



Local Business Opportunities

Expression of Interest Form

Orsted, a global energy company with extensive experience designing, building, and operating energy infrastructure in Texas, is developing the Mockingbird Solar Center in Lamar County, Texas near Paris. The project is anticipated to be a 400 megawatt (MW) utility-scale solar energy project comprised of solar panels, steel posts and equipment to house the panels, electrical equipment, access roads, collection lines and other associated infrastructure. Orsted procures tier 1 project equipment and contracts with a range of experienced engineering, procurement, and construction firms, and is also dedicated to local hiring where feasible.

The project has leased approximately 3600 acres of land in Lamar County and anticipates commencing construction activities in 2022.

We are in the process of identifying qualified local and regional businesses that can assist with the development, construction, and maintenance of the Mockingbird Solar Center.

According to the Solar Energy Industries Association, solar energy supported more than 250,000 well-paying American jobs in 2019, including approximately 10,261 in the State of Texas. As of the 3rd quarter of 2019, Texas was ranked 4th in the nation for installed solar capacity with over 5,570 MW online, and there are at least 106 manufacturing facilities producing components and supporting high-quality jobs for the solar industry.

In addition up to 200 workers will be living onsite and spending money in local restaurants and other establishments.

Business Opportunities

Technical and Construction Employment

- Civil sub – contractors including services such as Site Clearing, Site Grading and Road installation
- Site Mowing Services
- Security Fence Supply and Installation
- Directional boring
- Hydrovac Services
- Gravel supply and delivery
- Heavy equipment operators including but not limited to Grader, Dozer, Excavator, Pile Driver and Rough Terrain Forklift
- Site Surveying
- Project Site Seeding Supply and installation
- Underground Electrical Collection System Installation
- Solar Installation Labor
- Certified Welders
- Licensed Electricians
- Crane/Rigging Services
- Concrete Supply and Delivery

Services

- Fuel supply
- Vehicle and heavy equipment including UTV Rentals
- Vehicle and equipment maintenance
- Temporary Living Accommodations and catering
- Meeting rooms and temporary office space
- Construction Site Services (sanitation, security, and portable restrooms)
- Construction Office Furniture and Supplies (Paper, Printers,)
- Construction Office Cleaning Services
- Drinking Water and Ice Supply
- Trash/Recycling Container Rental and Service
- Road Signage
- Campgrounds/RV Site Rental Areas
- Construction Tooling Supply (Hammers, Wrenches, Impact/Drill)
- Metal Fabrication Services
- Tire Repair Service

Help us understand your business capabilities by filling out our supplier form below and emailing this document back to Craig Mitchell at CRAMI@orsted.com:

Organization:

Name:

Title:

Mailing Address:

City/State/Zip/County:

Phone Number/Cell:

Email Address:

Company Website:

Nature of Business:

Finally, the leaders of Lamar County will be responsible for making decisions about the future of energy in this area. You can register your support for the Mockingbird Solar Center, and the long-term economic benefits it brings to your community, by indicating you agree to list your support for the project on a letter Orsted is submitting to local officials.

Willing to publicly support project?

Please contact us with your questions, ideas and thoughts

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mockingbirdsolarcenter.com