



Richard M. Daley, Mayor



Rosemarie S. Andolino, Commissioner

CDA Web Alert

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City of Chicago Contracting Expo 2010

CDA to Attend as Participants

The Chicago Department of Aviation (CDA) will be participating in the City of Chicago Contracting Expo 2010 on Wednesday, May 26, 2010 at the UIC Forum.

The Expo will provide an opportunity for vendors to learn about procurement opportunities, meet City Departments and sister agencies, and network with other business owners.

Event Details:

City of Chicago Contracting Opportunities Expo 2010

Wednesday, May 26, 2010

8:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.

University of Illinois (UIC) Forum

725 W. Roosevelt Road

UIC Forum Parking Available (\$8.00)

1135 S. Morgan - Lot 5

8:30 a.m. Registration

9:30 a.m. Doing Business with City of Chicago Departments and Sister Agencies & Buying Forecast Overview

10:30 a.m. Networking

To register, please go to this website:

http://www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/dps/provdrs/events/news/2010/may/may_7_2010_contractingexpo.html

Pre-registration deadline is: Thursday, May 20, 2010.

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The Chicago Department of Aviation (CDA) is self-supporting, using no local or state tax dollars for operations or capital improvements at O'Hare and Midway International airports. Together, Chicago's airports generate more than \$45 billion in annual economic activity and create 540,000 jobs for the region. Please visit www.flychicago.com to learn more about the Chicago Department of Aviation.

The CDA continues to incorporate and expand sustainable initiatives for airport planning, operations and maintenance, concessions and tenants in accordance with the CDA Sustainable Airport Manual (SAM), released in August 2009. To view case studies, lessons learned and new technologies, and for more information on the SAM, please visit www.airportsgoinggreen.org.

The O'Hare Modernization Program (OMP), introduced by Mayor Richard M. Daley in June 2001, transforms O'Hare's airfield from an outdated system of intersecting runways into a modern parallel runway configuration. The program will reduce overall delays at the Airport by 79 percent, and bad weather delays by 95 percent. It will create 195,000 new jobs and \$18 billion in additional economic activity each year. Please visit www.oharemodernization.org to learn more about the OMP.

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