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The [COVID-19 pandemic](#) has exposed the inequities that exist in both the public and private sectors nationwide. In response, the [NJ Office of Diversity and Inclusion](#) has partnered with the [NJ Economic Development Authority](#) and [NJ Supplier Diversity Development Council](#) to provide the first of its kind Garden State Minority, Women, and Veteran-Owned Business (MWVOB) Virtual Marketplace Exchange Summit. According to Hester Agudosi, Chief Diversity Officer, New Jersey Office of Diversity and Inclusion, "In 2020 we have been called to institute 'real-time' sustainable change to level the playing field for diverse businesses. This summit is a call to action and presents an important and timely opportunity to accelerate the growth and development of MWVOB's in New Jersey where Governor Murphy's Economic Development Strategic Plan has placed innovation and diversity in the forefront of our State's economy."

Join us virtually on **Wednesday, December 9th** at the 2020 Garden State Minority, Women and Veteran-Owned Virtual Marketplace Exchange Summit for a full day of Procurement Matchmaking Sessions that will bring real contract opportunities and access to capital directly to your desktop or device.

Who Should Attend:

- Minority, Women, Veteran, and LGBTQ entrepreneurs and business owners interested in working with public and private sector institutions in New Jersey.
- Corporations and nonprofit organizations looking to introduce their organizations to diverse suppliers of goods and services.

To better gauge your interests and meet your needs, please click below to complete a very brief survey.

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