

State event welcomes new business

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The state Department of General Services and the **Sacramento Municipal Utility District** are sponsoring a regional event on Oct. 17 for businesses hoping to increase business connections with state and local government.

The event features an opportunity to meet with buyers and representatives from several state and local government agencies, as well as large businesses looking to find qualified small businesses and disabled veteran business enterprises. It also features workshops on how to do business with state and local governments, computer instruction and an opportunity to sell products and services at the event.

Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. and the event is from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ziggurat Building, 707 Third St., West Sacramento.

The entities involved include: the County of Sacramento, **Sacramento Housing and Redevelopment Agency**, Sacramento Regional Transit, the **Small Business Administration**, **Sacramento Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce**, **Sacramento Asian Pacific Chamber of Commerce**, **Sacramento Hispanic Chamber of Commerce**, **Sacramento Black Chamber of Commerce**, the Federal Technology Center, **Sacramento Business Information Centers**, the **Service Core of Retired Executives** and the **Small Business Development Centers**.