

## Treasury's Commitment to the Business Community

Treasury is committed to broadening opportunities for Small, Minority, Women, LGBTQ+, Veteran and Disabled Veteran Owned Business Enterprises. We will strive to facilitate new and renewed certifications via responsive services, including online filing and information retrieval services, and will maintain a customer support center to assist businesses seeking certifications.

To further encourage participation in these programs, the Department continues to <u>waive the</u> \$100 fee normally required to apply for certification.

Once you obtain your certification(s), your business contact information will be posted to a public database called Selective Assistance Vendor Information (SAVI), which is available for use by all contracting authorities at the Federal, State, county and local levels of government, plus private sector companies. In this connection, the Department plans to modernize SAVI and improve its searching features, with the goal of making it easier for contracting authorities to connect with certified businesses.