

# Agencies: Washington's Small Works Roster is Changing



Effective July 1, 2024, new changes to state law will make it easier for small businesses and public agencies to use the small works roster process to contract small public works projects (\$350,000 or less).

## Get ready

### If adopting statewide roster

- Sign up now for the statewide roster through MRSC

### If keeping independent roster

- Integrate OMWBE certification data
- Set up demographic data collection
- Follow DES rulemaking

### Port and irrigation districts

- Choose if you'll opt in to \$350,000 limit



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### Public Works Small Business Enterprise Certification

A new public works small business enterprise certification is coming through the Office of Minority & Women Business Enterprises.

### Statewide Small Works Roster

Enhancements to the statewide Small Works Roster through the Municipal Research & Service Center will centralize reporting, track certification, and help firms keep info up-to-date.

### Direct contracting for projects under \$150,000

Agencies with public works authority will be able to use direct contracting for projects under \$150,000, and **must use a small business** if there are six or more available.