

KPMG LLP SUPPORTS VETERAN-OWNED BUSINESSES BY BECOMING A NVBDC CORPORATE MEMBER

NVBDC Welcomes KPMG LLP as their newest Corporate Member

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EINPresswire.com/ -- The National
Veterans Business Development
Council (NVBDC) welcomes KPMG LLP,
one of the world's leading professional
services firms, as their newest
Corporate Member. KPMG is
committed to supporting the NVBDC
Certified Service Disabled and Veteran

Owned Businesses (SD/VOBs). This



focusing on delivering growth in a sustainable way and providing climate solutions for member firms, clients, and society.

includes an ongoing effort to enhance their outreach to secure SD/VOBs in their procurement opportunities.



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Brigadier General (ret) Dick Miller, President, NVBDC KPMG recognizes the benefits of including diverse suppliers in its strategic sourcing events and purchases and is committed to growing its number of diverse suppliers. Diverse suppliers contribute innovative ideas, services and products that add value to the firm, it's clients, and surrounding communities. The KPMG Supplier Diversity team collaborates closely with the firm's Inclusion and Diversity team to ensure alignment with the firm's overall inclusion and diversity strategy.

KPMG LLP is a national corporate member of the following

resource and advocacy organizations:

- •Women Business Enterprise National Council (WBENC)
- •National Minority Supplier Development Council (NMSDC)
- •National LGBT Chamber of Commerce (NGLCC)

- Disability: IN
- National Veteran Business
 Development Council (NVBDC)

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Veteran-focused Diversity Spending Programs are an \$80 billion market in the United States. Other corporations who support the NVBDC Certified SD/VOBs include the 28 member corporations of the Billion Dollar Roundtable. The NVBDC is the only veteran certification organization to meet the Billion Dollar Roundtable (BDR) audit standards and match their mission to drive supplier diversity excellence.

Veteran-owned and diverse businesses interested in developing or growing a supplier relationship with KPMG are encouraged to contact ussupplierdiversity@kpmg.com with their unique value proposition. If there are currently no opportunities in their area of specialty, KPMG will retain the contract information provided for future consideration.



Nations leading veteran business certification organization



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KPMG ranks #12 on DiversityInc's Top Companies for Diversity (2020), an achievement which recognizes, among other inclusion and diversity achievements, their commitment to increasing spend with diverse businesses.

In 2019 KPMG was named one of the National Business Inclusion Consortium's "Best of the Best," recognizing their work to promote an inclusive supply chain, workforce, and marketplace. KPMG also received a score of 100% on the Disability Equality Index, a national transparent, annual benchmarking tool that rates businesses on a scale of zero to 100 based on their

disability inclusion policies and practices. KPMG also maintains a score of 100% on the Human Rights Campaign's Corporate Equality Index, which benchmarks companies based on their inclusive corporate policies and practices pertinent to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender employees and suppliers.

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