

Indiana Small Business Week Workshop Series



NATIONAL SMALL BUSINESS WEEK

May 5 – 11, 2019



Understanding Small Business Certifications

This free workshop is open to all Northwest Indiana small businesses!

WHEN: May 10, 1-4 pm CST
WHERE: Art House
411 East 5th Avenue, Gary
COST: Free

In honor of Small Business Week the SBA Indiana District Office and the Indiana PTAC will explain:

- The world of government contracting and what it can mean to the growth of your business
- Special small business certifications such as MBE, WBE, CVE and DBE and what you need to do to gain them
- HUBZone Certification
- How to find government contracting opportunities and how to market yourself effectively
- How to write contracting proposals

After the workshop, there will be time for those who want help starting the certification process. It is recommended that participants bring their laptops and enter their company information in the federal government's **System For Award Management** (www.sam.gov).

Registration is required. Type www.bit.ly/Gary510 in your web browser to sign up.

Questions? Contact Economic Development Specialist [Sharon Harvey](#) at 317-226-7272 ext. 123.

All SBA programs and services are extended to the public on a nondiscriminatory basis. Reasonable accommodations will be made if requested at least two weeks in advance.



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