



U.S. Department of Transportation

# BONDING

## EDUCATION PROGRAM



# KICK-OFF MEETING

**THURSDAY, May 31, 2018**

2:00 pm — 4:00 pm

**Tidewater Community College**

Virginia Beach Campus

1700 College Crescent

VA Beach, VA 23453



**REGISTRATION: [HTTPS://VABEACHBEPKICKOFF.EVENTBRITE.COM](https://vabeachbepkickoff.eventbrite.com)**

The Bonding Education Program (BEP) is a collaboration between the U.S. Department of Transportation (US DOT), Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT), LANE Construction and the Surety and Fidelity Association of America (SFAA), designed to help small businesses become bond-ready.

### BENEFITS OF PARTICIPATING

- One-on-one meeting with bonding agent
- Connections with industry experts
- Professional advice to strengthen business
- Learn about upcoming opportunities with Lane Construction Co on I-264 Project

### REQUIREMENTS TO APPLY

- At least 2 years in business
- Prior experience as a contractor (public or private jobs)
- Certification as DBE, M/WBE, HubZone, 8(a), WOSB, SDVOSB (or pending)



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