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CITY OF ONEIDA LOOKING FOR QUALIFIED CONTRACTORS
Commercial Rehabilitation Program In Search of Contractors

The City of Oneida is looking for contractors to participate in a grant program funded by the New York State Division of Housing and Community Renewal known as the New York Main Street program. The program will make grants available to improve commercial properties in the City's downtown. As part of the program, the City must maintain a list of qualified contractors in the area. Contractors on the list will receive bid requests for residential rehabilitation projects from property owners that are participating in the program. Construction opportunities will begin in Fall 2018 and continue through Spring 2019. Please fill out qualifications if you would like to be considered during this timeframe.

All contractors who are interested in being considered for work related to the New York Main Street grant program must first submit their qualifications. The qualification form can be obtained by contacting Cassie Rose in the City's Planning & Development office at crose@oneidacity.com or 518-363-7467. Contractors must meet insurance requirements, provide contact information, and provide three references in order to be considered. Your references will be checked prior to being approved. **APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SENT BY SEPTEMBER 21, 2018.**

NYS Certified M/WBE, SDVOB firms, or Section 3 firms are encouraged to submit their qualifications.

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