

**Project Description and Procurement Milestones for:
Port Columbus International Airport's Checked Baggage Screening Project**

The Inline Checked Baggage Screening Project, CIP 02071, is to be funded in part by American Recovery and Reinvestment funds, Passenger Facility Charges and Capital Reserves. The following project description and estimated milestone dates of the procurement process should only be used for planning purposes. Dates are subject to change. Interested contractors should frequently check the CRAA's website for updates and actual bid announcements at:

<http://www.columbusairports.com/construction/rfq.asp>

General Project Description:

The project entails the construction of two elevated 16,000 Sq. Ft. buildings (located immediately North and South of the B Concourse checkpoint area) to house a new baggage handling system (BHS) and TSA's EDS equipment. The majority of the work will be within the airport's restricted areas and within airline operations space.

The new BHS conveyors will connect the existing ticket counter belts to the matrix building and route checked baggage through the TSA's bag clearing equipment and then sort baggage back to the existing airline baggage makeup areas. Project requires integration of this facility into the existing building BMS, ACS, CCTV, LAN, Fire Alarm, Fire Protection, Mechanical and Electrical systems. This project will be broken into two bid packages: BHS and General Building, requiring coordination and cooperation between the two.

Important Milestones:

- DBE Outreach Meeting: March 11, 2010
- Advertisement of availability of the bid package: April 19 & 26, 2010
- Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting: April 28, 2010
- Bid Q&A/RFI cut-off: May 5, 2010
- Bids Due: May 13, 2010
- Executed Contract: week of May 31, 2010
- Pre-Construction Meetings: Week of June 7

All questions should be directed to the CRAA's Office of Procurement at 614-239-4000.