Ohio Association of Community Colleges

MBE/EDGE
Purchasing Contacts
Belmont Technical College
120 Fox-Shannon Place, St. Clairsville, OH 43950

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: John S. Koucoumaris
E-mail: jkoucoumaris@btc.edu
Phone: (740) 695-9500

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?
BTC has a decentralized purchasing system. Vendors who contact the College are forwarded to the appropriate budget manager who has the responsibility for ordering specific products. Information on current bid opportunities can be found on BTC’s website, advertisements in local papers, on the State Auditor’s website and on the State Procurement website.

Central Ohio Technical College
1179 University Dr, Newark, OH 43055

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Maggie Camstra
E-mail: mcamstra@cotc.edu
Phone: 740-366-9233

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?
By contacting the Purchasing Office. In addition, as we prepare bids, we check the MBE/EDGE websites and attempt to include these vendors when and where possible.

Cincinnati State Technical and Community College
3520 Central Parkway Cincinnati, Ohio 45223

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Jeffery Cook
E-mail: jeffery.cook@cincinnatistate.edu
Phone: 513-569-1590

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?
By calling the Purchasing Office at 513-569-1590. Additionally, many large renovation/construction projects are advertised in the Cincinnati Enquirer, as well as through the African American Chamber of Commerce.

Clark State Community College
570 East Leffel Lane, Springfield, Ohio 45505

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Joe Jackson
E-mail: jacksonj@clarkstate.edu
Phone: 937-328-6003

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?
Construction bids are advertised in the Ohio Register, Dayton Builders Exchange, Columbus Builders Exchange, Minority Contractors Business Assistance, Dodge Plan Rooms, and the local newspaper. For supplies/products, Clark State utilizes the state term contracts as much as possible. Otherwise, since Clark State has a decentralized purchasing system, when vendors call to be placed on bid lists, these calls are forwarded to the manager who has responsibility for ordering these specific products.
**Columbus State Community College**
550 E. Spring Street, Columbus, OH 43216-1609

**MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name:** Brad Farmer, Supervisor, Purchasing & Accounts Payable  
**E-mail:** bfarmer@csc.edu  
**Phone:** 614-287-2641

**How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?**  
For all significant construction projects, bid opportunities are advertised in the *Columbus Dispatch*, The Architectural Register, the State Architect’s web site, the Builders Exchange, and The Central Ohio Minority Business Association. College is exploring opportunity to post all bid opportunities on the DAS website.

**Cuyahoga Community College**
700 Carnegie Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44115

**MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name:** Martha Davidson, C.P.M., MBA  
**E-mail:** martha.davidson@tri-c.edu  
**Phone:** 216-978-4722

**How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?**  
Visit our Supplier Managed Services Web site at www.tri-c.edu/sms: 1) Review “current opportunities” for construction and other products and services; 2) Register as a potential supplier; 3) Keep abreast of the dates for the College’s procurement forums. Classified advertising is also done through the *The Plain Dealer* and *Call and Post* newspapers (construction only).

**Eastern Gateway Community College**
4000 Sunset Boulevard, Steubenville, OH 43952

**MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name:** James McGrail III  
**E-mail:** jmcgrail@egcc.edu  
**Phone:** 740-264-5591, ext. 121

**How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?**  
Construction bids are advertised in the Minority Contractors Business Assistance, Dodge Plan Rooms, and the local newspaper. Vendors may also contact J McGrail directly.

**Edison Community College**
1973 Edison Drive, Piqua, Ohio 45356

**MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name:** Daniel R. Reke  
**E-mail:** dreke@edisonohio.edu  
**Phone:** 937-778-7878

**How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?**  
Please contact the Office of the Vice President of Administration and Finance to ask if there are any current or upcoming bids.
Hocking College  
3301 Hocking Parkway, Nelsonville, Ohio 45764  

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name:  
General—Gina Fetty  
Construction—Ron Mash  
E-mail: fettyg@hocking.edu  
Phone: 740-753-6079  

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?  
Send info and request to be on list for future projects via email or US Mail  

Lakeland Community College  
7700 Clocktower Drive  
Kirtland, OH 44094  

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Tom Kirchner  
E-mail: tkirchner@lakelandcc.edu  
Phone: (440) 525-7138  

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?  
Through advertisements in local the newspaper “The News-Herald” and postings on Lakeland’s website. If on current bidder’s list, companies notified automatically  

