

## 8(a) STARS II Contract # GS06F0709Z ALEX-AMERICAN SYSTEMS JV



**ALEX-AMERICAN SYSTEMS JV is currently one of the top awardees!**  
(based on total obligated dollars since contract inception)

ALEX-AMERICAN SYSTEMS is a joint-venture Mentor-Protégé partnership. We hold an 8(a) STARS II Government-Wide Acquisition Contract (GWAC), a U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) multiple award, IDIQ contract designed to provide **cutting-edge Information Technology solutions** to federal agencies from our award-winning 8(a) small business.

8(a) STARS II industry partners are classified in **two Constellations**. ALEX-AMERICAN SYSTEMS JV is capable of providing services in *all* functional areas under *both* constellations.

All Functional Areas	Constellation 1	Awarded to ALEX-AMERICAN	Constellation 2 (industry credentials - CMMI and ISO 9001)	Awarded to ALEX-AMERICAN
FA 1	Custom Computer Programming Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Custom Computer Programming Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
FA 2	Computer Systems Design Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Computer Systems Design Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
FA 3	Computer Facilities Management Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Computer Facilities Management Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
FA 4	Other Computer Related Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other Computer Related Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

### Features and Benefits of Using the 8(a) STARS II GWAC

Features	Benefits
• \$10B program ceiling and five-year base period with one, five-year option	• Allows for long term planning of large scale program requirements
• Directed task orders up to \$4M	• Enhanced opportunities for 8(a) firms
• Contract types include: fixed price, labor hour, and time and material terms	• Offers flexibility of contract types to mitigate risk
• Permits other direct costs when it is integral and necessary to the IT effort	• Facilitates integrated IT solutions
• Access to exceptionally qualified 8(a) small business industry partners	• Enables federal clients to earn 8(a) small business credit
• Pre-competed, easy-to-use contract with streamlined ordering procedures based on FAR 16.505	• Saves time and money by reducing procurement lead time
• Complimentary scope compatibility reviews	• Promotes contract compliance and reduces risk of adverse audits
• Compliance with Section 843 of the National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) of 2008 and Section 863 of NDAA 2009	• FAR 16.505 Fair Opportunity process supports best value awards
• No protests on orders under \$10M, except on the grounds that the order increases the scope, period, or maximum value of the GWAC	• Minimizes protest risk and supports timely order award for optimal mission support

**Our activities on some of our recent awards include:**

**IT Systems Engineering and Technical Support**

As part of an agency's multi-year information technology (IT) upgrade, ALEX-AMERICAN engagement includes:

- Hardware
- Software
- Firmware
- Database Systems
- Program Management
- Training
- Logistical Planning
- Logistical Support

**Network Infrastructure Services**

Services for several clients include engineering, procurement, installation, and testing of the following:

- Classified & Non-classified Networks
- AV/VTC Networks
- Wireless LANs Physical Security Systems
- Distributed Antenna Systems (DAS)
- Gigabit Passive Optical Networks
- Fiber/Copper Low Voltage Cabling
- VoIP & Unified Communications
- Electrical Power

**IT Project Management**

ALEX-AMERICAN services include:

- Coordination with Onsite Lead/Installation Team
- Detailed Inventory Documentation for GFE, Tools & Test Equipment
- Logistical Planning/Support
- Periodic Field Observations Reports
- Scheduling and Quality Assurance
- Inspections and Tests
- Permits, Licenses, Inspection Scheduling and Fees
- Training Final Acceptance and Work Closeout

**Software Development and Deployment**

We develop Activity Based Costing (ABC) Tools for agencies which integrate updated software with existing legacy information systems to produce reports using managerial cost accounting. Agencies use the reports to allocate resources, measure performance, manage costs, calculate reimbursements, authorize programs, and make ongoing program decisions. Our work includes:

- Data Collection
- ABC Help Desk
- Model Sustainment for Monthly Uploads
- Program Office Requirements Reviews
- Model Refinement
- Monthly Status Reports

**Software Support and Training**

We train agency specialists and end users on the application of the ABC Tool. We administer and sustain the ABC system, serving as Subject Matter Experts on ABC functional issues by providing program analysis, functional analysis, and consulting services.

**Data Center Planning, Engineering and Implementation**

For the build-out of a new, state-of-the-art, highly secure and fully redundant Data Center we provide:

- Design Analysis
- Project Planning, Scheduling & Risk Management
- Implement to ANSI and ISO Standards
- Warranty and Maintenance for Materials, Installation Defects and Workmanship
- Test and Certify all Cables & Infrastructure Components; Document "as-built" for all Components

This newly acquired colocation facility is part of a comprehensive three-year phased plan to enhance disaster recovery capability.



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