



IDENTIFY LOCAL BUSINESSES

The purpose of the census is to identify local businesses that can provide the goods and services needed for the design, construction, and operations of the JFK Redevelopment Program. In addition to helping to engage as many local businesses as possible, the census will lead to more jobs and dollars being circulated in the local economy.

WHAT

The JFK Development Business Census is an official enumeration of local businesses in southeast Queens, southwest Queens, the Rockaways, Elmont, Valley Stream, and the Five Towns that provide goods and services needed for the design, construction, and operations of the JFK Redevelopment Program.

WHO

The census is sponsored by the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, the agency in charge of the JFK Redevelopment Program.

WHY

One of the main objectives of the JFK Redevelopment Program is to engage as many local businesses as possible in the project. The census is a means to identify these businesses and make sure they are included in the JFK Redevelopment Business Directory.



How can local business owners get counted?

Local businesses can take part in a quick survey to be included in the JFK Redevelopment Business Directory. To sign up for the survey, please go to the Local Business Census page on the New JFK website at www.anewjfk.com/local-business-census/.

Who is conducting the census?

Mason Tillman Associates, Ltd., the firm that prepared the 2017 Port Authority of New York and New Jersey Disparity Study, is conducting the census.

What type of businesses will be included in the census?

Businesses that can provide services and supplies for airfield and landside infrastructure, passenger terminals, air cargo facilities, airport support facilities, passenger services and baggage process, fire/life safety, mechanical, electrical, utilities and plumbing, and other building elements. Industries that encompass these businesses are construction, construction-related professional services, non-construction-related services, and commodities.

How will the Port Authority identify available businesses?

To identify available businesses, the Port Authority's consultant Mason Tillman will conduct a broad-based business outreach program using a thorough data collection process. In addition, the Port Authority's contract records, certification lists, outreach meetings, and local trade and professional association lists will be used to identify available businesses.