Lorain County Community College  
1005 N Abbe Rd, Elyria, OH 44035  

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Sandy Andrews, Procurement Specialist  
E-mail: purchase@lorainccc.edu  
Phone: 440-366-4048  

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?  
www.lorainccc.edu/purchasing  

Marion Technical College  
1467 Mount Vernon Avenue, Marion, OH 43302  

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Leeann Grau  
E-mail: graul@mtc.edu  
Phone: 740 389 4636  

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?  
Call or email  

North Central State College  
2441 Kenwood Circle, Mansfield, Ohio 44901  

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Dean Schaad  
E-mail: dschaad@ncstatecollege.edu  
Phone: (419) 755-4855  

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?  
Call Facilities Manager at (419) 755-4855
Northwest State Community College
22600 State Route 34, Archbold, Ohio  43502

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: 
Lise’ Konecny, Director of Facilities, Construction and Renovation
E-mail: lkonecny@northweststate.edu
Phone: 419-267-1262

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?
Construction bids are advertised in local newspapers: Bryan Times, Defiance Crescent, Ohio Registrar. 
Non-construction purchasing is handled through a decentralized purchasing system and vendors can be placed on a bidders list by emailing ksoards@northweststate.edu.

Owens Community College
30335 Oregon Road, Perrysburg, OH  43551

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Brian Paskvan
E-mail: brian_paskvan@owens.edu
Phone: 567-661-7742

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?
Through advertisements in local newspapers and online postings at www.owens.edu. If on current bidder’s list, companies notified automatically

Rhodes State College
4240 Campus Drive Lima, OH 45804

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Larry Hoffman
E-mail: hoffman.l@rhodesstate.edu
Phone: 419-995-8411

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?
Construction projects are awarded through an open bid process. The College will advertise in the local newspaper in accordance with ORC.

Rio Grande Community College
PO Box 326, Rio Grande, Ohio 45674

MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Luanne Bowman
E-mail: lbowman@rio.edu
Phone: 740-245-7236

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?
Call or email
Sinclair Community College  
444 W. Third St., Dayton, OH 45402  
MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Mark Schmid, Purchasing Manager  
E-mail: mark.schmid@sinclair.edu  
Phone: (937) 512-3020  

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?  
Construction bid opportunities are advertised through the Region 4 Minority Business Assistance Center in Dayton and the Region 5 Minority Business Assistance Center in Cincinnati. These organizations are commonly referred to as the Dayton MBAC and Cincinnati MBAC.

Southern State Community College  
100 Hobart Drive, Hillsboro, Ohio 45133  
MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: James Buck  
E-mail: jbuck@sscc.edu  
Phone: (937) 393-3431 extension 2650  

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?  
Call or write to James Buck at the contact information above.

Stark State College of Technology  
6200 Frank Ave. N.W., North Canton, OH 44720  
MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: John H. Jivens  
E-mail: jjivens@starkstate.edu  
Phone: 330-494-6170 ext.4514  

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?  
Our construction projects are awarded through open bid process. We advertise in the local Newspaper in accordance with ORC. We have hired a consultant, Fisher and Associates to provide information and outreach to MBE/DBE firms. The college recently joined Stark County Minority Association which is a group to promote minority businesses in Stark County.

Terra Community College  
2830 Napoleon Road, Fremont, OH 43420  
MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name: Elaine Rosengarten, C.P.M., Purchasing Manager  
E-mail: purchasing@terra.edu  
Phone: 419-559-2393  

How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?  
Please send email to purchasing@terra.edu to be added to the vendor directory and to request about current or future bidding opportunities.
**Washington State Community College**  
710 Colegate Drive, Marietta, OH 45750

**MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name:** Mr. Jess N. Raines  CFO & Treasurer  
**E-mail:** jraines@wscc.edu  
**Phone:** 740-374-8716

**How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?**  
Through advertisements in the local newspaper “The Marietta Times” and by contacting Jess N. Raines directly.

**Zane State College**  
1555 Newark Road, Zanesville, OH 43701

**MBE/EDGE Purchasing Inquiries Contact Name:**  
Tammy Huffman, Director of Accounting Services.  
**E-mail:** Thuffman@zanestate.edu  
**Phone:** 740-588-1212

**How can a vendor find out about current bid opportunities?**  
Construction projects are awarded through open bid process. We advertise in the local Newspaper in accordance with ORC. Vendors may also contact the Accounting Director at Thuffman@zanestate.edu or 740-588-1212