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COMPANY OVERVIEW

Kowalenko & Bilotti, Inc. (K&B), established in 1988 offers consulting services in strategic planning, change management and organizational and staff development, process re-engineering, information technology, knowledge management, multi-cultural and multi-disciplinary training, and communications. Capabilities include process mapping, workflow and process analysis, communication and training plans, curriculum design and implementation, workshop facilitation, document management, Geographic Information Systems (GIS), technical writing and editing, and foreign languages.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Change Management
- Organizational and Staff Development
- Strategic Planning
- Communication, Technical Writing and Editing, Research
- E-Procurement
- Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
- Information Technology
- Transportation Planning

CERTIFICATIONS

K&B is certified as an 8(a) Woman Owned Small Business with public agencies including:

- ❖ U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) 8(a), Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB), HUBZone Small Business Concern (SBC), Small Business (SB), and Woman Owned Business (WOB)
- ❖ Illinois Universal Certification Program (IL UCP), Host Agency Metra (Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)
- The City of Chicago and sister agencies such as the Chicago Park District, Chicago Public Building Commission (CPBC), Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago (MWRDGC)

PRIME CONTRACTS-PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR

K&B holds prime contracts with:

- City of Chicago Department of Business Information Systems (BIS) for Management and GIS
- Chicago Housing Authority (CHA) for GIS
- ❖ City of Chicago Public Building Commission for Environmental Services
- ❖ City of Chicago Department of Environment for Environmental/Engineering Services
- ❖ Banks, Mortgage Lenders, Developers, Real Property Investors, and Real Estate Offices

MEMBERSHIPS

- Society of American Military Engineers (SAME)
- ❖ National Association of Women Business Owners (NAWBO)
- ❖ Women in Public Policy (WIPP)
- ❖ Women's Transportation Seminar (WTS)



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