

**City of Boise**  
**Housing and Community Development Division**  
**Registering Section 3 Businesses**

The City of Boise’s Housing and Community Development Division is currently soliciting for interested business entities that would like to be placed on a pre-qualified registry for Section 3. Individuals or firms to who wish to bid on possible future construction and non-construction projects financed with federal funds received from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and other City funding are encouraged to respond. Companies or individuals suspended or debarred from work on government contracts or subcontracts cannot be considered for this registry.

Section 3 is a provision of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 that helps foster local economic development, neighborhood economic improvement, and individual self-sufficiency. The Section 3 program requires that recipients of certain HUD financial assistance, to the greatest extent feasible, provide job training, employment, and contracting opportunities for low- or very-low income residents in connection with projects and activities in their neighborhoods.

A Section 3 business concern is a business that is owned by fifty-one percent (51%) or more Section 3 residents, employs Section 3 residents as thirty percent (30%) of its full-time, permanent staff; or HUD YouthBuild programs being carried out in Boise which Section 3 covered assistance is expended. Section 3 also provides opportunities for qualified, low-income business owners to receive preference in bidding on HUD-funded contracts. Section 3 residents are households earning at or below the following income guidelines:

<b>Household Size</b>	<b>Annual Gross Income</b>
1 Person	\$33,600
2 Person	\$38,400
3 Person	\$43,200
4 Person	\$48,000
5 Person	\$51,850
6 Person	\$55,700
7 Person	\$59,550
8 Person	\$63,400

For additional information on Section 3, how to qualify, or register, please visit <http://hcd.cityofboise.org>, [www.hud.gov](http://www.hud.gov) or contact Gary Campbell with the City of Boise’s Housing and Community Development Division at (208)384-4158 or TTY(800) 377-3529. This document can be translated into any language upon request.

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