

ANNOUNCEMENT OF JACKSONVILLE MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL DISPARITY STUDY

Five Jacksonville local agencies are conducting a Multi-Jurisdictional Disparity Study (“Study”) to determine whether their construction, design and engineering, professional services, equipment, supplies, goods, and other services contracts are being equitably awarded to ready, willing, and able contractors. The five agencies participating in the Study include: the City of Jacksonville, the Jacksonville Transportation Authority, the Jacksonville Port Authority, JEA (formerly known as Jacksonville Electronic Authority), and the Duval County Public Schools.

Mason Tillman Associates, Ltd., a national public policy firm, is conducting the Multi-Jurisdictional Disparity Study. The firm has conducted disparity studies in 110 communities nationwide. To learn more about the Study, please visit www.jaxdisparitystudy.com or contact Mason Tillman Associates, Ltd. via telephone at (904) 339-9549 or e-mail at info@jaxdisparitystudy.com.

A successful Study requires the involvement of local businesses willing and able to perform public contracts. Mason Tillman Associates, Ltd. will interview business owners concerning their experiences contracting or attempting to contract with the five agencies.

Please complete this [survey](#) and **return it to** Mason Tillman Associates, Ltd. via fax at (904) 339-9549.

Contact us for more information about the Study schedule and upcoming business community meetings.