

# LLNS Mentor Protégé Agreement



We are pleased to announce that we have successfully executed a Mentor Protégé Agreement with **GCJ, Inc. for general construction services**. The term of the agreement is for three years with two one-year options.

GCJ is a certified 8(a), Woman Owned Small Business (WOSB), Economically Disadvantaged Woman Owned Small Business (EDWOSB), and Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB). GCJ is located in Tracy, CA and is a general contractor that specializes in commercial building construction. Their primary NAICS is 236220, Commercial and Institutional Building Construction and the additional NAICS are:

- 238320, Painting and Wall Covering Contractors
- 238160, Roofing Contractors
- 238220, Plumbing, Heating, and Air-Conditioning Contractors
- 238210, Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors
- 238330, Flooring Contractors

The Mentor Protégé Program is designed to encourage and assist small businesses and enhance their financial, technical, and personnel capabilities to perform subcontracts. Under the agreement, the protégé has a Lab mentor and scheduled plan of activities that will cover a variety of areas, including technical assistance, business development, identifying subcontract opportunities, business management, among others items. Under the agreement, the Lab's mentor and protégé will submit semi-annual progress reports to the DOE, Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization (OSDBU) to ensure objectives are met.

In the future, we will continue to seek out local businesses for additional Mentor Protégé Agreements. For more information on the Mentor Protégé Program, please see the [LLNS Mentor Protégé Program](#) on Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory's small business website or contact Michelle Quick at [quick1@llnl.gov](mailto:quick1@llnl.gov)