

The Authority is committed to maximizing service-disabled veteran-owned business (SDVOB) contracting opportunities, in accordance with Article 3 of the Veteran's Services Law.

The Authority works closely with the Division of Service-Disabled Veterans' Business Development (DSDVBD) in assembling the Authority's annual goal plan.

The mission of DSDVBD is to promote and encourage the continuing economic development of Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Businesses (SDVOBs).

Key objectives of the DSDVBD:

- *To encourage and assist State agencies and authorities that are engaged in contracting activities to award a share of State contracts to SDVOBs.*
- *To review applications by businesses seeking certification as a SDVOB and to maintain a directory of NYS Certified SDVOBs.*
- *To promote the business development of SDVOBs through education and outreach to agencies, authorities, non-profit organizations, independent contractors, and SDVOBs.*
- *To collect, review, monitor, and report on data pertaining to the utilization of SDVOBs by NYS agencies and authorities.*
- *To ensure continued progress toward the statewide SDVOB utilization goal of 6% established by Veteran's Services Law Article 3.*

If you are a business that currently provides commodities and/or services relevant to the water and/or wastewater fields, and are interested in being certified, please contact the DSDVBD:

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Call: (518) 474-2015
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If you are a business that currently provides commodities and/or services relevant to the water and/or wastewater fields AND are already certified as a SDVOB, please send your information to the Livingston County Water & Sewer Authority: 1997 D'Angelo Drive, PO Box 396, Lakeville, NY 14480. Call: (585) 346-3523.