Sustainable and Cleveland Small Business Bid Information
SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS

Companies headquartered in the five-county region which meet certain sustainability practices set by the Office of Sustainability;

2% Bid Discount or 2 Evaluation Credits
Implementation

Accepted Sustainable Business Certifications

1. Green Plus
2. Green City Certification Program
Green Plus Program [www.gogreenplus.org](http://www.gogreenplus.org)
Cost: $350 or $550
Time: Time intensive for business
Renewal: Every 2 years
1. Diagnostic Survey
2. Feedback/Diagnostic Report
3. Green Plus Mover OR Certified Green Plus
4. If a Mover: Create Sustainability Plan
5. Implement Changes and resubmit Diagnostic Survey
6. Certification
7. Site Visit/Audit
8. Cost: $350 through chamber or commerce or $500 if not a member.
Based on an E4S Sustainability Implementation Group Program launched in 2005

First Steps: Topic specific modules that include two workshops and one self-assessment. Topics include waste reduction, energy efficiency, green procurement and more.

Integrated Strategies: A 6-8 month strategic planning process aligned with SC2019 Strategies and City of Cleveland vendor requirements.
Price: $750
Please call Patty at 216-451-7755 for more information
Cleveland Small Business (CSB)

Companies headquartered in the five-county region which meet certain size requirements set by the US Small Business Administration;

5 % Bid Discount, or Evaluation Credits of 5% of total points

More information: City of Cleveland, Office of Equal Opportunity