moment to explain the plumbing installation at Pepper Canyon.

Have you ever taken a drink of water at a public water fountain, on a hot summer summer day, and wondered how the water got there? Well, if you are like most people, you probably have not spent too much time on this question once you have quenched your thirst. On the Mid-Coast Transit Corridor Project, that very question, however, can be answered by Paradigm Mechanical Corp. (Paradigm), a DBE certified mechanical contractor. It is Paradigm's job to install the intricate piping and ductwork that provide water, heating/ventilation/cooling and sanitation for the project.

The below images show a glimpse of Paradigm's efforts at the future Pepper Canyon Station, overlooking the University of California San Diego (UCSD) campus. With the help of torches, cutters, drills and a little elbow grease, Paradigm construction crews were able to install the various elements needed to complete the plumbing systems for the station.

Now that we have shown you what lies beneath the station platform, you will now be able to answer the question "how the water got there" when you take a drink from the Pepper Canyon Station water fountain...in 2021.



Plumbing lines installed at the future Pepper Canyon Station. This view won't last long. Soon the concrete platform will be constructed leaving only access manholes to reach these lines.

DBE FUN FACT

There are 69 DBE certified plumbing contractors certified by the California Unified Certification Program, 13 of which are based in San Diego.

PROCUREMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- **RFP #145:** MCTC Reinforced Concrete Ancillary Buildings (Bid closes on June 15 2018)
- **RFP #146:** Station Site Utilities and Connections (Bid closes on June 7, 2018)



Visit the Mid-Coast Project's [Vendor Portal](#) for more information.

CONSTRUCTION BENCH OPPORTUNITIES

- Painting and Anti-Graffiti Coatings
- CMU Ancillary Building
- Platform Park & Ride Accessories (Benches, Bike Racks, Trash Recycle Receptacles, Trash/Compactors)

Click [HERE](#) to fill out the Questionnaire to apply for the Construction Bench for the above opportunities. We encourage all DBEs and SBs to sign up for the Construction Bench!

For additional information about the Mid-Coast Corridor Transit Project, please visit www.mctcgv.com.

