



Letting Registration Changes Session 1 12-18-2025





We will not be taking verbal questions during this meeting. But please, if you have a question, post it in the meeting chat. We will post answers on our web page and via email message





☑ Industry Announcement: Changes to INDOT Letting Registration

Effective with the February 2026 letting, the Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) will change the way contractors register for construction contract bid lettings.

Why This Matters

After evaluating a recommendation from the Federal Highway Administration, INDOT has determined that significant efficiency gains for both INDOT and bidding firms will be obtained with these improvements:

- * Streamlined Registration: The current bid/planholder submission form will be replaced with a simplified email request process.
- * Enhanced Confirmation: Firms will receive two email confirmations—one acknowledging receipt of their request, and another confirming successful registration. We will implement a similar change for drug testing affirmations and performance bond submissions, sending consolidated confirmation messages one week prior and also 2 days prior to lettings.
- * Reduced Administrative Burden: This eliminates the need for firms to follow up for registration confirmation in the days leading up to a letting.

Changes will be detailed in two virtual trainings scheduled on December 18th and January 12th. Invitations will be sent to subscribers of our email messaging system.

We appreciate your cooperation as we implement this change to promote a more efficient bidding environment.







Improvements

Streamlined Registration

Enhanced Confirmation

Reduced Administrative Burden





Streamlined Registration





Email your request to register to INDOTBIDDERS@INDOT.IN.GOV

Email text is simple; just include the contracts you wish to bid and your FEIN #





Plan holder designation is no longer needed – all plans have been available to the public for over 9 years.



Registration Email Example

	То	INDOTbidders@indot.in.gov
Send	Сс	
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	Subject	December 2025 Letting Registration
Hello, ABCDE Co	ompany wish	es to bid on the contracts below that are on the December 2025 letting. Our FEIN number is 35-13845679.
R-41527-A	Call 140	
R-42350-A	Call 160	
B-43610-A	Call 180	
T-44353-A	Call 190	
Thank you,		
Steve Duncar	n	





Enhanced Confirmation



You will receive an immediate email acknowledging receipt of your request

From: INDOT Bidders < ! INDOTBIDDERS@indot.IN.gov

Sent: Wednesday, December 10, 2025 10:48 AM
To: Yoder, Tiffany (INDOT) <TifYoder@indot.IN.gov>

Subject: Automatic reply: December 2025 Letting Registration

We have received your email.

You will receive a confirmation email once your registration is completed.

Thank You!

INDOT Bidders



You will receive another email confirming that you are registered

From: INDOT Bidders <INDOTBidders@indot.IN.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, December 10, 2025 11:15 AM

To: Duncan, Steve <SDuncan1@indot.IN.gov>; INDOT Bidders <INDOTBidders@indot.IN.gov>

Subject: RE: December 2025 Letting Registration

Thank you. You are now registered for the contracts you requested.

INDOT BIDDERS

INDOT4U (855) 463-6848; www.indot4u.com





From: Duncan, Steve <<u>SDuncan1@indot.IN.gov</u>>
Sent: Wednesday, December 10, 2025 9:34 AM
To: INDOT Bidders <<u>INDOTBidders@indot.IN.gov</u>>
Subject: December 2025 Letting Registration

Hello

ABCDE Company wishes to bid on the contracts below that are on the December 2025 letting. Our FEIN number is 35-13845679.

R-41527-A Call 140 R-43250-A Call 160 B-43610-A Call 180 T-44353-A Call 190

Thank you

Steve Duncan





Reduced Administrative Burden



Many contractors contact us regularly asking the contracts team to confirm that they are indeed registered, or that INDOT has received their performance bond and/or drug plan documents.

	Today's Date:	12/9/2025	Time:	3:04:41 PM
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81	Tammy Brees	HISConstructorsIncDrugPlan121025-B44249A	12/8/2025 8:29 PM	3223860
82	Tammy Brees	HISConstructorsIncDrugPlan121025-B44247A	12/8/2025 8:28 PM	3223763
83	Tammy Brees	HISConstructorsIncDrugPlan121025-B43819A	12/8/2025 8:28 PM	3223769
84	Tammy Brees	HISConstructorsIncDrugPlan121025-B42436A	12/8/2025 8:27 PM	3223766
85	Tammy Brees	HISConstructorsIncDrugPlan121025-B42319A	12/8/2025 8:27 PM	3223815
86	Tammy Brees	HISConstructorsIncDrugPlan121025-R44051A	12/8/2025 8:26 PM	3223772
87	Tammy Brees	HISConstructorsIncDrugPlan121025-R43621A	12/8/2025 8:25 PM	3223821

^{*} These messages will be sent the week prior to the letting and on Monday the week of the letting



