

Port of San Diego announces BidsOnline System for vendors

San Diego Unified Port District, Procurement Services Department is pleased to announce the implementation of BidsOnline, a fully automated web-based vendor and bid management system. This system will make doing business with the Port District easier by providing vendors a searchable online database of current bid and proposal solicitations and contract opportunities.

Some of the key features and benefits of BidsOnline include the ability to:

- Maintain your own profile as a new or existing vendor
- Receive automatic email notifications for selected bid opportunities based on product/service categories
- Search for all types of requests, addenda, plan holders list, bid results, and awards at any time.
- Request and download bid document(s) when available
- Receive automatic addendum notification as a bid participant
- Electronic bidding in some cases, allowing bid responses to be securely submitted online.

Effective April 1, 2008, the Port District will be conducting its bid and proposal solicitations online through the BidsOnline system. To receive full advantage of this new program, all vendors must register online by proceeding as follows:

Go to <http://www.portofsandiego.org>

- Select "Business" from the top menu bar
- Select "Vendor Registration"
- Complete the vendor registration form and submit

OR

Go to <http://vendors.planetbids.com/SDUPD/bidframe.cfm>

- Select "Register" from the top menu bar and
- Complete the vendor registration form and submit

Should you have any questions, please contact the Procurement Services Department at (619) 686-6392.