

Local Vendor Outreach

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA



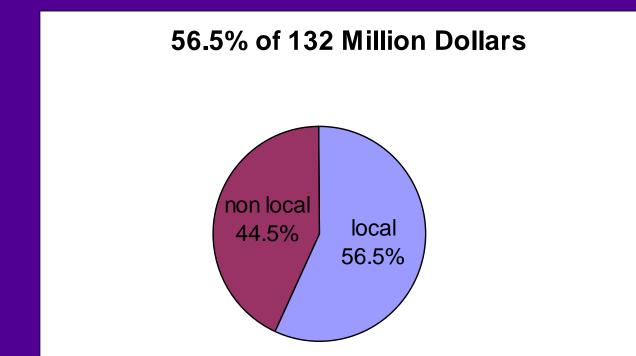
- Increase amount of goods and services purchased from local vendors
 - Educate vendors on doing business with the County
 - Notify of performance, insurance and invoicing
 - Increase their awareness of our needs
- Procure quality commodities at the best price
- Implement Strategic Goals
 - Goal IV Implement Strategies for Economic Vitality and Sustainable Growth
 - Goal VI Make Santa Barbara County Government Citizen-Friendly



- Many expensive items have no local maker or distributor
- Loss of vendors
- Low margins not attractive to vendors
- ◆ Limits of Time, Staff, and Money
- Limited discretion
 - Public Projects
 - Preferences Vs fiduciary responsibility



RESULTS OF OUR EFFORTS





Top 10 In-County Purchasing Contracts in FY 04/05

- Tri County Office Furniture-- \$774,209
- **♦** Corporate Express-- \$757,727:
- Quinn Company and Caterpillar Financial--\$702,000
- ◆ GE Capital (Coastal Copy) -- \$608,126
- **◆ The Pacific Pride Foundation-- \$549,797**
- **♦** Jordano's-- \$522,906
- Iverson Motor Company-- \$439,687
- **♦ Community Action Commission-- \$399,136**
- **◆ Domestic Violence Solutions:-** \$374,905
- **♦** Home Motors:-\$274,287

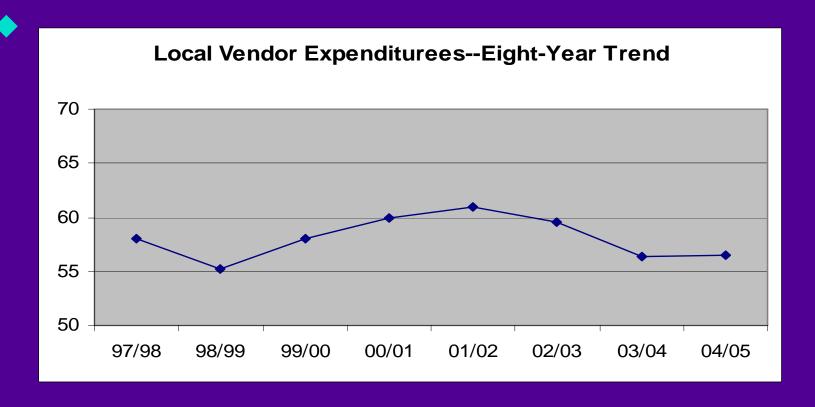


Top 10 Local Board Contract vendors in FY 04/05

- Prison Health Services, Inc.—\$3,769,911: (Sheriff)
- Telecare Corporation--\$2,438,976: (AD&MH)
- Community Action Commission--\$2,412,298 (Probation, MH)
- Union Asphalt--\$2,271,130 (Public Works)
- Addus Health Care Inc--\$2,199,005 (DSS)
- Work Training Program--\$1,439,822 (DSS-WRC)
- **Sojourn Services--\$1,357,857** (MH) (PH)
- S.B. Council on Alcoholism--\$1,249,117 (Probation, MH)
- Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital--\$1,180,982 (PH, MH)
- ◆ **AEGIS Medical Systems--\$1,017,567** (AD&MH)



Eight Year Trend, Local Purchases





WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

- ◆ INCREASE CHAMBER CONTACTS
- CONDUCT NORTH AND SOUTH COUNTY OUTREACH SEMINAR
- BOARD LETTER CHANGES
- CONTINUE EFFORTS TO BE USER FRIENDLY
- ◆ LVO Advisory Committee:
 - Definition of Local Vendor
 - Preference for local Bids



What is a "Local Vendor?"

- Physical Location
- Local employees and/or ownership
- ♦In business at least 6 months
- Resale Permit (for taxable items)



Preferences?

Opposed by ISM and NIGP
Used throughout the state
Used by the state
Standing up in court



Analysis of FY 2004/2005 Purchasing Bids

Effect of 6% Preference on results

No non-Local Bidders	05
No Local Bidders	14
◆ Local Vendor Won (no Pref.)	32
◆ Local Vendor Won (1 1/2%)	01
Local Vendor over 6% higher	06
♦ 6% Preference would win	02
◆ 3% Preference would win	01
Total Bids	61

Analysis of FY 2004/2005 Purchasing Bids Effect of 6% Preference on results

- Of the 9 local suppliers outbid, a 6% preference would have resulted in:
 - A \$3453 award for fresh meat, at an additional cost of \$195.49
 - A \$28,315 award for a Fire Chief Sedan at an additional cost of \$1348.33
 - A \$22,251 award for a 2WD Trailblazer at an additional cost of \$1059.56
 - The remaining non-local bids were more than 6% lower than the local bid.



◆ 60% OF ALL SANTA BARBARA COUNTY PURCHASES OF GOODS AND SERVICES WILL GO TO

◆LOCAL VENDORS