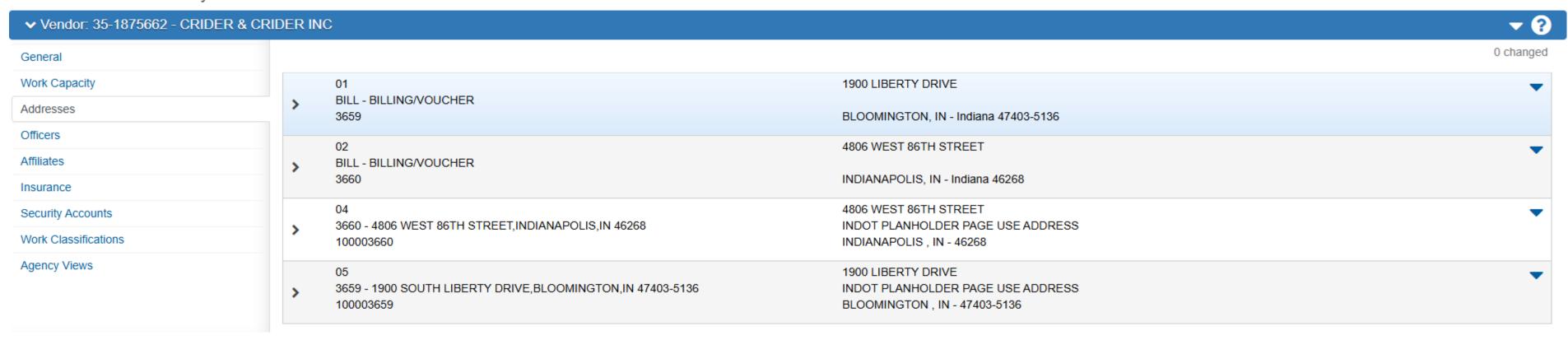
You no longer need to do this – your confirmation email messages are more direct and timelier. You don't need to go search for reports or postings and or worry if we don't post as quickly as you would need.

	Folder Path:	Construction Letting/Inbox	Times	2.04.44
200	Today's Date:	12/9/2025	Time:	1
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283	Amy Whitesel	E&BPAVINGLLCPERFORMANCEBOND12102025-R43621A	12/2/2025 3:11 PM	4500
284	Amy Whitesel	E&BPAVINGLLCPERFORMANCEBOND12102025-R43250A	12/2/2025 3:10 PM	4640
285	Amy Whitesel	E&BPAVINGLLCPERFORMANCEBOND12102025-R42770A	12/2/2025 3:10 PM	4534
286	Amy Whitesel	E&BPAVINGLLCPERFORMANCEBOND12102025-R42298A	12/2/2025 3:09 PM	4555
287	Amy Whitesel	E&BPAVINGLLCPERFORMANCEBOND12102025-R41527A	12/2/2025 3:08 PM	4572
	ERS 55) 463-6848; <u>www.in</u>			



AWP registration page – address issue?

Vendor General Summary



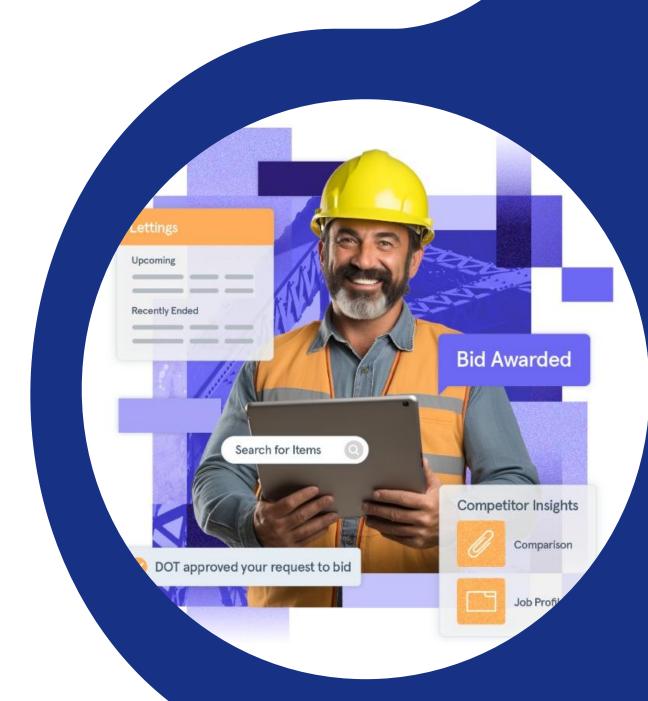
• The drug plan and performance bond confirmation messages will be sent to the email addressed attached to their main company address: "01" in our system.





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- View all outstanding sub-quote requests at a glance
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Timeline

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Training
Session 2:
January 12th
2:00pm

Notice-to-Contractors for the February Letting is released on January 14th New registration process begins on January 14th

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Questions

Answers

Comments

- 1.) Can the training presentation be shared?
- 2.) How do we check our vendor email addresses?
- 3.) How do subcontractors upload quotes on BidX?
- 4.) Does this apply to Executive Order 25-64?
- 5.) As for joint ventures, it's assumed the extra forms will still be needed?

- 1.) Yes it is now posted on our web page
- 2.) We will send out a test message week of 12-29
- 3.) I'm inquiring with BidX and will respond
- 4.) No
- 5.) JV requirement have not been affected and process remains the same

1.)https://www.in.gov/ind ot/doing-business-with-indot/home/contracts/

5.) CM 32-34, Contractual Obligations, Revision Acknowledgements





Questions

Answers

Comments

- 6.) Performance Bonds still need to be submitted?
- 7.) The current registration allows us to add an email utilized during that letting we need to know what will be utilized for future lettings
- 8.) When we register, do we include the email address where quotes from Subs should be sent?

- 6.) Yes Still submit as you currently do
- 7.) Whomever sends the registration request to us, we will reply directly to that email address

8.) Quotes from subs is not part of this registration process

- 6.) We are now sending reports showing what has been sent
- 7.) Performance Bonds and Drug Plans will be sent to the contractors main account address













