8(a) STARS III Industry Partners,

Please see the attached snapshot, pulled from the dashboard, for orders placed against the 8(a) STARS III GWAC.

Congratulations to the following Industry Partners on your recent task order awards inputted into system since last snapshot email:

AKYTECH CONSULTING LLC APPLIED INTELLECT, LLC <u>INTER-OP.NET</u>, INC. NEXT PHASE SOLUTIONS AND SERVICES, INC. VANGARDE LLC.

We have issued 21 DPA's for 8(a) STARS III During November (as identified by agency):

Department of Agriculture	2
Department of Defense	5
Department of Health and Human Services	2
Department of Homeland Security	2
Department of the Air Force	3
Department of the Army	2
Department of the Interior	2
Federal Communications Commission	1
General Services Administration	1
U.S. Agency for International Development	1

Useful Info/Upcoming Events

 GSA has created a Delegation of Procurement Authority (DPA) training program on YouTube. This training is accessible to you and your customers 24/7 and will qualify as training required to obtain a delegation of procurement authority. The training may be accessed at

https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLvdwyPgXnxxWTbU15qsbxSIH9OyYTQY3s

• On December 1st we conducted industry training on the delegation of procurement authority process. This live training highlighted what we share with our customers

regarding the benefits/features and ordering process for 8(a) STARS III. The webinar was recorded, check your group email inbox for a link to that recording.

Reminders

- If you have submitted a webpage for review and had corrections to make, please resubmit the webpage for approval to <u>S3@gsa.gov</u>, make sure you include your contract number in the subject line.
- Please check our industry partner spreadsheet at <u>www.gsa.gov/s3industrypartners</u> to verify that your company information is accurate.
- Please ensure you are reviewing and responding to email when necessary from S3@gsa.gov, reportinginquiries@gsa.gov, it-soladmin@it-solutions.gsa.gov and the helpdesk@gsarba.com.
- If you have questions or difficulty with ASSIST, please contact the Service Desk at (877) 472-4877 or email **assist.servicedesk@gsa.gov**.

GSA will soon be sharing exciting news about a partnership with DHS. Info will be shared via your group email inbox. Thanks, BeLinda DeVore | Phone: 816.823.1320 Business Management Specialist | Center for GWAC Programs | Small Business Acquisition Division

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Be kinder than necessary, for everyone you meet is fighting some kind of battle.