

Coffee & Construction: Understanding and Complying with Responsible Bidder Mandates

Speaking Engagement

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Illinois public projects increasingly include Responsible Bidder Mandates that can create barriers for Merit Shop contractors. Jeff Risch will explain what these mandates require, new requirements being added in local municipalities, how they are applied at the local and state levels, and what steps Merit Shop firms can take to meet compliance. Participants will gain practical insights into training requirements, documentation, and strategies to remain competitive in public bidding while avoiding common pitfalls.

Who Should Attend?

- Merit Shop Contractors in Illinois
- Owners
- Estimators
- Project Managers
- HR Professionals and Compliance Officers

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